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Report to: Education Resources Committee

Date of Meeting: 16 March 2010

Report by: Executive Director (Finance and Information

Technology Resources)

Executive Director (Education Resources)

Subject: Capital Budget Monitoring 2009/2010 - Education

Resources

1. Purpose of Report

1.1. The purpose of the report is to:-

 provide information on the progress of the capital programme for Education Resources for the period 1 April 2009 to 22 January 2010.

2. Recommendation(s)

- 2.1. The Committee is asked to approve the following recommendation(s):
 - that the Education Resources' capital programme of £90.856million, and expenditure to date of £52.628million be noted.

3. Background

- 3.1. This is the third capital monitoring report presented to the Education Resources Committee for the financial year 2009/2010.
- 3.2. The report details the financial position for Education Resources in Appendix A.

4. Employee Implications

4.1. None

5. Financial Implications

5.1. The total capital programme for Education Resources for 2009/2010 is £90.856million. Anticipated spend to date was £57.855million, with £52.628million expenditure incurred (57.92% of full budget). This represents a position of £5.227million behind profile. This time last year £40.785million was spent (67.82%).

6. Other Implications

6.1. The main risk associated with the Resource's Capital Budget is failure to manage the projects resulting in a significant overspend. The risk has been assessed as low given the detailed project management plans prepared and monitored for each project individually. The risk of an overspend is managed through 4 weekly Investment Management Meetings at which any overspend on individual projects is reported with explanations and an alternative funding source proposed.

7. Equality Impact Assessment and Consultation Arrangements

- 7.1. This report does not introduce a new policy, function or strategy or recommend a change to an existing policy, function or strategy and therefore no impact assessment is required.
- 7.2. There is also no requirement to undertake any consultation in terms of the information contained in the report.

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5 February 2010

Link(s) to Council Values and Objectives

♦ Value: Accountable, Effective and Efficient

Previous References

◆ Education Resources Committee, 19 January 2010

List of Background Papers

♦ Financial ledger to 22 January 2010

Contact for Further Information

If you would like to inspect the background papers or want further information, please contact:-

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South Lanarkshire Council Capital Expenditure 2009-10 Education Resources Programme For Period 1 April 2009 – 22 January 2010

Education Resources	Budget £000	Budget b/f £000	Total Original Budget £000	Budget Adjustments £000	Slippage £000	Total Budget £000	Budget to Date £000	Actual Expenditure £000
Disabled Access	0	59	59	(59)	0	0	0	0
Education Other*	0	(155)	(155)	1,949	0	1,794	1,049	1,345
School Modernisation Programme	83,800	29,487	113,287	3,437	(29,132)	87,592	56,393	50,847
ICT Programme	1,400	70	1,470	0	0	1,470	413	436
TOTAL	85,200	29,461	114,661	5,327	(29,132)	90,856	57,855	52,628

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