



BARNLSLEY
Metropolitan Borough Council

BARNLSLEY METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL

FORWARD PLAN OF KEY DECISIONS

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**COVERING DECISIONS TO BE TAKEN:
20 October 2021 to 17 November 2021**

The Council is required to give 28 days' notice of any Key Decisions it proposes to take. This document lists the Key Decisions which Barnsley's Cabinet is likely to take over the next three months.

The Council has approved the following definition of a Key Decision:-

- Any decision which would be made by Full Council on recommendations from Cabinet to approve or change the Council's budget or Council Policy.

Or

- Any decision which would mean an income, spending or savings of £500,000 or more within one financial year. This does not include:
 - A decision which is a result of implementing a previous Key Decision;
 - A speculative bid for funding where a report would be made on the detail of a scheme if the bid was successful;
 - Spending on day to day services – for example supplies or energy bills.

Or

- Any decision which would have a significant impact, either positive or negative on people living or working in more than two Wards.

Barnsley MBC's Constitution requires all Key Decisions to be taken by the Cabinet, or by the Full Council following submission of a Cabinet recommendation.

These reports will generally be available to the public on the Council's website at www.barnsley.gov.uk five clear days in advance of the meeting. In a limited number of circumstances, reports may contain confidential information, but a public summary may be provided on request.

The Council is also required to give at least 28 days' notice of any private meetings of the Cabinet or its sub-committees and details of any such item are included within this document. This is to allow any interested party to make representations that the meeting should be held in public. Representations as to why these matters should be considered in public should be made in writing to the Executive Director at governance@barnsley.gov.uk no later than 5 clear working days before the meeting date indicated in the Forward Plan.

Cabinet is comprised of the following Elected Members:-

Councillor	Portfolio	Directorate
Councillor Sir Steve Houghton	Chairman/Leader	
Councillor Jim Andrews	Deputy Leader	Public Health
Councillor Sharon Howard	Without Portfolio	
Councillor Trevor Cave	Children's	Children's Services
Councillor Jenny Platts	Adults and Communities	Adults and Communities
Councillor Alan Gardiner	Core Services	Core Services
Councillor Chris Lamb	Environment and Transportation	Place
Councillor Tim Cheetham	Regeneration and Culture	Place

CABINET DATE	REPORT TITLE	DECISION AND FURTHER INFORMATION	EXEMPT INFORMATION Local Gov Act 1972 Schedule 12A Part 1 Paragraph:	CONSULTATION/ ENGAGEMENT	DIRECTORATE
22 September 2021	Selective Voluntary Early Retirement and Voluntary Severance Schemes	Approval in respect of amendments to Scheme criteria. Full Council – 30 September 2021			Core Services Directorate
22 September 2021	Goldthorpe Masterplan Framework (Round 2 Adoption)	To seek approval to adopt the Goldthorpe Masterplan Framework (Local Plan Site ES10). Full Council – 30 September 2021		6 week public consultation undertaken 25 January – 8 March 2021. Results of the consultation will be discussed within the report and incorporated in the final masterplan framework document.	Place Directorate

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06 October 2021	Dedicated Schools Grant (High Needs Block): Management Action Plan (2021-2025)	To enable Cabinet to consider and endorse the Management Action Plan to be submitted to the DfE, outlining the Local Authority's proposals for addressing the cost pressures caused by rising demand for SEND school places and to bring expenditure within the High Needs Block within budget.		The Senior Management Team and the Barnsley Schools Forum have been consulted on this matter.	Children's Services Directorate
06 October 2021	BMBC Landlord Accreditation Scheme	Approval to implement a new landlord accreditation offer and to procure LocalPad.		Consultation has been undertaken with local landlords and the BRLA.	Place Directorate

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06 October 2021	Laithes Lane Housing Development	Approval to enter into contract with our preferred contractor to deliver 7 new council bungalows.	3 Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)	Consultation has been undertaken with the local community and members both at design and planning stage.	Place Directorate
06 October 2021	Principal Towns Investment Programme	Cabinet agrees to the concept of developing and associated consultation on the proposed Principal Town's Investment programme. Cabinet agrees the approaches for developing the priorities for Local Centres inclusive of associated engagement leading to the development of a local centre investment plan. That Cabinet notes that a further report will be provided in relation to the formal adoption of investment plans inclusive of a supporting funding strategy.		Initial consultation will be held with Elected Members/Ward Alliances with wider community consultation being undertaken throughout the project.	Place Directorate

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06 October 2021	Barnsley Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2021-2030	To seek approval and sign off for Barnsley's refreshed, joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy.		Consultation undertaken internally within BMBC and externally with Partners on the Health and Wellbeing Board. Resident's views have been considered through the 'Day in the Life of' survey and other engagement activity including Children and Young People's Emotional Health and Wellbeing Survey and the Barnsley 2030 consultation.	Public Health Directorate

