

Buckinghamshire Council Cabinet/Leader forward plan

The local authorities (executive arrangements) (meetings and access to information) (England) regulations 2012

This is a notice of an intention to make a key decision on behalf of Buckinghamshire Council (regulation 9) and an intention to meet in private to consider those items marked as 'private reports' (regulation 5).

A further notice (the 'agenda') will be published no less than five working days before the date of the decision meeting and will be available via the Buckinghamshire Council website (<u>Cabinet agendas</u> / <u>Leader decisions</u>).

All reports will be open unless specified otherwise.

Item and description	Wards affected	Councillor(s) / contact officer	Private report? (relevant para)	Date notified
Cabinet 4 January 2024				
Council Tax Base 2024-25 To set Buckinghamshire Council's Council Tax Base for the		Councillor Martin Tett		6/11/23
following financial year		Dave Skinner		

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Buckinghamshire Area Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) Update This report provides (a) a progress update on the SEND Improvement Programme since inspection; (b) an overview of current challenges across the system and the evolving strategic plans to address these and; (c) a brief overview of the new area SEND Inspection Framework and outcomes to date.		Councillor Anita Cranmer John Macilwraith	Part exempt (para 2)	10/11/23
Devolution Special Expenses To agree the proposed offer and Heads of Terms for the Devolution of three sites under long term leases to Aylesbury Town Council	Aylesbury East; Aylesbury North; Aylesbury North West; Aylesbury South East; Aylesbury South West; Aylesbury West	Councillor Arif Hussain David Aimson		6/11/23
Draft Revenue budget and Capital Programme To agree the draft budget		Councillor Martin Tett Dave Skinner		6/11/23

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High Wycombe 2050 Transport Strategy and High Wycombe Local Cycling and Walking Infrastructure Plan (LCWIP) To approve the High Wycombe 2050 Transport Strategy and High Wycombe Local Cycling and Walking Infrastructure Plan (LCWIP). The plans provide a long-term strategic approach to future transport investment in the High Wycombe.	Abbey; Booker, Cressex & Castlefield; Downley; Ryemead & Micklefield; Terriers & Amersham Hill; Totteridge & Bowerdean; Tylers Green & Loudwater; West Wycombe	Councillor Steve Broadbent Hannah Joyce		8/8/23
Provision for Looked After Children This report presents a case for Buckinghamshire to develop 10 new in-house children's homes (32 beds) over the next 3 years. These proposals will enable the Council to meet its statutory duties around placement quality and sufficiency for looked after children as well as reducing exposure to financial and legal risks related to the use of unregistered placements.		Councillor Anita Cranmer John Macilwraith	Part exempt (para 3)	10/11/23
Six Monthly Adult Social Care Update To provide Cabinet with an update on the national and local issues relating to adult social care in Buckinghamshire.		Councillor Angela Macpherson Craig McArdle		7/9/23

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Six Monthly Children's Services Update To provide Cabinet with an update on the national and local issues relating to the Children's Services Directorate.		Councillor Anita Cranmer John Macilwraith		6/11/23
Skills and Employment Strategy 2024-2029 The Buckinghamshire Skills and Employment Strategy will bring together the latest analysis, employer vision and the tertiary education providers to ensure that Buckinghamshire's current and future workforce are equipped with the skills to reach their potential, gain meaningful employment and boost productivity.		Councillor Anita Cranmer Elizabeth North		11/10/23
South East Aylesbury Link Road (SEALR) Project Update on the SEALR project	Aston Clinton & Bierton; Aylesbury South East; Wendover, Halton & Stoke Mandeville	Councillor Martin Tett Richard Barker		17/10/23
Woodlands and Delivery of the Eastern Link Road South To explore opportunities for a Joint Venture/Special Purchase vehicle partnership/Sale to bring forward the Woodlands development, including the delivery of the Eastern Link Road (South)	Aston Clinton & Bierton	Councillor Steve Broadbent Steve Bambrick	Part exempt (para 3)	13/12/23

