

FORWARD PLAN AND EXEMPT CABINET REPORT LIST

13 APRIL 2016 TO 28 FEBRUARY 2017

The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012 requires the Council to give 28 clear days' notice of any key decision or of any reports which the Cabinet intends to consider in private session.

Key decisions

A key decision is an executive decision (taken by Cabinet or by officers on Cabinet's behalf) that is likely:

- a) To result in the Council spending or saving significantly against the Council's budget; or
- b) To be significant in terms of the effect on communities living or working in the district, in an area comprising two or more wards. However, decisions that impact on communities living or working in one ward will be treated as "key" if the impact is likely to be very significant

To help clarify what should be included as a key decision in this document, Thanet District Council has set the following thresholds:

	Type of Decision	Threshold	Key Decision?
(a)	Decisions involving expenditure within relevant budget approved by Council.	None.	No, unless significant effect on communities (i.e. it affects two or more wards or has a major impact within one ward)
(b)	Decisions involving expenditure in excess of relevant budget approved by Council.	Any excess which exceeds the FPR virement rules.	Yes, if above threshold. If at or below threshold, a key decision if significant effect on communities (as above).
(c)	Decisions on cash flow, investments and borrowings.	None.	No, unless significant effect on communities (as above).
(d)	Decisions to make savings.	None.	No, unless significant effect on communities (as above).

If an executive decision does not fall into any of the above categories, it is included as non-key. Thanet District Council also includes in its published Forward Plan decisions affecting Policy Framework and Budget Setting. Other Council decisions may also be included if they have a significant impact on communities. In such cases, the decision type will be denoted as "other".

Reports to be considered in private session

The second last column of the Plan indicates where a report is likely to contain exempt information and result in the public and press being asked to leave the meeting for the consideration of the whole or part of the item.

If you wish to make any representations relating to a proposal to hold part of a meeting in private due to the potential disclosure of exempt information, please contact Nicholas Hughes, Democratic Services Manager, PO Box 9, Cecil Street, Margate, Kent CT9 1XZ, Nicholas.hughes@thanet.gov.uk, telephone number 01843 577208, at least 14 calendar days before the date of that meeting.

At least 5 clear (working) days before the meeting, the Council will publish on its website a notice giving details of representations received about why the meeting should be open to the public and a statement of its response.

The Plan represents a snapshot of decisions in the system as at the date of publication. It is updated 28 clear days before each meeting of Cabinet. The Plan is available for inspection at all reasonable hours free of charge at Thanet Gateway Plus, Cecil Street, Margate, Kent CT9 1RE.

Availability of documents

Subject to any prohibition or restriction on their disclosure, copies of, or extracts from, any document listed in the Plan will be available from Thanet Gateway Plus, Cecil Street, Margate, Kent CT 9 1RE. Other documents relevant to those matters may be submitted to the decision makers; if that is the case, details of the documents as they become available can be requested by telephoning Democratic Services on 01843 577500 or by emailing committee@thanet.gov.uk.

The documents listed in the Plan will be published on the Council's website at least five clear (working) days before the decision date. Other documents will be published at the same time or as soon as they become available.

The Cabinet comprises the following Members who have responsibility for the portfolio areas shown:

Councillor Chris Wells Leader of the Council

Councillor Lin Fairbrass Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Community Services

Councillor Derek Crow-Brown Cabinet Member for Corporate Governance

Councillor John Townend Cabinet Member for Financial Services and Estates

Councillor Suzanne Brimm Cabinet Member for Operational Services

Councillor Hunter Stummer-Schmertzing Cabinet Member for Regeneration and Enterprise Services



