
Report To:	Policy & Resources Committee	Date:	19 May 2015
Report By:	Head of Legal & Property Services	Report No:	RMcG/LP/085/15
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Subject:	Zero Hours Contracts – Request by Councillor McEleny		

1.0 PURPOSE

1.1 The purpose of this report is to consider a request received from Councillor McEleny in relation to zero hours contracts.

2.0 SUMMARY

2.1 The letter from Councillor McEleny requesting that the Policy & Resources Committee consider the remit of zero hours contracts and Council funding to external organisations is attached as **Appendix 1**.

3.0 RECOMMENDATION

3.1 The Committee is asked to consider the request by Councillor McEleny.

Dear Mr Malone

11/5/15

Zero Hours Contracts

It has come to my attention that a local organisation which has received substantial levels of historic and continued funding from Inverclyde Council is currently recruiting staff on 'Zero Hours Contracts'. Unfortunately I was made aware of this after the deadline for submitting a motion. I am then unable to submit a motion which stipulates that Inverclyde Council will not provide future funding to any organisation that hires staff on exploitative zero hours contracts.

Therefore I shall be grateful if you would arrange for the remit of '**Zero Hours Contracts and Council Funding to external organisations**' to be considered by the Policy & Resources Committee at its meeting on Tuesday 19th May 2015.

Yours sincerely,

Cllr Christopher McEleny

Opposition & SNP Leader