

Forward Plan

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CE 17/18-23 Building an Investment Portfolio	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To authorise the Executive Director of Place to commission consultants to search for investment opportunities that fit within the criteria set out in the report. 2. To delegate to the Executive Director of Place in consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Regeneration and the Portfolio Holder for Finance and Communities and in consultation with the Director of Legal Services and the Director of Finance and Procurement: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. the decision to acquire; and b. the decision to establish management arrangements for the newly-acquired asset. 	Cabinet	6 Feb 2018		Andy Kehoe	N/A

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CE 17/18-26 Sydney Road Replacement Bridge - Scheme Implementation	To update Cabinet on progress with the scheme and seek authority to: enter into an implementation agreement with Network Rail for the construction of the scheme; accept the newly-constructed bridge into Council ownership upon payment of an appropriate commuted sum by Network Rail and to enter into an asset transfer agreement, a two-party bridge agreement and any easement agreements with Network Rail as necessary; authorise officers to enter into discussions with land owners, utility companies, Network Rail and third parties in relation to acquiring the necessary land and acquiring granting rights to deliver the scheme; implement the required temporary road closure for the scheme; and confirm the funding strategy.	Cabinet	6 Feb 2018		Chris Hindle	N/A

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CE 17/18-32 Early Help Framework	To review, engage and co-produce a new more effective offer for the commissioning of early intervention and prevention services via a framework, and to authorise the officers to take all necessary actions to implement the proposal following the prescribed procurement process, including entering into a contract with suppliers.	Cabinet	6 Feb 2018		Nichola Glover-Edge	N/A

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CE 17/18-33 Consultation Approval for the Cheshire East Admission Arrangements and Co-ordinated Scheme 2019-20	<p>The Local Authority must consult on its admissions arrangements as a minimum every 7 years. Consultation took place between 28 November 2017 & 10 January 2018 and the feedback considered.</p> <p>The Portfolio Holder is recommended to approve the coordinated scheme and admission arrangements for 2019 and subsequent years, following the 6 week public consultation period. The updated scheme and arrangements will be implemented and apply to applications for places in all publicly funded mainstream primary and secondary schools (i.e. including academies) for the school year 2019-20 and beyond. The admission arrangements include the overall procedure, practices, criteria, published admission number (PAN) and supplementary information to be used in deciding on the allocation of school places.</p>	Cabinet Member for Children and Families	Not before 16th Feb 2018		Jacky Forster	N/A

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CE 16/17-47 Medium Term Financial Strategy 2018-21	To approve the Medium Term Financial Strategy for 2018-21, incorporating the Council's priorities, budget, policy proposals and capital programme.	Council	22 Feb 2018		Alex Thompson	N/A
CE 17/18-14 Congleton Leisure Centre	To recommend to Cabinet the appointment of the preferred bidder for the redevelopment of Congleton Leisure Centre; to submit the awarded design to planning; and subject to this, to commence construction and the redevelopment of the facility.	Cabinet	13 Mar 2018		Mark Wheelton	Exempt - para 3
CE 17/18-15 Implementation of the Homelessness Strategy 2018-2021	To approve and adopt the Homelessness Strategy, commit to the resources detailed within the Strategy for the lifetime of the Strategy, and authorise officers to deliver the actions contained within the Strategy.	Cabinet	13 Mar 2018		Lynn Glendenning	N/A

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CE 17/18-16 CERF Alternative Pension Scheme	To approve the appointment of an alternative pension scheme provider for the CERF group of companies; and to approve the closure of the LGPS to all new starters in the CERF group of companies from 1 st December 2017.	Cabinet	13 Mar 2018		Peter Bates, Chief Operating Officer	Fully exempt - paras 3, 4 & 5
CE 17/18-27 North West Crewe Package - Procurement Strategy	To authorise the Executive Director Place, in consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Environment, to approve the preferred procurement strategy for North West Crewe and to authorise the officers to take the necessary actions to commence the procurement process.	Cabinet	13 Mar 2018		Chris Hindle	N/A

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CE 17/18-28 Available Walking Routes Phase 2A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To confirm that the route between Mobberley and Knutsford Academy and Knutsford Academy, The Studio is deemed an 'available' walking route. Therefore free home to school transport will be withdrawn for current and new pupils living in Mobberley within 3 miles of the Academy, effective from 1 September 2018. To acknowledge the feedback from the public engagement and agree that the proposed withdrawal of transport shall be amended to address some of the concerns raised. To agree that a subsidy of £192 per annum be paid to all affected families for the remainder of their child's attendance at their respective schools. 	Cabinet	13 Mar 2018		Jacky Forster	N/A

