

Forward Plan of Key Decisions

1 June 2025 – 31 August 2025

This document sets out key decisions to be taken within the next 28 days, together with any key decision by individual Members of the Cabinet and officers. It also includes potential key decisions beyond that period, though this is not comprehensive, and items will be confirmed in the publication of the key decisions document 28 days before a decision is taken.

Key Decisions are those which are financially significant, or which have a significant impact. This has been decided, by the Council, to be decisions which involve income or expenditure over £250,000 or which will have a significant effect on people or organisations in two or more wards.

The majority of decisions are taken by Cabinet, together with the individual Cabinet Members, where appropriate. The membership of Cabinet and its meeting dates can be found [via this link](#). Other decisions may be taken by Cabinet Committees, Cabinet Members or Officers in accordance with the Officers' Scheme of Delegation, as agreed by the Council.

Whilst the majority of the Cabinet's business at the meetings listed in this document will be open to the public, there will be occasions when the business to be considered contains confidential, commercially sensitive or personal information. The items of business where this is likely to apply are indicated on the plan.

This is formal notice under The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012 that part of the Cabinet meetings listed in this document may be held in private because the agenda and reports for the meeting will contain exempt information under Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) and that the public interest in withholding the information outweighs the public interest in disclosing it.

If you have any representations as to why the meeting should be held in private, then please contact the Council via democracy@winchester.gov.uk . **[Please follow this link to the Council's Constitution](#) which includes a definition of the paragraphs** (Access to Information Procedure Rules, Part 4 paragraph 8.4) detailing why a matter may be classed as exempt from publication under the Local Government Acts, and not available to the public.

Anyone who wishes to make representations about any item included in the Plan please contact the Democratic Services Team prior to the meeting to make your request. Copies of documents listed in the Plan for submission to a decision taker are available for inspection on the Council's website. Where the document is a committee report, it will usually be available five days before the meeting. Other documents relevant to the decision may also be submitted to the decision maker and are available on Council's website or via email democracy@winchester.gov.uk.

Please note that the decision dates are indicative and occasionally subject to change.

If you have any queries regarding the operation or content of the Forward Plan please contact David Blakemore (Democratic Services Team Manager) on 01962 848 217.

	Item	Cabinet Member	Key Decision	Wards Affected	Lead Officer	Documents submitted to decision taker	Decision taker (Cabinet, Cabinet Member or Officer)	Date/period decision to be taken	Committee Date (if applicable)	Open/private meeting or document? If private meeting, include relevant exempt paragraph number
Section A Decisions made by Cabinet & Cabinet committees										
1	Station Approach concept masterplan	Cabinet Member for Place & Local Plan	Yes	Town Wards	Julie Pinnock	Cabinet report	Cabinet	Jun-25	18-Jun-25	Open
2	Q4 Finance & Performance Monitoring	Cabinet Member for Finance & Performance	Yes	All Wards	Simon Howson	Cabinet report	Cabinet	Jun-25	18-Jun-25	Open
3	Corner House, North Walls, Winchester - Outline Business Case	Cabinet Member for Housing	Yes	St Michael	Caroline Egan	Cabinet report	Cabinet	Jun-25	18-Jun-25	Part exempt 3
4	Land transaction (if required)	Cabinet Member for Asset Management	Yes	All Wards	Geoff Coe	Cabinet report	Cabinet	Jun-25	18-Jun-25	Part exempt 3
5	<i>Housing repairs and maintenance policy</i>	<i>Cabinet Member for Housing</i>	Yes	<i>All Wards</i>	<i>Gillian Knight</i>	<i>Cabinet committee report</i>	<i>Cabinet Committee: Housing</i>	<i>Jul-25</i>	<i>7-Jul-25</i>	<i>Open</i>