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20 October 2021	Conversion and refurbishment to create market rent apartments at 1- 9 Beckett Court, Berneslai Close	To request approval to proceed with a market rent housing development.	3 Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)		Place Directorate
20 October 2021	Goldthorpe Market Street Phase 1	To request approval to proceed with a new council housing development (funding streams TBC; Brownfield Funding from SCR, S106 monies and Towns Deal funding) at the former market site, Market Street, Goldthorpe.	3 Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)		Place Directorate

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20 October 2021	Overdale Avenue, Worsborough Housing Development	To request approval to proceed with a new council housing development funded by S106 monies at Overdale, Worsborough.	3 Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)		Place Directorate
20 October 2021	South Yorkshire Mayoral Combined Authority (SYMCA) Electric Vehicle (EV) Programme 2021/22	To accept funding from South Yorkshire Mayoral Combined Authority (SYMCA). To act as Lead Buyer and procure supplier for all delivery partners on behalf of SYMCA to deliver programme and to enter into contract with appointed supplier to deliver BMBC part of programme.			Place Directorate

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03 November 2021	Billingley View Housing Development Tender Award	To request approval to proceed with a new council housing development of 16 new affordable homes at Billingley View, Bolton Upon Dearne.	3 Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)		Place Directorate
03 November 2021	Carlton Masterplan (Round 2 Adoption)	To seek approval to adopt the Carlton Masterplan Framework (Local Plan Sites MU2/MU3). Full Council – 25 November 2021		6 week public consultation planned (subject to Cabinet approval) June-July 2021.	Place Directorate

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03 November 2021	Planning and Regulatory Board Scheme of Delegation	To approve an update to the Scheme of Delegation. Full Council – 25 November 2021		No external consultation or engagement activity. Internal consultation limited to Chair of PRB, Leader of the Council and Portfolio Holder.	Place Directorate

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17 November 2021	Carers Strategic Review - New Carers Strategy and Barnsley Carers Service Re-tender	As part of the strategic review, comprehensive consultation and engagement activity has taken place with a range of stakeholders including both internal and external key partners, practitioners, carers and their families which also includes a public carers survey.		As part of the strategic review comprehensive consultation and engagement activity has taken place with the following stakeholders:- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key partners including, CCG, Primary Care, SWYFT, BHNFT, DWP. • Key BMBC internal partners. • Practitioners working in health, social care, DWP and voluntary sector agencies/services. • Equality Forums and 	Adults and Communities Directorate

				<p>other service user groups.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practitioners working in current services. • Both Adult and Young Carers who have accessed or currently accessing support. • Public Carers Survey - Market engagement event – potential providers. 	
17 November 2021	Annual Review of the Sufficiency Strategy for Early Years and Child Care Provision in the Borough	To enable Cabinet to consider the outcomes of the Review and any action considered to ensure sufficient early years places are available to meet the needs of young children in the Borough.			Children's Services Directorate

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17 November 2021	Taxi and Private Hire Licensing Policy Consultation 2021	<p>To consider the responses and approve the draft Taxi and Private Hire Licensing Policy 2021 following the consultation.</p> <p>Full Council – 25 November 2021</p>		<p>The taxi and private hire licensing policy went out to consultation on the 25th June for 10 weeks. It was shared with the following: The Police; Elected members; The Local Safeguarding Board; Taxi and private hire licence holders (or their representatives); Representatives of local businesses and residents' organisations; Public transport providers; Local Chamber of Commerce/BID; Local Authority Testing Stations;</p>	Core Services Directorate

Taxi Conversion Companies; Home to School Transport; Local Pubwatch Groups; the public; Public Health; and Minority Groups.

The consultation was also advertised in the local press, made available in all of our libraries and public notices were displayed at Westgate Plaza One and the Town Hall notice board.

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17 November 2021	A635 Quality Bus Corridor Scheme; Bus Rapid Transit (BRT)	<p>Approves BMBC taking over as Lead Authority from the SYPTE and the acceptance of future funding from Sheffield City Region to contribute towards the development of TCF programme business cases.</p> <p>Authorises the continued development of the individual Work Packages and progression of the scheme to ensure that all external grant funding is secured, whilst ensuring that the overall aims and objectives of the scheme are achieved.</p>			Place Directorate

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17 November 2021	New Foot and Cycle Bridge: Award of Contract	Approval to award contract for the new foot and cycle bridge presenting the financial implications and proposed funding solutions.	3 Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)	<p>Public and stakeholder consultation has taken place as part of the approved planning application 2020/1038.</p> <p>Consultation has taken place with representatives of Core Services and Place Directorate regarding the financial implications, asset management and risk management issues.</p> <p>Consultation has taken place with representatives of Communities Directorate, Core Services</p>	Place Directorate

				Directorate and Place Directorate regarding the linking of the two greenspaces.	
01 December 2021	Future and Relocation of Grimethorpe Community Farm at Milefield Primary School	The report is to bring to the attention of Cabinet a difficult issue concerning the future of the Grimethorpe Community Farm (GCF) and the fact that it will have to either relocate or close at the expiry of the current 2-year underlease.	3 Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)		Place Directorate