

Access to Funds

An opportunity to have your say



WHY WOULD I OBJECT?

Objections must be put in writing and sent to the office of the Public Guardian, Hadrian House, Callendar Business Park, Callendar Road, Falkirk FK1 1XR.

The Public Guardian is required to give notification of the application to the adult, his or her nearest relative, primary carer, named person, if applicable, and anyone else who it is considered to have an interest. Those notified have the right to object to the application.

There are a number of reasons why you might object. Perhaps you think the individual who has applied is not a suitable person or you know that the adult is capable of managing his or her own financial affairs. Perhaps there is another less intrusive way of managing the adult's money or you might consider that the arrangements already in place meet the adult's needs satisfactorily. You may also be aware of the adult's past or present wishes about how their finances are managed and want them to be taken into consideration by the Public Guardian.

WHAT DO I DO IF I WISH TO RAISE AN OBJECTION?

All objections must be put in writing. You should give as much information as you are able and, where possible, enclose any relevant supporting documentation. Objections must be received at this office within 21 days from the date of the letter that accompanies the copy of the application. Further guidance will be issued upon receipt of any objections.