

# Decisions taken by the Cabinet On 15 September 2021



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**Notice dated: 16 September 2021**

Issued to the Chairman, members of the Scrutiny Committee and other Councillors for information.

**Key decisions will be implemented after the expiry of 5 working days from the date of this notice unless “called-in” under the provisions of the council’s scrutiny procedure rules (see end of document for call-in procedure) or implemented sooner by reason of urgency.**

Please refer to the relevant cabinet agenda and reports when reading this notice. The minutes of the meeting of the cabinet containing a full record of the proceedings will be published in due course. To view on-line follow this link to the relevant pages on [the Council's website: https://democracy.lewes-eastbourne.gov.uk/mgCommitteeDetails.aspx?ID=125](https://democracy.lewes-eastbourne.gov.uk/mgCommitteeDetails.aspx?ID=125)

Item No	Matter:	Decision:	Reasons for Decision:
6	Corporate performance - quarter 1 - 2021/22	<b>(Non-key decision):</b>  (1) To note the achievements and progress against Corporate Plan priorities for 2021-22, as set out in Part A of this report.  (2) To note the General Fund, HRA and Collection Fund financial performance for the quarter, as set out in Part B of the report.	To enable Cabinet members to consider specific aspects of the Council’s progress and performance.

7	Medium Term Financial Strategy	<p><b>(Key decision):</b></p> <p>To note the background to the Medium Term Financial Strategy for 2022/23 and approve the approach outlined in this report.</p>	<p>To progress the Medium Term Financial Strategy process and update Cabinet on the background to this.</p>
8	Planning Technical Advice Notes for Sustainability	<p><b>(Key decision):</b></p> <p>(1) To agree the publication and use of the Sustainability in Development Technical Advice Note contained at Appendix 2 to the report.</p> <p>(2) To agree the publication and use of the Biodiversity Net Gain Technical Advice Note contained at Appendix 3 to the report.</p> <p>(3) To agree the publication and use of the Electric Vehicle Charging Point Technical Advice Note contained at Appendix 4 to the report.</p> <p>(4) To provide delegated authority to the Director of Regeneration and Planning, in consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Place Services and Special Projects, to make minor or technical amendments to the Technical Advice Notes prior to their publication or as otherwise required following publication.</p>	<p>(1) To publicise the Council's expectations for the incorporation of sustainability issues, biodiversity net gain and electric vehicle charging points in planning applications</p> <p>(2) To make minor amendments to address technical or drafting issues.</p>

## Call-in procedure

Call-in is the procedure whereby a decision of the Cabinet, the Leader or a portfolio holder, or a member or officer with delegated authority (an executive decision), taken but not implemented, may be examined by the Scrutiny Committee prior to implementation.

In order to ensure that call-in is not abused, nor causes unreasonable delay, certain limitations are to be placed on its use. These are:

(a) Only decisions involving new operational policies or strategic initiatives, unbudgeted expenditure or reductions in service may be called in.

(b) A recommendation of the Executive to the Full Council is not a decision that may be called-in.

(c) A minimum of three members of the Scrutiny Committee from at least two political groups must request that a decision be called in.

(d) Substitute members of the Scrutiny Committee shall not be entitled to call-in decisions except when the call-in request is made at a meeting of the Committee and when the substitute member is taking the place of another member in accordance with Rule 4.4 of the Council Procedure Rules; and

(e) Written notice of a request to call-in a decision shall be given to the Chief Executive and the notice shall be signed by the Councillors making the request.

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