TEST VALLEY BOROUGH COUNCIL

HEAD OF SERVICE'S DECISION

Committee:

The Executive.

Chairman:

Councillor Ian Carr

Head of Service:

Head of Estates and Economic Development

SUBJECT Replacement of the canopy at Union Street Andover

The contract for replacement of the Union Street roof canopy linking the shops cannot be signed because the description of the works in the 2003/2004 budget book is insufficient in detail. The sum of £202,000 is included in the Council's approved Capital Programme for 2004/5 for "general upgrading of Union Street". It was always intended that the upgrading would include the roof canopy. A contract for the canopy works in the sum of £143753 + fees was agreed following a tender exercise. All necessary Statutory consents have been received and the contractor wishes to start works as soon as possible.

REASON FOR URGENCY

(After consultation with the Chief Executive)

Work on the project needs to proceed as soon as possible because the scheme must be completed during the summer and the contract for the building works is ready for sealing.

DECISION

(After consultation with the Chairman (or in his absence the Vice-Chairman), who has not requested that the matter be referred to a special meeting of the Committee).

That the contract for replacement of the canopy at Union Street Andover be signed in order that work can proceed.

Chief Executive's/ Director's Signature:	Date: 7:4:04
Chairman's/Vice-Chairman's MORW	Date: 14/04/04
Chairman's/Vice-Chairman's (Overview & Scrutiny Committee) Signature:	Date: 7. 4.04
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Head of Service's B. G. N. Lab.	Date: 7/4/04.
Reported to Committee on	Date:

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BACKGROUND PAPER: .

The Budget book 2003/2004 Minutes of Northern Area Planning Committee 29th May 2003 minute 55