MAIDSTONE BOROUGH COUNCIL

RECORD OF DECISION OF THE QUEEN'S OWN ROYAL WEST KENT REGIMENT MUSEUM TRUST COMMITTEE

Decision Made: 09 January 2013

QUEEN'S OWN ROYAL WEST KENT REGIMENT MUSEUM TRUST - ACCOUNTS 2011/12

Issue for Decision

To approve the Trust's Accounts for the year ending 31 March 2012.

Decision Made

That the Trust's Accounts for the year ending 31 March 2012, attached as Appendix A to the report of the Head of Finance and Customer Services, be approved.

Reasons for Decision

The Accounts for the year ending 31 March 2012 are attached as Appendix A to the report of the Head of Finance and Customer Services.

The Accounts must be approved before they are submitted to the Charity Commission.

There was a deficit of £2,701 on the Receipts and Payments Account for 2011/12. However the Trust does continue to have a healthy bank balance with £7,740 in the Accounts as at 31 March 2012, and overall assets of £27,110 including the investment in the UST Combined Charitable Income Fund.

The most significant item of expenditure was a payment of £6,800 towards the purchase of individual sets of medals that had been awarded to a grandfather, father and son, from the same family, who had served in the Regiment. The cost was partially offset by a donation of £3,000 from the Queen's Own Buffs Association.

Alternatives Considered and Why Rejected

There is no alternative action as the Trust is required to submit its Accounts to the Charity Commission.

Background Papers

None.

Should you be concerned about this decision and wish to call it in, please submit a call in form signed by any two Non-Executive Members to the Head of Change and Scrutiny by: **17 January 2013.**