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6	<i>Housing repairs recharge policy</i>	<i>Cabinet Member for Housing</i>	Yes	<i>All Wards</i>	<i>Gillian Knight</i>	<i>Cabinet committee report</i>	<i>Cabinet Committee: Housing</i>	<i>Jul-25</i>	<i>7-Jul-25</i>	<i>Open</i>
7	<i>Disabled adaptations policy</i>	<i>Cabinet Member for Housing</i>	Yes	<i>All Wards</i>	<i>Gillian Knight</i>	<i>Cabinet committee report</i>	<i>Cabinet Committee: Housing</i>	<i>Jul-25</i>	<i>7-Jul-25</i>	<i>Open</i>
8	<i>Managing damp & mould in council and private sector homes</i>	<i>Cabinet Member for Housing</i>	Yes	<i>All Wards</i>	<i>Karen Thorburn</i>	<i>Cabinet committee report</i>	<i>Cabinet Committee: Housing</i>	<i>Jul-25</i>	<i>7-Jul-25</i>	<i>Open</i>
9	<i>Public Toilets Improvement Strategy Update</i>	<i>Cabinet Member for Climate Emergency</i>	Yes	<i>All Wards</i>	<i>Campbell Williams</i>	<i>Cabinet report</i>	<i>Cabinet</i>	<i>Jul-25</i>	<i>15-Jul-25</i>	<i>Open</i>

Section B

Decisions made by individual Cabinet Members

10	Health priorities statement	Cabinet Member for Community and Engagement	Yes	All Wards	Steve Lincoln	Cabinet Member report	Cabinet Member for Community & Engagement Decision Day	Jun-25	18-Jun-25	Open
11	Local Enforcement Plan	Cabinet Member for Place & Local Plan	No	All Wards	Lorna Hutchings	Cabinet member report	Cabinet Member for Place & Local Plan Decision Day	Jun-25	18-Jun-25	Open

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Section C

Decisions made by Officers

12	Treasury Management - decisions in accordance with the Council's approved strategy & policy	Cabinet Member for Finance and Performance	Yes	All Wards	Designated HCC Finance staff, daily	Designated working papers	Designated HCC Finance staff, daily	Jun-25	Jun-25	Open
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Section D

Proposed budget timetable 2026/27

**Not classed as key decisions as final decision taken by full Council*

13	<i>General Fund Budget Options & Medium Term Financial Strategy</i>	<i>Cabinet Member for Finance and Performance</i>	Yes	<i>All Wards</i>	<i>Liz Keys</i>	<i>Cabinet report</i>	<i>Cabinet</i>	<i>Nov-25</i>	<i>19-Nov-25</i>	<i>Open</i>
14	<i>General Fund Budget 26/27*</i>	<i>Cabinet Member for Finance and Performance</i>	No	<i>All Wards</i>	<i>Liz Keys</i>	<i>Cabinet report</i>	<i>Council</i>	<i>Feb-26</i>	<i>26-Feb-26</i>	<i>Open</i>
15	<i>Housing Revenue Account (HRA) Budget 26/27*</i>	<i>Cabinet Member for Housing</i>	No	<i>All Wards</i>	<i>Liz Keys</i>	<i>Cabinet report</i>	<i>Council</i>	<i>Feb-26</i>	<i>26-Feb-26</i>	<i>Open</i>

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16	<i>Capital Investment Strategy 26-36*</i>	<i>Cabinet Member for Finance and Performance</i>	<i>No</i>	<i>All Wards</i>	<i>Liz Keys</i>	<i>Cabinet report</i>	<i>Council</i>	<i>Feb-26</i>	<i>26-Feb-26</i>	<i>Open</i>
17	<i>Treasury Management Strategy 26/27*</i>	<i>Cabinet Member for Finance and Performance</i>	<i>No</i>	<i>All Wards</i>	<i>Liz Keys</i>	<i>Cabinet report</i>	<i>Council</i>	<i>Feb-26</i>	<i>26-Feb-26</i>	<i>Open</i>