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Dear Cllr Carter,

Council Meeting – 22nd January 2020

Thanks for your interest in Children’s Capital of Culture. In response to your query about the costs to the Council, I am pleased to let you know that there is currently no additional cost to the Council related to this programme.

This is because, as you know, the Council had previously committed to becoming a Child-Friendly borough and therefore the work to engage children and young people in a cultural and leisure offer is a core part of service delivery in both Culture, Sport and Tourism and Children and Young People’s Services.

As you know, the Council was asked by partners to take on the work to trademark the Intellectual Property related to “Children’s Capital of Culture”. The modest costs, which have previously been shared with you by Legal Services, were covered through the funding towards the Cultural Strategy and related consultation activities. A range of support was obtained from a number of partners, including Arts Council

England, Grimm and Co and IVE. Therefore, the proportional cost to the Council last year is understood to be in the region of £300.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sarah Allen', with a horizontal line extending to the right.

Councillor Sarah Allen
Cabinet Member for Cleaner, Greener Communities