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Adoption of the Shenley Park Supplementary Planning Document Adoption of the Shenley Park SPD, setting out how the housing allocation should be developed for the delivery of least 1,150 new homes.	Winslow	Councillor Peter Strachan Charlotte Morris		23/10/23
Buckinghamshire Healthy Ageing Strategy 2023-28 To approve the Council's Healthy Ageing Strategy 2023-2028. The Healthy Ageing Strategy sets out how the Council and its partners will work to make Buckinghamshire more age friendly, which is a priority in the Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy. This will support Buckinghamshire residents to live healthy, fulfilling, and independent lives for as long as possible, to 'age well'.		Councillor Angela Macpherson Dr Jane O'Grady		23/12/22
Budget Scrutiny 2024 Report To consider the budget scrutiny report from the Budget Scrutiny Inquiry Group.		Councillor Ralph Bagge Chris Ward		27/11/23
Capital and Investment Strategy To recommend the Strategy to Full Council		Councillor John Chilver Mark Preston		27/11/23

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Chilterns Beechwoods Mitigation Strategy Report to consider the recreational disturbance mitigation strategy for Ashridge Commons and Woods	Amersham & Chesham Bois; Aylesbury South East; Chesham; Chess Valley; Chiltern Ridges; Great Missenden; Ivinghoe; Little Chalfont & Amersham Common; Penn Wood & Old Amersham	Councillor Peter Strachan Charlotte Morris		2/10/23
Medium Term Financial Plan 2024/25 to 2026/27 and Capital Programme 2024/25 to 2027/28 For Cabinet to recommend the final budget to Council		Councillor Martin Tett Dave Skinner		27/11/23
Old County Offices, Aylesbury – Disposal Options for the future of the building known as Old County Offices	Aylesbury North	Councillor John Chilver John Reed	Part exempt (para 3)	10/11/23
Parking Strategy To bring forward a Parking Strategy for Buckinghamshire which sets out our vision and ambitions for parking across Buckinghamshire		Councillor Steve Broadbent Kevin Goad		20/12/23

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Procurement of residential Care home Capacity This paper seeks a decision on undertaking a competitive tender for residential care home capacity		Councillor Angela Macpherson	Part exempt (para 3)	13/12/23
, ,		Tracey Ironmonger		
Q3 Budget adjustments to the Capital programme 2023-24 Quarterly report		Councillor John Chilver		27/11/23
		Dave Skinner		
Q3 Budget Monitoring Report 2023-24 Quarterly report		Councillor John Chilver		27/11/23
		Dave Skinner		
Q3 Performance Report 2023-24 Quarterly report		Councillor John Chilver		27/11/23
		Matthew Everitt		
Sale of Land in High Wycombe to Long Leaseholder Sale of land for a premium to facilitate regeneration of the	Chiltern Villages	Councillor John Chilver	Part exempt (para 3)	4/12/23
overall area. This should result in greater economic activity in the area and job creation.		John Reed		
Cabinet 5 March 2024				
Littering Enforcement Strategy - Options Strategy on how to take litter enforcement forward - options		Councillor Gareth Williams	Part exempt (para 3)	7/9/23
paper.		Martin Dickman	(J)	

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Strategic Asset Management Plan A new Strategic Asset Management Plan (2023-2028) to ensure the framework and management of the property portfolio is in line with our requirements now and in the future.		Councillor John Chilver John Reed		29/8/23
Cabinet 9 April 2024				
All-age Autism Strategy To agree the All-age Autism strategy for Buckinghamshire		Councillor Angela Macpherson		13/7/23
		Simon Brauner-Cave		
Cabinet 7 May 2024				
Leisure Strategy		Councillor Clive Harriss		26/1/23
To provide an assessment of indoor sports and leisure facilities, considering future opportunities and demand around this provision.		Sophie Payne		
December 2023 Leader Decisions				
Buckinghamshire Sexual and Reproductive Health Strategy for 2024 – 2029 To approve the Buckinghamshire Sexual and Reproductive Health Strategy for 2024 – 2029		Councillor Angela Macpherson Dr Jane O'Grady		29/8/23

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Childcare Sufficiency Assessment 2022-2023 Annual report detailing how the duty to secure sufficient childcare in Buckinghamshire is being met. The report will be made available and accessible to childcare providers and parents.		Councillor Anita Cranmer Sue Bayliss		23/10/23
Closure of parking facility at Hampden House Closure of the parking facility at Hampden House, Railway Street, Aylesbury.	Aylesbury North	Councillor Steve Broadbent Julie Rushton		23/10/23
Furze Down School Relocation of Sixth Form Proposal to relocate Furze Down School's Sixth form to the short breaks day service building in Buckingham	Buckingham East; Buckingham West; Winslow	Councillor Anita Cranmer Paula Campbell-Balcombe		29/6/23
Juniper Hill School Opening of a new SEMH Unit and Closure of existing ARP Proposal to open a Social, Emotional and Mental Health (SEMH) Unit and close the Additional Resource Provision (ARP) at Juniper Hill School, Flackwell Heath.	Flackwell Heath, Little Marlow & Marlow South East	Councillor Anita Cranmer Paula Campbell-Balcombe		8/6/23
Physical Activity Strategy 2024 - 2029 To approve the Councils physical activity strategy for 2024-29. The physical activity strategy sets out how the Council and its partners will improve the levels of physical activity and opportunities for Buckinghamshire residents.		Councillor Angela Macpherson Dr Jane O'Grady		19/4/23

