

Corporate Policy Committee

Agenda

Date:	Thursday, 30th October, 2025
Time:	10.30 am
Venue:	Committee Suite 1, 2 and 3, Delamere House, Delamere Street, Crewe, CW1 2JZ

The agenda is divided into 2 parts. Part 1 is taken in the presence of the public and press. Part 2 items will be considered in the absence of the public and press for the reasons indicated on the agenda and at the foot of each report.

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PART 1 – MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED WITH THE PUBLIC AND PRESS PRESENT

1. Apologies for Absence

To note any apologies for absence from Members.

2. Declarations of Interest

To provide an opportunity for Members and Officers to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests, other registerable interests, and non-registerable interests in any item on the agenda.

3. Minutes of Previous Meeting (Pages 3 - 10)

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the previous meeting held on 2 October 2025.

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4. **Public Speaking/Open Session**

In accordance with paragraph 2.24 of the Committee Procedure Rules and Appendix on Public Speaking, set out in the [Constitution](#), a total period of 15 minutes is allocated for members of the public to put questions to the Committee on any matter relating to this agenda. Each member of the public will be allowed up to two minutes to speak; the Chair will have discretion to vary this where they consider it appropriate.

Members of the public wishing to speak are required to provide notice of this at least three clear working days in advance of the meeting.

Petitions - To receive any petitions which have met the criteria - [Petitions Scheme Criteria](#), and falls within the remit of the Committee. Petition organisers will be allowed up to three minutes to speak.

5. **Medium Term Financial Planning Consultation (Corporate Policy Committee)** (Pages 11 - 30)

To consider the report which updates on the progress of the budget setting for 2026-30 and approve the Budget Consultation and engagement process and material for the four years 2026-2030.

6. **Council Tax Support Scheme** (Pages 31 - 36)

To consider a report on the Council Tax Support Scheme.

7. **Updated Draft Fees and Charges Policy** (Pages 37 - 52)

To consider the updated policy.

8. **Improvement and Transformation Delivery Plan 2025-27** (Pages 53 - 92)

To consider the Improvement and Transformation Delivery Plan.

9. **Work Programme** (Pages 93 - 98)

To consider the Work Programme and determine any required amendments.

Membership: Councillors D Clark, J Clowes, L Crane, T Dean, S Gardiner, M Goldsmith, M Gorman (Vice-Chair), D Jefferay, N Mannion (Chair), C O'Leary, J Rhodes, J Saunders and F Wilson