

Notice of Forthcoming Key Decisions and/or Decisions to be Taken in Private

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Decisions to be made by the Cabinet as a matter of urgency Date of Notice: 4th April 2014

Local authorities are required to publish a Notice of key decisions and/or of their intention to hold a meeting of the Executive ('the Cabinet') in private at least 28 clear days before the meeting. This Notice sets out the Key Decisions to be taken at the meeting of the Cabinet on **14 April 2014** which have not been included on previously published statutory notices (the Notification of Decisions). In accordance with the Regulations, the Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee has been informed of the intention to take the following Key Decisions.

Item	Council Tax and Business Rates Policies
Ward	All
Reason for urgency	The report requests approval for policies in relation to Council Tax and Business Rates Relief for Flooded Premises; Retail Relief and Reoccupation Relief. An urgent decision is required because the changes in legislation have only just been enacted by the government and the policy is required to ensure that the Council Tax and Business Rates bills are accurate and that residents and local businesses can access the monies set aside from Government.
Decision taker	Cabinet
Туре	Key Decision, Part I
Expected decision date	Monday 14 th April 2014

Item	Arrangements for New Free Schools
Ward	All
Reason for urgency	The report seeks approval to proceed with steps to secure specific school facilities and reach agreement to facilitate the delivery of Free Schools within the Borough. It is considered essential to take the necessary decisions to exploit the opportunities set out in the report at the earliest opportunity.
Decision taker	Cabinet
Туре	Key Decision, Part I
Expected decision date	Monday 14 th April 2014

The agenda and reports for the meeting will published five clear days before the date of the meeting and be made available on the Council's website and at the Council Offices and local libraries.

Members of the press and public will be excluded from the meeting during the consideration of the items listed under Part II of the agenda.

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