

## EAST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL'S FORWARD PLAN

The Leader of the County Council is required to publish a forward plan setting out matters which the Leader believes will be the subject of a key decision by the Cabinet, individual Cabinet member or officer in the period covered by the Plan (the subsequent four months). The Council's Constitution states that a key decision is one that involves

- (a) expenditure which is, or the making of savings which are, significant having regard to the expenditure of the County Council's budget, namely above £500,000 per annum; or
- (b) is significant in terms of its effects on communities living or working in an area comprising two or more electoral divisions.

As a matter of good practice, the Council's Forward Plan includes other items in addition to key decisions that are to be considered by the Cabinet/individual members. This additional information is provided to inform local residents of all matters to be considered, with the exception of issues which are dealt with under the urgency provisions. Only key decisions to be taken by officers are included.

For each decision included on the Plan the following information is provided:

- the name of the individual or body that is to make the decision and the date of the meeting or relevant time period for an officer decision
- the title of the report and decision to be considered
- groups that will be consulted prior to the decision being taken
- a list of documents that will be considered when making the decision
- the name and telephone number of the contact officer for each item.

The Plan is updated and published every month on the Council's website two weeks before the start of the period to be covered.

Meetings of the Cabinet/individual members are open to the public (with the exception of discussion regarding reports which contain exempt/confidential information). Copies of agenda and reports for meetings are available on the website in advance of meetings. Key decisions taken by officers will not be taken at a meeting – documents listed can be made available on request to the contact officer, with the exception of those which contain exempt/confidential information.

For further details on the time of meetings and general information about the Plan please contact Andy Cottell at County Hall, St Anne's Crescent, Lewes, BN7 1UE, or telephone 01273 481955 or send an e-mail to [andy.cottell@eastsussex.gov.uk](mailto:andy.cottell@eastsussex.gov.uk). For further detailed information regarding specific issues to be considered by the Cabinet, individual Member or officer please contact the named contact officer for the item concerned.

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For copies of reports or other documents please contact the officer listed on the Plan or phone 01273 335274.

**FORWARD PLAN – EXECUTIVE DECISIONS (including Key Decisions) – 1 April 2022 TO 31 July 2022**

Additional notices in relation to Key Decisions and/or private decisions are available on the [Council's website](#).

Cabinet membership:

- Councillor Keith Glazier - Lead Member for Strategic Management and Economic Development
- Councillor Nick Bennett – Lead Member for Resources and Climate Change
- Councillor Rupert Simmons – Lead Member for Economy
- Councillor Claire Dowling – Lead Member for Transport and Environment
- Councillor Carl Maynard – Lead Member for Adult Social Care and Health
- Councillor Bob Bowdler – Lead Member for Children and Families
- Councillor Bob Standley – Lead Member for Education and Inclusion, Special Educational Needs and Disability

Date for Decision	Decision Taker	Decision/Key Issue	Decision to be taken wholly or partly in private (P) or Key Decision (KD)	Consultation	List of Documents to be submitted to decision maker	Contact Officer
11 Apr 2022	Lead Member for Transport and Environment	Polegate High Street Movement and Access Improvements and 20mph scheme To consider responses for the stakeholder and public consultation exercises on the proposals to improve movement and access on Polegate High Street, including the introduction of a 20mph speed limit, To seek approval to progress the Polegate High Street scheme to detailed design and construction.			Report, other documents may also be submitted	Nicholas Mitchell 01273 336627
19 Apr 2022	Cabinet	External Audit Plan 2021/22			Report, other	Ian Gutsell

			<i>KD</i>		documents may also be submitted	01273 481399
19 Apr 2022	Cabinet	Internal Audit Strategy and Plan 2022/23	<i>KD</i>		Report, other documents may also be submitted	Russell Banks 01273 481447
19 Apr 2022	Cabinet	NHS Health and Care Bill To update Cabinet on progress with the Sussex Integrated Care System (ICS), and seek Cabinet's agreement to the recommended arrangements for Council representation in accordance with the national proposals to put ICSs on a statutory footing in England by April 2022			Report, other documents may also be submitted	Mark Stainton 01273 481238
19 Apr 2022	Cabinet	Auditor's Annual (VFM) Report on East Sussex County Council 2020/21 Consideration of the Value For Money judgement of the External Auditors	<i>KD</i>		Report, other documents may also be submitted	Ian Gutsell 01273 481399
19 Apr 2022	Cabinet	Ukraine situation To provide Cabinet with an overview of the impacts of the current situation in Ukraine on the County Council and East Sussex more broadly, and the actions being taken by ESCC in conjunction with partner organisations.			Report, other documents may also be submitted	Claire Lee 01273 335517
26 Apr 2022	Lead Member for Education and Inclusion, Special Educational Needs	Proposed Specialist Facility at All Saints CE Primary School, Bexhill - final decision on proposal To seek Lead Member approval to establish			Report, other documents may also be submitted	Gary Langford 01273 481758

