



BARNLSLEY
Metropolitan Borough Council

BARNLSLEY METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL

FORWARD PLAN OF KEY DECISIONS

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COVERING DECISIONS TO BE TAKEN:

27 June 2022 to 21 September 2022

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 Chris Lamb	Deputy Leader	
Councillor Sharon Howard	Without Portfolio	
Councillor Trevor Cave	Children's	Children's Services
Councillor Alan Gardiner	Core Services	Core Services
Councillor James Higginbottom	Environment and Highways	Place
Councillor Robert Frost	Regeneration and Culture	Place
Councillor Jenny Platts	Place, Health and Adult Social Care	Adults and Communities
Councillor Caroline Makinson	Public Health and Communities	Public Health

27 June 2022	<p>Domestic Abuse Strategic Review – Business Case, Recommendations for Service Recommission and Domestic Abuse Strategy</p>	<p>Following the extension of the current contract for the provision of Domestic Abuse Services in Barnsley, Healthier Communities have undertaken a strategic review of the service delivered, informed by our local needs assessment.</p> <p>Findings from the strategic review and local needs assessment have been used to develop a new Domestic Abuse Strategy and identify the key priorities in how we can tackle Domestic Abuse across the borough. The Business Case for the service recommission has also been informed by the local needs</p>		<p>As part of the strategic review, comprehensive consultation and engagement activity has taken place with the following stakeholders:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key partners including, IDAS and SYP • Key BMBC internal partners including practitioners 	<p>Adults and Communities Directorate</p>
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		<p>assessment, and takes into consideration the requirements of the Domestic Abuse Act 2021.</p> <p>The report seeks:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Approval of the new Domestic Abuse Strategy 2022 – 2027 for Barnsley. • Approval of the recommendations for the recommission of the Domestic Abuse Service. • Approval of any significant changes as part of the commissioning of the new service. • Agree the recommendation that the new contract duration is for 5 years, plus 1, plus 1. 		<p>working in ASC, CSC, Housing Options, Equalities and Inclusion, and Communications.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Relevant Cabinet members. • Understanding Domestic Abuse Survey, conducted as part of the local Needs Assessment 	
27 June 2022	Adoption of updated Affordable Housing and Sustainable Travel SPD's	<p>The report seeks authority to adopt the two updated SPD's following consultation.</p> <p>Full Council – 28 July 2022</p>		<p>Public consultation took place 29th November 2021 and 5th January, 2022.</p>	Place Directorate

27 June 2022	Extension to Property Repairs Improvement Program (PRIP) Contract	Authority to extend the existing PRIP Contract by 9 months.			Place Directorate
13 July 2022	Review and Refresh of the Education Improvement and Inclusion Strategy (2022-25)	To inform Cabinet of the objectives of the refreshed Strategy within the overall vision for the Borough as a place of possibilities.		Consultation has been taking place with the Board and other representatives of the Barnsley Alliance for Schools, together with children, young people and families.	Children's Services Directorate
13 July 2022	Urbed Town Centre Urban Design and Sustainability Strategy Adoption	The report seeks authority to adopt the final strategy document. Full Council – 28 July 2022		Public consultation took place 27th July to 30th September 2021.	Place Directorate
27 July 2022	Proposed Fee Increases for Care Provision 2022/23	Notification of annual fee increases for care provision.			Adults and Communities Directorate
27 July 2022	Local Authority Directly Managed Children's Home: Progress Report	To seek Cabinet's agreement to the procurement of a property identified as being suitable for the above purpose.	2, 3 Information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual. Information	To be arranged. Briefing to be held for local Ward Members and the Cabinet Spokesperson's	Children's Services Directorate

			relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)	(Children's Services) and (Regeneration and Culture) on the proposal and if local Ward Members would recommend a public consultation on the proposal prior to its submission to SMT and Cabinet.	
27 July 2022	Commuted Sums Policy	To approve the proposed Commuted Sum Policy.		Internal consultation with key teams.	Place Directorate
27 July 2022	Fuel Cost Crisis: BMBC Position and Action Plan	Report updating on fuel cost increases and mitigation plan 2022/23.		Consultation with BMBC, Legal, Procurement, Finance and utility companies via YPO.	Place Directorate
27 July 2022	Property Investment Fund 3 Scheme Approval	Approval is needed to progress supported schemes.	3 Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)	PIF 3 launched December 2021.	Place Directorate
27 July 2022	Proposed New Lease of	To seek approval for the	3 Information	An online	Place Directorate

	the former Co-op Store, King Street, Hoyland	proposed new sub-letting of the former Co-op store, King Street, Hoyland.	relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)	community consultation in early 2022 received 244 responses. Almost half of all respondents ranked renovation and recycling of existing buildings as the most important element to Hoyland's economic growth. Briefings held with local Ward Members and Cabinet Spokesperson (Regeneration and Culture). Further consultation with local businesses is taking place in June 2022.	
27 July 2022	Response to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee Task and Finish Group Report on Air Quality and Carbon Reduction				Place Directorate

17 August 2022	Recommissioning of Multiple Needs Service for Individuals aged 16-24 years	Approval required to recommission the service for people aged 16-24 years with multiple support needs.		Consultation undertaken by an external research company.	Adults and Communities Directorate
17 August 2022	Management of Household Waste Recycling Centres (HWRC)	To procure a new HWRC Contract.		Public consultation 6 June until the 31 July 2022. Market engagement during June and July 2022.	Place Directorate
17 August 2022	Draft Borough Children in Care and Care Leavers Strategy (2022-25)	As part of our enduring commitment to improving the range of outcomes for children in care and young people leaving care and in anticipation of changes in national policy through the independent review, to present the first Children in Care and Care Leavers Strategy for approval and adoption by Full Council.		Consultation will take place with children and young people in care and care leavers, including via the Corporate Parenting Panel and Care4Us Council, together with SMT on the development of the Strategy.	Children's Services Directorate
07 September 2022	Draft Borough Special Educational Needs Self-Evaluation Framework	To present for Cabinet's adoption and approval the proposed self-evaluation framework for the continued improvement of services for children and young people with SEND in the Borough.		Consultation will take place with children and young people with SEND, together with their families, local statutory partners and SMT on the development of the	Children's Services Directorate

				draft framework.	
07 September 2022	Draft SEND School Placement and Sufficiency Strategy (2022-25)	To consider for approval and adoption the updated Strategy for commissioning school places for children and young people with SEND.		The draft Strategy has been co-produced with young people, carers' and families. The SEND Oversight Board will also be consulted, together with SMT.	Children's Services Directorate
07 September 2022	Car Parking Strategy Phase 1 Review	To approve decisions made to manage evolving issues within the Phase 1 Implementation and consider the financial performance challenges as we recover from the Covid Pandemic and approve recommendations presented.			Place Directorate
05 October 2022	Barnsley Early Help Strategy for Children, Young People and Families (2022-25)	To present for Cabinet's approval and adoption the Borough's proposed strategy for the targeted support of children and young people in need of early help as part of preventing formal intervention.		Formal consultation will be taking place directly with families and statutory partners on the Barnsley Children and Young People's Trust Executive Group, together with SMT as part of co-producing the	Children's Services Directorate

				Strategy.	
02 November 2022	Barnsley Children and Young People's Plan (2022-25)	To obtain Cabinet's approval and adoption of the refreshed Plan, aimed at improving the range of outcomes for children and young people in the Borough.		Consultation has taken place with children, young people and families as part of the co-production of the draft Strategy, together with representatives of the Barnsley Children and Young People's Trust Executive Group and SMT.	Children's Services Directorate

CABINET DATE	REPORT TITLE	DECISION AND FURTHER INFORMATION	EXEMPT INFORMATION Local Gov Act 1972 Schedule 12A Part 1 Paragraph:	CONSULTATION/ ENGAGEMENT	DIRECTORATE
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