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RAF Halton Supplementary Planning Document Decision to agree the draft RAF Halton Supplementary Planning Document for public consultation.	Wendover, Halton & Stoke Mandeville	Councillor Peter Strachan Charlotte Morris		28/7/23
School Competitions Recommendation of Preferred Sponsors Recommendation of proposed Academy Sponsors for three new primary schools: Kingsbrook Primary 2 Hampden Fields Primary School South West Milton Keynes Primary School	Aston Clinton & Bierton; Great Brickhill	Councillor Anita Cranmer Paula Campbell-Balcombe	Part exempt (para 3)	19/4/23
January 2024 Leader Decisions				
Aylesbury cycleway north of Bedgrove Park Early investigative works for a new cycleway linking the Hampden Fields development and the existing Aylesbury cycle network	Aylesbury East; Aylesbury South East	Councillor Steve Broadbent Rebecca Dengler-Jones, Robin Smith		11/10/23
Aylesbury Grid Reinforcement - Update An update on the way forward for the Aylesbury Grid Reinforcement Project.	Aylesbury South East; Bernwood; Ridgeway East; Stone & Waddesdon; The Risboroughs; Wendover, Halton & Stoke Mandeville	Councillor Martin Tett David Johnson	Part exempt (para 3)	23/2/23

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Aylesbury Road, Aston Clinton Parking Scheme Yellow lines to control parking and waiting on London Road and Aylesbury Road, Aston Clinton and at side road junctions	Aston Clinton & Bierton	Councillor Steve Broadbent		27/11/23
to support the Highway Code.		John Pateman		
Hackney carriage fare review Review of current maximum hackney carriage fares.		Councillor Mark Winn		17/10/23
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Harmonisation of Pest Control Fees The harmonisation of policy and fees regarding which		Councillor Mark Winn		30/8/22
residents are able to access subsidised pest control treatment.		Jacqui Bromilow		
Junction Improvement A41 Aylesbury Early investigation works to improve the A41 / King Edwards	Aylesbury East; Aylesbury South	Councillor Steve Broadbent		11/10/23
Avenue junction, funded by the Housing Infrastructure Fund.	East	broadbent		
		Rebecca Dengler-Jones, Robin Smith		
Local Flood Risk Management Strategy		Councillor Gareth Williams		27/11/23
An update to the local flood risk management strategy.		Colin Walker		
Modern Slavery Statement 2022-2023		Councillor Arif Hussain		4/12/23
The Modern Slavery Statement provides an annual update on the steps Buckinghamshire Council is taking to prevent modern slavery in its operations and supply chains		Craig McArdle		

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Proposed Picasso Place Cycle Crossing, on the Platinum Way Cycle Way A new Raised Cycle Crossing table on the Platinum Way Cycle Way, across Picasso Place is proposed. Currently, the existing cycle users have to rejoin the carriageway from the off road route, which presents hazards to vulnerable users	Aylesbury North West	Councillor Steve Broadbent Simon Glover		17/10/23
Proposed Traffic calming on High Street, Edlesborough Installation of 'build-out' feature within the carriageway to effectively narrow the road to one lane of traffic with northbound traffic giving way. This scheme is to be constructed and paid for by the developer to land north of Good Intent.	The Wooburns, Bourne End & Hedsor	Councillor Steve Broadbent Joe Bates		23/5/23
Proposed Traffic calming on Stratford Drive, Bourne End Proposed raised table covering a staggered junction on Stratford Drive to serve (newly created) junction into new residential development and the existing school access.	The Wooburns, Bourne End & Hedsor	Councillor Steve Broadbent Joe Bates		23/5/23
Reapportionment of Aylesbury Housing Infrastructure Fund (HIF) Project savings Options for the use of savings following re-apportionment of the Aylesbury Housing Infrastructure Fund	Aylesbury East; Aylesbury North; Aylesbury North West; Aylesbury South East; Aylesbury South West; Aylesbury West	Councillor Martin Tett Steve Bambrick	Part exempt (para 3)	13/12/23

