

Cabinet work programme

2 August 2018



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DECISION AND PURPOSE (AND REASON FOR CONFIDENTIALITY WHERE APPROPRIATE)	KEY DECISION?	DECISION MAKER AND EARLIEST DECISION DATE	CABINET MEMBER	DATE FIRST ON WORK PROGRAMME	PRINCIPAL CONSULTEES (including Committees)	CONTACT OFFICER	DOCUMENTS TO BE USED BY THE DECISION MAKER
August decisions							
Standing item: Property decisions Purpose: to approve any property sales or purchases or take any property management decisions. This is likely to be an exempt decision due to the confidential nature of contract negotiations with third parties (Category 3).	Yes	Cabinet member for development and regeneration August 2018 Head of development and regeneration August 2018	Paul Harrison	28 Jul 2014		Suzanne Malcolm suzanne.malcolm@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet member decision form
Standing item: Section 106 funds Purpose: to create a budget and release funds	Yes	Cabinet member for planning August 2018	Felix Bloomfield	15 Nov 2017		Adrian Duffield adrian.duffield@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet member decision form
Standing item: Neighbourhood planning Purpose: to determine any matters relating to neighbourhood plans	No	Cabinet member for planning August 2018	Felix Bloomfield	23 Aug 2016		Ricardo Rios ricardo.rios@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet member decision form

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Volunteering strategy and action plan Purpose: to approve the strategy and action plan	Yes	Cabinet member for community services August 2018	Lynn Lloyd	17 May 2018		Shona Ware shona.ware@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet member decision form
Housing allocations policy Purpose: to approve a revised draft housing allocations policy for consultation	No	Cabinet member for housing and environment August 2018	Caroline Newton	2 Feb 2018		Philip Ealey phil.ealey@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet member decision form
Housing and growth deal for Oxfordshire Purpose: to agree arrangements, including approval of the statement of common ground	No	Cabinet August 2018	Bill Service	23 Mar 2018		Andrew Down andrew.down@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report
Local Plan and the Local Development Scheme Purpose: to approve the Local Development Scheme and endorse the Local Plan work programme	No	Cabinet 2 August 2018	Cabinet member for planning	1 Aug 2018		Holly Jones holly.jones@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report
Benson Neighbourhood Plan Purpose: to recommend Council on the outcome of the referendum and whether to make the neighbourhood plan part of the council's development plan	No	Cabinet 14 August 2018 Council 23 August 2018	Felix Bloomfield	1 Jun 2018		Ricardo Rios ricardo.rios@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report

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Watlington Neighbourhood Plan Purpose: to recommend Council on the outcome of the referendum and whether to make the neighbourhood plan part of the council's development plan	No	Cabinet 14 August 2018 Council 23 August 2018	Felix Bloomfield	1 Jun 2018		Ricardo Rios ricardo.rios@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report
Science Vale marketing Purpose: to appoint a contractor	Yes	Cabinet member for development and regeneration Not before 30 August 2018	Paul Harrison	2 Aug 2018		Melanie Smans melanie.smans@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet member decision form
September decisions							
Housing and growth deal for Oxfordshire Purpose: to approve the scope of the joint statutory spatial plan	Yes	Cabinet September 2018	Bill Service	15 Feb 2018		Andrew Down andrew.down@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report
Joint Statutory Spatial Plan - Local Development Scheme Purpose: to approve the Local Development Scheme	Yes	Cabinet 27 September 2018	Felix Bloomfield	14 Jun 2018	Joint Scrutiny Committee	Holly Jones holly.jones@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report
Joint Statutory Spatial Plan - Statement of Community Involvement Purpose: to approve the Statement of Community Involvement for public consultation	Yes	Cabinet 27 September 2018	Felix Bloomfield	14 Jun 2018	Joint Scrutiny Committee	Holly Jones holly.jones@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report

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Leisure strategy Purpose: to adopt the revised strategy	Yes	Cabinet 27 September 2018	Lynn Lloyd	19 Jan 2018	Scrutiny Committee	Dylan Evans dylan.evans@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report
October decisions							
Didcot Garden Town Purpose: to approve funding allocations	Yes	Cabinet member for partnership and insight October 2018	Bill Service	2 Oct 2017		Andrew Down andrew.down@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet member decision form
Community infrastructure levy spending strategy Purpose: to approve the strategy	Yes	Cabinet 4 October 2018	Paul Harrison	12 Jan 2017	Scrutiny Committee	Jayne Bolton jayne.bolton@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report
Great Western Park, Didcot Purpose: to approve management arrangements for open space and community centres	Yes	Cabinet 4 October 2018	Paul Harrison	14 Oct 2016		Suzanne Malcolm suzanne.malcolm@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report
Didcot Gateway Purpose: to agree a development scheme. This is likely to be an exempt decision due to the confidential nature of contract negotiations with third parties (Category 3).	Yes	Cabinet 4 October 2018	Paul Harrison	10 Oct 2017		Suzanne Malcolm suzanne.malcolm@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report
Pyrton conservation area Purpose: to consider adoption of the conservation area boundary revision and appraisal	No	Cabinet 4 October 2018	Felix Bloomfield	2 Jul 2018		Samantha Allen samantha.allen@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report

