

**APPROVAL FOR AD HOC FOREIGN VISITS MADE BY
OFFICERS**

Name of Officer(s) travelling:

**Roger Bullen, Head of Partnership and
Business Support**

Details of the visit (incl. dates):

Giving overview of Essex's innovative work on Social Impact Investment and Social Impact Bonds. Trip to Bucharest to present to the EPODE International Conference on Childhood Obesity on 16 October at the request of Cllr David Finch.

Estimated cost of the visit: £ 0.00

Rationale for the estimated cost: Cost being met by conference organisers

* Please note you will need to demonstrate that in accordance with the Officers' Expenses Scheme three quotes have been obtained before booking foreign hotels.

Purpose of the visit and anticipated value to the County Council:

Reputation benefits, networking opportunities and exploring possible opportunity funded work in Essex on Child Obesity.

Endorsed by:

Executive Director / Chief Executive / Monitoring Officer and Executive Director for Finance*

Comments of the Endorser

David Finch

24-9-13

Comments of the Chief Executive

Comments of the Section 151 Officer

Approved

Maguel Lee

24/9/13