

CABINET – 14 MARCH 2019

PQ 11/19 – Written Question from Patrick Noctor, Freshwater to the Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Resources

QUESTION

“As a Trustee of West Wight Sports & Community Centre I'd like to ask Members. At the Cabinet's November meeting at Westridge, cabinet members were supportive around helping WWS&CC particularly around the issue of the ground rent and lease. Can I ask what progress has been made on this?”

RESPONSE

“Following discussions at the November Cabinet, officers have been asked to identify options for how the requested discount in ground rent can be potentially financed from savings to other service budgets benefiting from the provision of their service offer at the centre. We would expect these enquires to be concluded, a recommendation prepared, and a decision made by the Summer. Officers will also be asked to discuss with the centres trustees any necessary changes to the current lease position, for example to enable the centre to access grant funding.”