	and Disability	a specialist facility at All Saints CE Primary School, Bexhill.				
26 Apr 2022	Lead Member for Education and Inclusion, Special Educational Needs and Disability	Household Support Fund To consider a scheme to implement and distribute Household Support Grant funding recently received from the Government	<i>KD</i>		Report, other documents may also be submitted	Jessica Stubbings 01323 463537
28 Apr 2022	Lead Member for Resources and Climate Change	Ashdown Forest Parking Charges Ashdown Forest Conservators approved the introduction of car parking charges at their recent Board meeting. Under the Act they are now required to seek the approval of the charges from ESCC, WDC, the AA and the RAC			Report, other documents may also be submitted	Karl Taylor 01273 482207
28 Apr 2022	Lead Member for Resources and Climate Change	The future of Ringmer Swimming Pool - next steps To review options and agree next steps for the future of Ringmer Swimming Pool	P		Report, other documents may also be submitted	Nigel Brown 07394 410630
5 May 2022	Lead Member for Adult Social Care and Health	Household Support Fund To consider a scheme to implement and distribute Household Support Grant funding recently received from the Government	<i>KD</i>		Report, other documents may also be submitted	Paul Rideout 01273 482911
19 May 2022	Lead Member for Resources and Climate Change	Approval of a lease for business space accommodation for the Communities, Economy and Transport Department Accommodation to meet the operational need of the Communities, Economy and Transport Department	P <i>KD</i>		Report, other documents may also be submitted	Nigel Brown 07394 410630

24 May 2022	Lead Member for Education and Inclusion, Special Educational Needs and Disability	Post-16 Transport Policy Statement 2022-2023 The Lead Member is recommended to approve the Post-16 Transport Policy Statement for the 2022-23 academic year following the required consultation.	<i>KD</i>		Report, other documents may also be submitted	Ian Crudge 0300 3309472
25 May 2022	Lead Member for Transport and Environment	Camber Road, Camber - Experimental Traffic Order To seek approval to advertise an Experimental Traffic Regulation Order to introduce No Waiting At Anytime parking restrictions on Camber Road, Camber. To assist with traffic flow and access to the village by deterring parking on verges.		Councillor Keith Glazier local ESCC councillor for Rye, Sussex Police, South East Coast Ambulance Service, Rother District Council and Camber Parish Council.	Report, other documents may also be submitted	Daniel Clarke 01323 464057
25 May 2022	Lead Member for Transport and Environment	Petition to reduce the speed limit on the A22 from Cackle Street to Lampool roundabout To determine the response to the petition to reduce the speed limit to 40mph on the A22 between Cackle Street and Lampool roundabout			Report, other documents may also be submitted	Michael Higgs 01273 482106
7 Jun 2022	Cabinet	Conservators of Ashdown Forest Budget 2021/22 To approve the draft Conservators of Ashdown Forest budget for the financial year 2021/22 and to consider the	<i>KD</i>		Report, other documents may also be submitted	Ian Gutsell 01273 481399

		contribution from the Trust Fund.				
13 Jun 2022	Lead Member for Transport and Environment	Petition to extend the 40mph speed limit on the A2100 London Road, Battle To consider the petition calling on the County Council to extend the 40mph speed limit beyond that being proposed for the new Lillybank development to a suitable location north of Canadia Road. The limit is being extended as part of a Section 106 Agreement for the Millwood Homes development (Lillybank Farm), and an extension north of Canadia Road will help protect vulnerable residents from the excessive speeding frequently endangering lives			Report, other documents may also be submitted	Brian Banks 01424 724558
13 Jun 2022	Lead Member for Transport and Environment	Petition - to consider the road safety issues raised on the A26 Eridge Green Petition to consider a request to slow down vehicles exceeding the existing 40mph speed limit, introduction of safe crossing facilities and improvements for other users on the A26 Eridge Green			Report, other documents may also be submitted	Jo Reed 01273 482951
13 Jun 2022	Lead Member for Transport and Environment	Notice of Motion - discharge of untreated wastewater by Southern Water To consider the Notice of Motion proposed by Councillor Field and seconded by Councillor Lambert			Report, other documents may also be submitted	Nick Claxton 01273 481407
27 Jun 2022	Cabinet	Ashdown Forest Trust Fund 2021/22 To consider the Ashdown Forest Trust			Report, other documents may	Ian Gutsell 01273 481399

		Income and Expenditure Account band Balance Sheet 2021/22			also be submitted	
27 Jun 2022	Cabinet	Council Monitoring: Quarter 4 2021/22 - Year End To consider the Council Monitoring report for the fourth quarter of 2021/22 as part of the Council's Reconciling Policy, Performance and Resources budget monitoring process.			Report, other documents may also be submitted	Victoria Beard 07894 708914
27 Jun 2022	Cabinet	Reconciling Policy, Performance and Resources - State of the County To consider the State of the County report and begin the Reconciling Policy, Performance and Resources process for 2023/24 and beyond	<i>KD</i>		Report, other documents may also be submitted	Claire Lee 01273 335517