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Inter-authority agreement Purpose: to recommend Council to agree arrangements	No	Cabinet 4 October 2018 Council 11 October 2018	Kevin Bulmer	12 Mar 2018		Adrianna Partridge adrianna.partridge@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report
Treasury management outturn 2017/18 Purpose: to consider the report and make any recommendations to Council	No	Cabinet 4 October 2018 Council 11 October 2018	David Dodds	14 Jun 2018	Joint Audit and Governance Committee	Simon Hewings simon.hewings@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report
December decisions							
Housing allocations policy Purpose: to approve the policy	Yes	Cabinet 6 December 2018	Caroline Newton	11 May 2018		Philip Ealey phil.ealey@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report
Council tax base Purpose: to recommend the council tax base to Council	No	Cabinet 6 December 2018 Council 13 December 2018	David Dodds	14 Jun 2018		Simon Hewings simon.hewings@southandvale.gov.uk	Cabinet report

Cabinet work programme

What is the Cabinet work programme?

The Cabinet work programme is a list of the key decisions and other planned cabinet and cabinet member decisions to be taken on behalf of the council.

What is a key decision?

Key decisions are defined as decisions that are likely to:

- incur expenditure, make savings or to receive income (except government grant) of more than £75,000 or
- award a revenue or capital grant of over £25,000 or
- agree an action that, in the view of the chief executive or the relevant head of service, would be significant in terms of its effects on communities living or working in an area comprising more than one ward in the area of the council.

Officers may also include other items in this work programme on a voluntary basis that do not fit the above definition.

What does the Cabinet work programme tell me?

The work programme gives information about:

- what key decisions and other planned cabinet and cabinet member decisions are coming forward in the next few months
- when those decisions are likely to be made
- who will make those decisions
- what consultation will be undertaken
- who you can make representations to, and how
- what documents you can ask for
- who you can contact for further information

Who takes key decisions?

Key decisions are taken by the Cabinet, individual Cabinet members or individual officers acting under delegated powers.

Exempt or confidential decisions

This work programme gives notice of any Cabinet decisions that are likely to be considered in part of a Cabinet meeting when the public are excluded. It may become necessary during the course of a Cabinet meeting to debate an issue or make a decision in the exempt or confidential part of the meeting. However, the Cabinet must first resolve to exclude the public and give a reason for doing so under Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

Who are the Cabinet members?

- [Jane Murphy](#) – Leader of the Council and responsible for communications
- [Felix Bloomfield](#) – Deputy Leader of the Council and responsible for planning
- [Anna Badcock](#) – Responsible for legal and democratic
- [Kevin Bulmer](#) - Responsible for corporate services
- [David Dodds](#) - Responsible for finance
- [Paul Harrison](#) - Responsible for development and regeneration
- [Lynn Lloyd](#) - Responsible for community services
- [Caroline Newton](#) - Responsible for housing and environment
- [Bill Service](#) - Responsible for partnership and insight

How do I make contact?

Each entry in the work programme indicates the names of the relevant people to contact about that particular item. The contact details for the Cabinet members are available on the Council's website www.southoxon.gov.uk or by clicking on the Cabinet members' names above, or by telephoning the council offices on 01235 422422.

How do I get copies of agenda papers and other relevant documents?

The agenda papers for Cabinet meetings and other relevant documents are available five working days before the meeting on the Council's website www.southoxon.gov.uk. Alternatively you can contact Steve Culliford, Democratic Services, Legal and Democratic, South Oxfordshire District Council, 135 Eastern Avenue, Milton Park, OX14 4SB, tel: 01235 422522, e-mail: steve.culliford@southandvale.gov.uk. On occasions, the papers you request may contain exempt or confidential information. If this is the case, we will explain why it is not possible to make copies available.

How to make representations to Cabinet

Members of the public wishing to address a meeting of the Cabinet on an issue on the agenda should notify the Head of Legal and Democratic Services by 5pm on the day before the meeting. Please contact Steve Culliford, Democratic Services, Legal and Democratic, South Oxfordshire District Council, 135 Eastern Avenue, Milton Park, OX14 4SB, tel: 01235 422522, e-mail: steve.culliford@southandvale.gov.uk.