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Decision to be Considered	What the Decision will mean	1. Decision Path/ 2. Lead Officer	Lead Cabinet Member	For Decision by (in case of O & S, consultation date)	Decision Type	Details of any information likely to be considered in private under Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972	Documents submitted to the Decision Maker
The Smoke and Carbon Monoxide Alarm (England) Regulations 2015	Cabinet to adopt a statement of principles, to determine level of monetary penalties, and to delegate enforcement arrangements.	1.Cabinet 2.Richard Hopkins, Housing Regeneration Team Leader Tel: 01843 577402	Councillor Lin Fairbrass, Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Community Services	16 Jun 16	Non-Key		Cabinet report
Result of the soft market testing exercise for an indemnity partner for a CPO at Manston Airport	Consideration of a formal procurement process if the exercise identifies appropriate interest.	1.Cabinet 2.Tim Howes, Director of Corporate Governance and Monitoring Officer	Councillor Christopher T Wells, Leader of the Council	16 Jun 16	Non-Key		Cabinet report

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Outturn Report Corporate Plan 2012- 2016	Final report on the achievements against the previous Corporate Plan	1.Corporate Performance Review Working Party	Councillor Derek Crow- Brown, Cabinet Member for	Before 16 Jun 16	Non-Key		CPRWP report
		Cabinet	Corporate Governance	16 Jun 16			Cabinet report
		Council 2.Tim Willis, Director of Corporate Resources and S151 Officer	Services	14 Jul 16			Council report
Performance Report Qtr 1	Update on Qtr 1 Performance Report	1.Corporate Performance Review Working Party	Councillor Derek Crow- Brown, Cabinet Member for	Before 30 Jul 16	Non-Key		CPRWP report
		Overview & Scrutiny Panel	Corporate Governance Services	16 Aug 16			OSP report
		Cabinet	Convious	8 Sep 16			Cabinet report
		Council 2.Tim Willis, Director of Corporate Resources and S151 Officer		13 Oct 16			Council report

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Agreement of Council Safeguarding Children and Vulnerable Adults Policy	This ensures that the Council meets it statutory obligations around safeguarding.	1.Cabinet 2.Penny Button, Head of Safer Neighbourhoods	Councillor Lin Fairbrass, Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Community Services	28 Jul 16	Non-Key		Cabinet report

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Updated Air Quality Technical & Planning Guidance 2016	The principle aim of the AQ Technical & Planning Guidance is to coordinate an emission mitigation approach to the improvement of air quality across Thanet. This will enable key issues, including road traffic, transportation and development, to be addressed in an integrated manner and will assist in the promotion of effective Air Quality monitoring, management and education across a broader geographic area. The report seeks Cabinet approval to amend the Air Quality Action Plan to include updated Technical Planning Guidance.	1.Cabinet 2.Amanda Berry	Councillor Lin Fairbrass, Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Community Services	28 Jul 16	Non-Key		Cabinet report

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Publication of pre- Submission draft Local Plan	Formal publication of Council's proposals for the future development plan for	1.Overview & Scrutiny Panel	Councillor Lin Fairbrass,	16 Aug 16	Policy Framework		OSP report
Essair Iair	the district	Cabinet	Deputy Leader of the	8 Sep 16			Cabinet report
		Council 2.Adrian Verrall, Strategic Planning Manager	Council and Cabinet Member for Community Services	13 Oct 16			Council report
Budget Monitoring Qtr1	Update on Qtr 1 Budget Monitoring	1.Cabinet 2.Tim Willis, Director of Corporate Resources and S151 Officer	Councillor John Townend, Cabinet Member for Financial Services and Estates	8 Sep 16	Non-Key		Cabinet report
Outturn 2015/16	Cabinet to review the financial performance of the Council for the year 201/16 and agree movements to reserves.	1.Cabinet 2.Tim Willis, Director of Corporate Resources and S151 Officer	Councillor John Townend, Cabinet Member for Financial Services and Estates	8 Sep 16	Key		Cabinet report

