Executive Leader's Forward Plan

About the Forward Plan

This is the Leader of Council's provisional forward plan for the four months starting March 2023. It provides an indicative date for matters to be considered by the Executive. Where possible, the Executive will keep to the dates shown in the plan. However, it may be necessary for some items to be rescheduled and other items added.

The forward plan is published to publicise consultation dates and enable dialogue between the Executive and all councillors, the public, and other stakeholders. It will also assist the Council's Overview and Scrutiny Committee in planning their contribution to policy development and holding the Executive to account.

Local authorities are required to publish updated forward plans on a regular basis. The Plan is published on the Council's website (www.southhams.gov.uk)

About the Executive

The Executive consists of six Councillors. Each has responsibility for a particular area of the Council's work.

- Leader of the Council with specific responsibility for Improving Homes / Protecting, Conserving and Enhancing our Built and Natural Environment– Cllr Judy Pearce
- Deputy Leader of the Council with specific responsibility for Stimulating a Thriving Economy Cllr Hilary Bastone
- Lead Executive Member for Environment Cllr Keith Baldry
- Lead Executive Member for Health and Wellbeing Cllr Jonathan Hawkins
- Lead Executive Member for Climate Change and Biodiversity Cllr Tom Holway
- Lead Executive Member for Council Services Cllr Nicky Hopwood

Further information on the workings of the Executive, including latest information on agenda items, can be obtained by contacting Democratic Services on 01803 861105 or by e-mail to democratic.services@swdevon.gov.uk

All items listed in this Forward Plan will be discussed in public at the relevant meeting, unless otherwise indicated with *



Forward Plan from March 2023

Portfolio Area	Report Title and Summary	Lead Member / Officer	Documents to be considered in making decision	Date of Decision	Consultees and means of consultation
Leader	Title: 'Better Lives for All' Year 3 Delivery Plan Purpose: To consider a report that presents the draft Year 3 Delivery Plan for approval.	Clir Pearce / Drew Powell	Report of Director Strategy and Governance	2 March 2023	
Deputy Leader	Title: Revenue Budget Monitoring Report to Month 10 2022/23 Purpose: To consider a report that presents the Revenue Budget Monitoring Report to Month 10.	Cllr Bastone / Lisa Buckle	Report of Section 151 Officer	2 March 2023	
Deputy Leader	Title: Capital Programme Monitoring Report to Month 10 2022/23 Purpose: To consider a report that presents the Capital Programme Monitoring Report to Month 10.	Cllr Bastone / Pauline Henstock	Report of Head of Finance	2 March 2023	
Deputy Leader	Title: Write-off Reports Q1 and Q2 2022/23 Purpose: The Council is responsible for the collection of: Housing Rents, Sundry Debts including Housing Benefit Overpayments, Council Tax and National Non-Domestic Rates. The report informs Members of the debt written off for these revenue streams.	Cllr Bastone / Lisa Buckle	Report of Strategic Lead of Finance	2 March 2023	
Council Services	Title: Council Tax Discretionary Discount Policy Purpose: To consider a report that seeks to consider a revised Council Tax Discretionary Discount Policy.	Cllr Hopwood / Geni Hotchkiss	Report of the Head of Revenues and Benefits	2 March 2023	



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	Title: Housing Crisis – Standing Agenda Item			2 March 2023	
Leader	Title: Planning Improvement Plan – Six Month Progress Review Purpose: In accordance with the Executive resolution, to consider a six-month progress review into the Planning Improvement Plan.	Cllr Pearce / Ali Wagstaff	Report of Assistant Director Planning	2 March 2023	
Communities	Title: South Devon AONB Partnership – Draft Service Level Agreement Purpose: In accordance with the Council resolution, to consider for approval the draft Service Level Agreement for the South Devon AONB Partnership.	Cllr Pearce / Ali Wagstaff	Report of Assistant Director Planning	2 March 2023	
Leader	Title: Modbury Neighbourhood Plan Update Purpose: To consider a report that presents a progress update on the Modbury Neighbourhood Plan.	Cllr Pearce / Elliott Hale	Report of Neighbourhood Planning Officer	2 March 2023	
Environment	Title: Amendment to the Car Parking Order – Dartmouth Health Hub Purpose: To consider a report that seeks to amend the Car Parking Order for the pending Dartmouth Health Hub.	Cllr Baldry / Emma Widdicombe	Report of Senior Specialist - Parking	2 March 2023	
Leader	Title: Recruitment and Retention Purpose: To consider a report that asks the Executive to note the actions being taken to respond to the current	Cllr Pearce / Andy Bates	Report of the Chief Executive	2 March 2023	



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	recruitment and retention challenges facing the Council.				
Deputy Leader	Title: Plymouth & South Devon Freeport Purpose: To consider an exempt report that provides an update on the Plymouth & South Devon Freeport project.	Cllr Bastone / Chris Brook	Report of the Director Place and Enterprise	2 March 2023	
				13 April 2023	
Leader	Title: Draft Annual Report of Achievements Purpose: To consider a report that presents the Council's draft Annual Report of Achievements for 2022/23	Cllr Pearce / Neil Hawke	Report of the Head of Strategy and Projects	June 2023 (date TBC)	
Council Services	Title: Customer Journey Purpose: To consider a report that provides an update on the Customer Journey.	Cllr Hopwood / Steve Mullineaux	Report of the Deputy Chief Executive	July 2023 (date TBC)	