

# DEVON COUNTY COUNCIL

## COUNCIL/CABINET FORWARD PLAN

In line with the public's general rights of access to information and the promotion of transparency in the way which decisions are taken by or on behalf of the Council, Devon County Council produces a Forward Plan of any Key Decisions to be taken by the Cabinet and any Framework Decisions to be made by the County Council. The Plan normally covers a period of a minimum of four months from the date of publication and is updated every month.

The County Council has defined key decisions as those which by reason of their strategic, political or financial significance or which will have a significant effect on communities in more than one division are to be made by the Cabinet or a Committee of the Cabinet. Framework Decisions are those decisions, which, in line with Article 4 of the Council's Constitution must be made by the County Council.

The Cabinet will, at every meeting, review its forthcoming business and determine which items are to be defined as key decisions and the date of the meeting at which every such decision is to be made, indicating what documents will be considered and where, in line with legislation, any item may exceptionally be considered in the absence of the press and public. The revised Plan will be published immediately after each meeting. *Where possible the County Council will attempt to keep to the dates shown in the Plan. It is possible that on occasion may need to be rescheduled.* Please ensure therefore that you refer to the most up to date Plan.

An up to date version of the Plan will available for inspection at the Democratic Services & Scrutiny Secretariat in the Office of the County Solicitor at County Hall, Topsham Road, Exeter (Telephone: 01392 382264) between the hours of 9.30am and 4.30am on Mondays to Thursdays and 9.30am and 3.30pm on Fridays, free of charge, or on the County Council's web site, 'Information Devon', (<http://www.devon.gov.uk/dcc/committee/>) at any time.

Copies of Agenda and Reports of the Cabinet or other Committees of the County Council referred to in this Plan area also on the Council's Website at (<http://www.devon.gov.uk/dcc/committee/mingifs.html>)

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All items listed in this Forward Plan will be discussed in public at the relevant meeting, unless otherwise indicated for the reasons shown

Any person who wishes to make representations to the Council/Cabinet about (a) any of the matters proposed for consideration in respect of which a decision is to be made or (b) whether or not they are to be discussed in public or private, as outlined below, may do so in writing, before the designated Date for Decision shown, to The Democratic Services & Scrutiny Secretariat, County Hall, Exeter, EX2 4QD or by email to: [members.services@devon.gov.uk](mailto:members.services@devon.gov.uk)

## PART A - KEY DECISIONS

(To Be made by the Cabinet)

Date of Decision	Matter for Decision	Consultees	Means of Consultation**	Documents to be considered in making decision	County Council Electoral Division(s) affected by matter
	<i>Regular / Annual Matters for Consideration</i>				
11 December 2019	Target Budget for forthcoming year			Report of the County Treasurer outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
14 February 2020	Admission Arrangements and Education Travel Review: Approval to admission arrangements for subsequent academic year			Report of the Head of Education and Learning outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
11 March 2020	Flood Risk Management Action Plan – Update on the current year’s programme and approval of schemes and proposed investment in 2020/21	All other Risk Management Authorities	Liaison through Devon Operational Drainage Group	Report of the Head of Planning, Transportation and Environment outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
8 April 2020	County Road Highway Maintenance Capital Budget Update on current years programmes and approval of schemes and proposed programmes for forthcoming financial year	N/A	N/A	Report of the Chief Officer for Highways, Infrastructure Development and Waste outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions

8 April 2020	County Road Highway Maintenance Revenue Budget and On Street Parking Account Allocation of highway maintenance funding allocated by the Council in the budget for the current/forthcoming financial year	N/A	N/A	Report of the Chief Officer for Highways, Infrastructure Development and Waste outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
8 April 2020	Transport Capital Programme 2019/20: For approval	Public, HoSW LEP\LTB, District Councils, Stakeholders and Delivery Partners.	LTP 2011-2026 consultation, meetings, planning applications and local plan consultation.	Report of the Head of Planning, Transportation and Environment outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
20 May 2020	Approval to Revenue & Capital Outturn, for the preceding financial year	N/A	N/A	Report of the County Treasurer outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
<i>Specific Matters for Consideration</i>					
13 November 2019	Budget Monitoring - Month 6			Report of the County Treasurer outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
11 December 2019	Department for Transport's Safer Roads Fund – Scheme for approval A3123 (North Devon)		N/A at this stage	Report of the Head of Planning, Transportation and Environment outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	Combe Martin Rural; Ilfracombe
11 December 2019	Park and Change facility, nr Exeter Science Park: Scheme and cost estimate approval	Public consultation including statutory consultees; landowners	Consultation via Reserved Matters planning application, which was submitted to and approved by East Devon District Council on 16 October 2018	Report of the Head of Planning, Transportation and Environment outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	Broadclyst

