



Subject:	Motion – EuroPride
Date:	20th September, 2019
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1.0	Purpose of Report/Summary of Main Issues
1.1	To consider a motion on EuroPride, which was referred to the Committee by the Council at its meeting on 2nd September.
2.0	Recommendation
2.1	The Committee is requested to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Consider the motion and agree whether this is something the Committee, in principle, wishes the Council to bid for. If so officers will bring a report back.
3.0	Main Report
3.1	At the Council meeting on 2nd September, the following motion was proposed by Councillor S. Baker and seconded by Councillor McAteer: “This Council recognises the significant impact that Belfast Pride has on our City. It makes our City a more diverse and welcoming city for all.”

3.2	<p>We also recognise the economic impact that Belfast Pride creates within the city, generating income for business and creating employment.</p> <p>This Council will task our officers to work with Belfast Pride and assist in their bid to bring EuroPride to our City.</p> <p>EuroPride will have a huge economic and social impact to Belfast and showcase to the world on how progressive and open our City is.”</p> <p>In accordance with Standing Order 13(f), the motion was referred without debate to the Strategic Policy and Resources Committee.</p> <p><u>Financial and Resource Implications</u></p> <p>None</p>
3.3	<p><u>Equality or Good Relations Implications/Rural Needs Assessment</u></p> <p>None</p>
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4.0	Appendices - Documents Attached
	None