

THE WEEKLY LIST

of planned cabinet member decisions and of decisions made

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REPORTS FOR CABINET MEMBERS ON MATTERS WITHIN THEIR PORTFOLIO OR OF OFFICERS ON MATTERS WITHIN THEIR RESPONSIBILITY

These decisions will be taken on or after the date shown, following a 5-working-day public consultation period. The report sent to the decision maker is attached. The decision, once taken, will be published in a subsequent Weekly List and will be subject to Call-in.

E3363 B&NES New Local Plan Launch

Cabinet Member for Planning and Licensing *Cabinet Member for Planning and Licensing*

Author/Contact: Richard Daone

Free to Decide: Not before 24th Sep 2022

The preparation of a new Local Plan for B&NES provides the opportunity for the Council to look afresh at its planning policy framework for the district. As this is a long-term plan (20 years), and because the Local Plan is the Council's primary tool for place shaping and the basis of decision-making on development and the use of land, the Council needs to ensure the Plan is sufficiently ambitious to deliver the Council's priorities and is responsive to local community concerns. In particular, the new Local Plan will play a key role in helping to deliver the Council's priorities in responding to the climate and ecological emergencies.

The preparation of the Local Plan will commence with the publication of a Launch Document in September 2022. The Launch Document will outline the purpose, scope and timetable of the Local Plan and how communities and stakeholders can be involved.

E3329 B&NES Tree and Woodland Delivery Plan - adoption

Cabinet Member for Economic Development and Resources

Author/Contact: Carol Maclellan

Free to Decide: Not before 24th Sep 2022

This Council declared a climate and ecological emergency in 2019 and set a target of carbon neutrality by 2030. Tree and woodland planting is an important tool in addressing these emergencies.

On the 10th October 2019 B&NES Council agreed a motion to increase tree cover and develop a clear strategy for planting trees in B&NES with a target of planting 100,000 trees within the district with partners and communities, by May 2023. The tree and

woodland delivery plan (Appendix A & B) detail this strategy and is intended to be a "live" document to be updated annually with progress.

The majority of the B&NES district sits within the Forest of Avon (one of England's Community Forests which allocates grant funding), and our local B&NES 'strategic tree planting objectives' are encapsulated within the Forest of Avon Plan.

PAPERS PREVIOUSLY PUBLISHED AND NOW FREE TO DECIDE BUT NOT YET DECIDED

These papers were published in a previous Weekly List and await decision. The decision, once taken, will be published in a subsequent Weekly List and will be subject to the usual Call-in procedures.

E3351 Fees and Charges 2022/23 - Highways and Traffic (WL)

Cabinet Member for Transport *Cabinet Member for Transport*

Author/Contact: Gary Peacock

Free to Decide: Not before 13th Aug 2022

This is an annual report, the fees and charges have been updated to reflect inflation, cost increases in contracts and to ensure adequate recovery of costs across the service.

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