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CE 17/18-29 Education Travel Policy	To note the outcome of the consultation in respect of the revised suite of travel policies; and to agree that the revised travel policies be implemented with effect from 1 st September 2018.	Cabinet	13 Mar 2018		Jacky Forster	N/A
CE 17/18-35 Review of Council Wholly-Owned Companies and Alternative Service Delivery Vehicles	To consider proposals following a comprehensive review of the Council's wholly-owned companies and alternative service delivery vehicles.	Cabinet	13 Mar 2018		Chris Allman	N/A
CE 17/18-36 North West Crewe Package - Land Assembly and Compulsory Purchase Order Strategy	To authorise the Executive Director of Place, in consultation with the Portfolio Holder, to proceed with the land assembly strategy required to deliver the North West Crewe scheme. The North West Crewe Package forms an important part of the Council's vision and strategy for sustainable economic growth as set out in the Local Plan and unlocks a number of housing and employment sites by improving traffic movements and transport links in northern Crewe.	Cabinet	13 Mar 2018		Chris Hindle	N/A

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CE 17/18-37 A Dynamic Purchasing System for Care and Support for People with a Learning Disability and/or Mental Health	To seek approval to establish a dynamic purchasing system for the future procurement of care and support services for individuals eligible for adult and children's social care support, including those in transition to adulthood who have a learning disability and/or mental health.	Cabinet	13 Mar 2018		Nichola Glover-Edge	N/A
CE 17/18-38 Children's Home Commissioning	Cheshire East Council is looking to optimise the quality and cost-effectiveness of the Children's Residential provision it delivers for cared for children. Cabinet will be asked to delegate authority to the Acting Executive Director People in consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Children and Families to make the decision on award of contract for a Children's Residential Home tender.	Cabinet	13 Mar 2018		David Leadbetter	N/A

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CE 17/18-41 Better Care Fund - Agreement of Section 75 for 2018/19-2019/20	That Cabinet support the Council to continue the current arrangements and enter into two new Section 75 partnership agreements from 1 st April 2018 until 31 st March 2019 with local health partners, with the option to continue for a further period of one year.	Cabinet	13 Mar 2018		Nichola Glover-Edge	N/A
CE 17/18-42 Strategic School Improvement Fund - Award of Grant	To seek formal approval to receive external DfE funding to the value of £638,452 as recently awarded to Cheshire East Council as the named lead in a successful bidding process.	Cabinet	13 Mar 2018		Mark Bayley	N/A
CE 17/18-31 Recycling Bank Review	To seek authority for officers to implement the Council's recycling bank strategy.	Cabinet Member for Environment	March 2018		Ralph Kemp	N/A
CE 17/18-5 Cheshire East Council Housing Strategy 2018-2023	To consider and adopt the Cheshire East Council Housing Strategy.	Cabinet	10 Apr 2018		Karen Carsberg	N/A
CE 17/18-39 Highway Service Contract Procurement	To authorise the Executive Director Place to award the Highway Service Contract to the preferred bidder.	Cabinet	10 Apr 2018		Paul Traynor	Partly exempt

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CE 17/18-43 North West Crewe Package - Funding and Delivery Strategy Update	To update Cabinet following determination of bids for central government funding; and to authorise the Executive Director Place in consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Environment to consider a report on the funding and delivery strategy for the package and, subject to capital finance group, to progress with the full delivery of the scheme.	Cabinet	10 Apr 2018		Chris Hindle	N/A
CE 17/18-30 Cemeteries Strategy	That Cabinet be asked to consider the draft Cheshire East Cemeteries Strategy and approve it for consultation; and to agree that, subject to consideration of the outcome of the consultation, the Strategy be adopted as Council policy by delegated officer decision.	Cabinet	8 May 2018		Ralph Kemp	N/A

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CE 17/18-44 Congleton Link Road - Final Approval to Underwrite Funding Gap, Appoint Winning Contractor and Submit Final Business Case	To seek approval to confirm the scale and formal underwriting of the funding gap for the Congleton Link Road, approve the final business case for submission to the Department of Transport, confirm the selectin of the winning contractor and undertake limited advance ecological works at risk.	Cabinet	8 May 2018		Paul Griffiths	N/A

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CE 17/18-34 Cheshire East Common Allocations Policy Review	Cheshire East currently has a Common Allocations Policy in place which was approved on 31 March 2015 and sets out how social housing will be allocated across the authority in accordance with Part VI of the Housing Act 1996. Since 2014 there have been a number of case law updates and central government guidance, which has potential implications for Cheshire East and has prompted the Strategic Housing Service to undertake a review of its existing Common Allocations Policy to ensure that it is lawful and cannot be readily open to challenge. In April 2018, all local authorities will be subject to the duties brought about by the Homeless Reduction Act. Cheshire East will be expected to provide accommodation and support to a wider range of individuals for longer periods.	Cabinet Member for Housing, Planning and Regeneration	Not before 12th Jun 2018		Karen Carsberg	N/A