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Rosefield Solar Farm Development Consent Order (DCO) This report seeks approval to obtain delegated powers for the Service Director of Planning & Environment to engage in the Development Consent Order process for the Rosefield Solar Farm. The delegation will also include consultation with relevant Cabinet Member(s) on certain key documents submitted to the Council for a formal response.	Buckingham West; Great Brickhill; Grendon Underwood; Stone & Waddesdon; Wing; Winslow	Councillor Peter Strachan Christine Urry		11/10/23
Sale of surplus land known as The Courtyard, Cressex, High Wycombe A decision is required on accepting one of the offers received as a result of an open market disposal process. The site has been declared surplus to requirements and the decision to sell with result in capital receipt and appropriate levels of affordable housing provision. The site will have been marketed for 4 weeks with the results of the process being presented in a full report to the Leader.	Abbey	Councillor John Chilver John Reed	Part exempt (para 3)	10/11/22
Scrap metal licensing policy To agree final version of the scrap metal licensing policy.		Councillor Mark Winn Lindsey Vallis		8/8/23
Supported Living Services Commissioning Regarding the delivery of Supported Living Services in Buckinghamshire from April 2024		Councillor Angela Macpherson, Councillor Mark Winn Lisa Michelson		13/12/23

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Vale of Aylesbury Local Plan - Affordable Housing - Supplementary Planning Document This Supplementary Planning Document provides affordable housing guidance to the Vale of Aylesbury Local Plan Policies H1, H2, H6a, H6c, BE2.	Aston Clinton & Bierton; Aylesbury East; Aylesbury North; Aylesbury North West; Aylesbury South East; Aylesbury South West; Aylesbury West; Bernwood; Buckingham East; Buckingham West; Great Brickhill; Grendon Underwood; Ivinghoe; Stone & Waddesdon; Wendover, Halton & Stoke Mandeville; Wing; Winslow	Councillor Peter Strachan Charlotte Morris		15/2/23

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February 2024 Leader Decisions							
Archive Service Policies All encompassing overview statement to include sub-policies that cover all aspects of service delivery for the Archives Service.		Councillor Clive Harriss Sophie Payne		27/11/23			
March 2024 Leader Decisions							
Buckinghamshire Tobacco Control Strategy 2024-29 To approve the Councils Buckinghamshire Tobacco Control Strategy 2024-29, which sets out how the Council and its partners aim to save lives and improve the health of thousands of people in Buckinghamshire by minimising their exposure to tobacco.		Councillor Angela Macpherson Dr Jane O'Grady		6/7/23			

Individual Leader decisions (in consultation with the Cabinet Member) are not discussed at meetings – a report is presented to the Cabinet Member and the Leader will decide whether to sign the decision.

If you have any questions about the matters contained in this forward plan, please get in touch with the contact officer. If you have any views that you would like the cabinet member to consider please inform the democratic services team in good time ahead of the decision deadline date. This can be done by telephone 01296 382343 or email democracy@buckinghamshire.gov.uk. You can view decisions to be made and decisions taken on the council's website.

The council's definition of a 'key decision' can be seen in part 1 of the council's constitution.

Each item considered will have a report; appendices will be included (as appropriate). Regulation 9(1g) allows that other documents relevant to the item may be submitted to the decision maker. Subject to prohibition or restriction on their disclosure, this information will be published on the website usually five working days before the date of the meeting. Paper copies may be requested using the contact details below.

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Paragraph 1 - Information relating to any individual

Paragraph 2 - Information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual

Paragraph 3 - Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)

Paragraph 4 - Information relating to any consultations or negotiations, or contemplated consultations or negotiations, in connection with any labour relations matter arising between the authority or a Minister of the Crown and employees of, or office holders under, the authority

Paragraph 5 - Information in respect of which a claim to legal professional privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings

Paragraph 6 - Information which reveals that the authority proposes:

(a) to give under any enactment a notice under or by virtue of which requirements are imposed on a person; or

(b) to make an order or direction under any enactment

Paragraph 7 - Information relating to any action taken or to be taken in connection with the prevention, investigation or prosecution of crime

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