3 PLANNING AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT - CORPORATE GIS PROJECT MANAGER (AN410-2004)

The Committee is asked to approve the establishment of a Corporate GIS (Geographic Information Systems) Project Manager post, graded PO11-14, £32,244 - £34,554, initially for a three year period, in the Planning and Transportation Department.

The postholder will, along with assistance from other identified staff, be responsible for the organisation, management and implementation of a corporate approach to GIS in the Council. This will encompass project planning, resource allocation, task scheduling and timely delivery of projects.

After initially assessing the existing provision of GIS facilities in the Council, the postholder will take a lead role in defining and implementing a robust and sustainable future for the use of GIS facilities to improve services across the Council. In particular, the postholder will be responsible for developing and delivering web-based GIS facilities and integrating GIS into Modernising Government and E-government initiatives.

It is planned that the post will be fully funded from any award that is allocated to Dundee City Council from the Modernising Government Fund 3 allocations. In the event that the Council is unsuccessful with this bid, the costs will be contained within the Planning and Transportation Department's Revenue Budget.