11 December 2019	NHS Long Term Plan	TBC	TBC	Report of the Joint Associate Director of Commissioning outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
11 December 2019	Exeter Science Park - Financial Guarantee <i>(This matter will be considered in Part 2, on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 3 of Schedule 12A of the Act namely, the financial or business affairs of a third party and of the County Council)</i>			Report of the County Treasurer, Chief Officer for Communities, Public Health, Environment and Prosperity outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
11 December 2019	The Provision of Healthwatch and Local Engagement in the County of Devon.			Report of the Joint Associate Director of Commissioning, PA to Tim Golby, Head of Adult Commissioning and Health outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
11 December 2019	Accommodation Strategy			Report of the Joint Associate Director of Commissioning outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
8 January 2020	Budget Monitoring - Month 8			Report of the County Treasurer outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
8 January 2020	Housing Infrastructure Fund Scheme: Proposed link road, cycleway and bridge, A379 roundabout opposite the Sainsbury's to Secmaton Lane, Dawlish	Statutory and Public	Undertaken as part of the Local Plan and Planning Application, a new planning application will be submitted for the bridge	Report of the Head of Planning, Transportation and Environment outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	Dawlish
8 January 2020	Adult Services Market Position Statement			Report of the Joint Associate Director of Commissioning outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
11 March 2020	Budget Monitoring - Month 10			Report of the County Treasurer outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions

11 March 2020	Award of Street Lighting Contract 2020 to 2030 <i>This matter will be considered in Part 2, on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 3 of Schedule 12A of the Act namely, the financial or business affairs of a third party and of the County Council.</i>	N/A	N/A	Report of the Chief Officer for Highways, Infrastructure Development and Waste outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
8 April 2020	Exeter Transport Strategy 2020-2030: For approval	Public Consultation	Online Public Consultation – including Strategy Document, Leaflet, Evidence Base and Online Questionnaire Meetings with key stakeholders	Report of the Head of Planning, Transportation and Environment outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All in Exeter

**PART B - FRAMEWORK DECISIONS**

(Requiring approval of the County Council)

Date of Decision	Matter for Decision	Consultees	Means of Consultation**	Documents to be considered in making decision	County Council Electoral Division(s) affected by matter
9 October 2019  5 December 2019	Climate Change: Devon County Council's Updated Energy and Carbon Strategy	Internal Stakeholders	Various Meetings	Report of the Head of Planning, Transportation and Environment outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
9 October 2019  5 December 2019	Heart of the South West Joint Committee Governance Arrangements			Report of the Chief Executive outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
14 February 2020	Revenue Budget, Medium Term Financial Strategy 2020/2021 - 2023/2024 and the Capital Programme for 2020/2021 - 2024/2025		Scrutiny Committees Budget Consultation Meetings Leader Roadshows	Report of the County Treasurer outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
22 January 2020  25 February 2020	Pay Policy Statement To approve the pay policy statement for the forthcoming year.	Appointments and Remuneration Committee		Report of the County Solicitor, outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions

## PART C - OTHER MATTERS

(i.e. Neither Key Nor Framework Decisions)

Date of Decision	Matter for Decision	Consultees	Means of Consultation**	Documents to be considered in making decision	County Council Electoral Division(s) affected by matter
	<i>Regular / Annual Matters for Consideration</i>				
Between 13 November 2019 and 31 December 2020	Standing Items, as necessary (Minutes, References from Committees, Notices of Motion and Registers of Delegated or Urgent Decisions)	As necessary		Report of the outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
Between 13 November 2019 and 1 May 2021  Between 13 November 2019 and 1 May 2021	Standing items on the future management, occupation, use and improvement of individual holdings and the estate, monitoring the delivery of the Budget & the Estate Useable Capital Receipts Reserve in line with the approved policy and budget framework <i>[NB: Items relating to the letting or occupancy of individual holdings may contain information about, or which is likely to reveal the identity of, an applicant for a holding and about the financial and business affairs of the Council and any prospective or existing tenant that may need to be discussed in the absence of the press and public]</i>	To be considered at the Farms Estates Committee, including any advice of the Council's Agents NPS South West Ltd		Report of the County Treasurer, Head of Digital Transformation and Business Support outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
11 December 2019	Treasury Management Mid Year Report	CIRS Scrutiny		Report of the County Treasurer outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
8 January 2020	Devon Safeguarding Adults Board Annual Report To receive the annual report	N/A	N/A	Report of the Democratic Services and Scrutiny Manager outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions

11 March 2020	Public Health Annual Report for 2019/20 To receive the Report of the Director of Public Health who has a statutory duty to write an annual report, and the local authority publish it (section 73B [5] & [6] of the 2006 NHS Act, inserted by section 31 of the 2012 Health and Social Care Act).	N/A	N/A	Report of the Chief Officer for Communities, Public Health, Environment and Prosperity outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
8 July 2020	Treasury Management Stewardship Outturn Report	Corporate Infrastructure and Regulatory Services Scrutiny Committee	n/a	Report of the County Treasurer outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
9 September 2020	Annual Childcare Sufficiency Report: Endorsement of Annual report Outlining how the Council is meeting its statutory duty to secure sufficient early years and childcare places and identifying challenges and actions for the coming year in relation	TBC	TBC	Report of the Head of Education and Learning outlining all relevant considerations, information and material including any equality and / or impact assessments, as necessary.	All Divisions
<i>Specific Matters for Consideration</i>					