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Budget Strategy 2017/18	Cabinet to agree the budget strategy for 2017/18 budget	1.Overview & Scrutiny Panel	Councillor John Townend,	25 Oct 16	Budget setting		OSP report
		Cabinet 2.Tim Willis, Director of Corporate Resources and S151 Officer	Cabinet Member for Financial Services and Estates	17 Nov 16			Cabinet report
Budget Monitoring Qtr2	Update on Qtr2 Budget Monitoring	1.Cabinet 2.Tim Willis, Director of Corporate Resources and S151 Officer	Councillor John Townend, Cabinet Member for Financial Services and Estates	17 Nov 16	Non-Key		Cabinet report
Agreement of Events Policy	This ensures that the Council has a clear decision making process and charging policy.	1.Overview & Scrutiny Panel Cabinet 2.Suzie Hooper, Events and Community Projects Officer	Councillor Lin Fairbrass, Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Community Services	16 Aug 16 20 Oct 16	Non-Key		OSP report Cabinet report

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Performance Report Qtr 2	Update on Qtr 2 Performance Report	1.Corporate Performance Review Working Party	Councillor Derek Crow- Brown, Cabinet Member for	Before 28 Oct 16	Non-Key		CPRWP report
		Cabinet	Corporate Governance	17 Nov 16			Cabinet report
		Council 2.Tim Willis, Director of Corporate Resources and S151 Officer	Services	1 Dec 16			Council report
Fees and Charges 2017/18	Council to agree the fees and charge 2017/18	1.Overview & Scrutiny Panel	Councillor John Townend,	25 Oct 16	Budget setting		OSP report
		Cabinet	Cabinet Member for	17 Nov 16			Cabinet report
		Council 2.Tim Willis, Director of Corporate Resources and S151 Officer	Financial Services and Estates	1 Dec 16			Council report

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Treasury Management Strategy 2017/18	To agree the Councils Treasury Management Strategy	1.Governance and Audit Committee Cabinet	Councillor John Townend, Cabinet Member for	7 Dec 16	Budget setting		G&A Committee report Cabinet report
		Council 2.Tim Willis, Director of Corporate Resources and S151 Officer	Financial Services and Estates	9 Feb 17			Council report
Budget and Medium financial Plan 2017- 2021	To agree the draft budget 2017-2021	1.Cabinet Overview & Scrutiny Panel Cabinet Council 2.Tim Willis, Director of Corporate Resources and S151 Officer	Councillor John Townend, Cabinet Member for Financial Services and Estates	17 Jan 17 26 Jan 17 31 Jan 17 9 Feb 17	Budget setting		Cabinet report OSP report Cabinet No.2 report Council report

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Mid Year Treasury Report 2016-17	Update on Treasury Performance for Mid year	1.Governance and Audit Committee	Councillor John Townend, Cabinet	7 Dec 16	Non-Key		G&A Committee report
		Cabinet	Member for Financial	17 Jan 17			Cabinet report
		Council 2.Tim Willis, Director of Corporate Resources and S151 Officer	Services and Estates	9 Feb 17			Council report
Budget Monitoring Qtr3	Update on Qtr 3 monitoring	1.Cabinet 2.Tim Willis, Director of Corporate Resources and S151 Officer	Councillor John Townend, Cabinet Member for Financial Services and Estates	31 Jan 17	Non-Key		Cabinet report
Performance Report Qtr3	Update on Qtr3 monitoring	1.Corporate Performance Review Working Party	Councillor Derek Crow- Brown, Cabinet Member for	Before 13 Jan 17	Non-Key		CPRWP report
		Cabinet Council	Corporate Governance Services	31 Jan 17			Cabinet report
		2.Tim Willis, Director of Corporate Resources and S151 Officer	COLVICES	23 Feb 17			Council report

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Council Tax Base 2017/18	To agree the Council Tax Base	1.Cabinet 2.Tim Willis, Director of Corporate Resources and S151 Officer	Councillor John Townend, Cabinet Member for Financial Services and Estates	17 Jan 17	Budget setting		Cabinet report
Council Tax - Statutory Resolution	To agree the Statutory Resolution	1.Council 2.Tim Willis, Director of Corporate Resources and S151 Officer	Councillor John Townend, Cabinet Member for Financial Services and Estates	23 Feb 17	Budget setting		Council report

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