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West Berkshire Council Forward Plan - 11 December 2018 to 31 March 2019 - Summary Report

Committee considering

report:

Individual Executive Member Decision

Date of Committee: 8 November 2018

Portfolio Member: Councillor Graham Jones - Leader of the Council

Forward Plan Ref: ID3447

1. Purpose of the Report

1.1 To advise Members and residents of items to be considered by West Berkshire Council over the next four months.

2. Recommendation

2.1 That the Leader of the Council agrees and where appropriate amends the West Berkshire Council Forward Plan.

3. **Implications**

3.1 Financial: The Forward Plan has no financial implications.

3.2 Policy: The Forward Plan details the Policies to be adopted by

West Berkshire Council.

3.3 Personnel: The Forward Plan has no personnel implications.

3.4 Legal: The Forward Plan has no legal implications.

3.5 The Forward Plan has no risk management implications. Risk Management:

3.6 **Property:** The Forward Plan has no property implications.

3.7 Other: Not applicable.

4. **Consultation Responses**

Members:

Leader of Council: Leader of the Council

Overview & Scrutiny Councillor Emma Webster at Overview and Scrutiny

Management

Management Commission meetings. **Commission Chairman:**

Ward Members: All Members Opposition Councillor Lee Dillon at Overview and Scrutiny Management

Spokesperson: Commission meetings.

Local Stakeholders: The West Berkshire Forward Plan will be published the first

working day after the Individual Decision is signed.

Officers Consulted: Nick Carter, John Ashworth, Rachael Wardell, Heads of

Service, Group Executive.

Trade Union: Not sought.

5. Other options considered

5.1 Not applicable.

6. Appendices

- 6.1 Appendix A Supporting Information
- 6.2 Appendix B Equalities Impact Assessment
- 6.3 Appendix C West Berkshire Council Forward Plan 11 December 2018 to 31 March 2019
- 6.4 Appendix D Notice of Private Decisions for 20 December 2018 Executive meeting

Individual Executive Member Decision

West Berkshire Council Forward Plan - 11 December 2018 to 31 March 2019 - Supporting Information

1. Introduction/Background

- 1.1 West Berkshire Council's Forward Plan, which is published monthly, sets out the key decisions that the Executive (either collectively or by Individual Executive Members) are expected to take over the next four months.
- 1.2 Key decisions are defined by the Government (Regulation 8 of the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements)(Access to Information)(England) Regulations 2001) as:
 - (1) Those which result in the Local Authority incurring expenditure which is, or the making of savings which are, significant having regard to the Local Authority's budget for the service or function to which the decision is related.
 - (2) Those which are significant in terms of its effect on communities living or working in an area comprising two or more wards or electoral divisions in the area of the Local Authority.
- 1.3 The introduction of The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012 in September 2012 included a requirement to publish 28 clear days' notice of any intended key decision. It should be noted that "clear days" means working days, from midnight to midnight, and excludes weekends and public holidays, so 28 clear days equates to around 5½ normal weeks.
- 1.4 On occasions, however, situations may arise where an urgent decision needs to be made in respect of an item that does not appear on the Forward Plan. There are two different ways in which this can be done:
 - (i) the authority can take an urgent key decision without giving 28 days' notice where it is impracticable to give the full notice, provided that the authority gives at least five days' clear notice to all Members of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Commission, which can then call in the decision to check that it was genuinely urgent; or
 - (ii) where a key decision is so urgent there is not even time to give five clear days' notice, the authority can take the decision if the Chairman of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Commission has agreed that the key decision is urgent and cannot reasonably be deferred.
- 1.5 In addition The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012 introduced an entirely new requirement for the Council to publish 28 clear days' notice of the intention to hold a private

meeting (or part of a meeting) of the Executive. This 28 day notice must be reinforced by a five day notice which sets out the reasons for the meeting to be held in private, details of any propositions received as to why the meeting should be open, and the Council's response. The response will be provided by the Monitoring Officer. The regulations again provide for an urgency procedure, under which the Council can decide the matter with shorter than 28 or five days' notice, provided that it has first obtained the consent of the Chairman of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Commission.

1.6 There are currently six confidential items scheduled for the 20 December 2018, 9 January 2019, 6 February 2019 and 20 March 2019 Executive meetings. The required notice is attached as Appendix B and will be displayed at the Council. If any representations are received the five day notice will be issued on 14 November 2018. The items are:

12th December 2018:

- EX 3662 GP Public Health Enhanced Services Contract (Paragraph 3 information relating to financial/business affairs of particular person)
- EX 3649 Devolution of Playgrounds to Thatcham Town Council (Paragraph 3 information relating to financial/business affairs of particular person)
- EX 3585 Proposed Property Investment (Paragraph 3 information relating to financial/business affairs of particular person) (if needed)

9th January 2019:

• EX 3586 – Proposed Property Investment (Paragraph 3 - information relating to financial/business affairs of particular person) (if needed)

6th February 2019:

• EX 3587 – Proposed Property Investment (Paragraph 3 - information relating to financial/business affairs of particular person) (if needed)

28th March 2019:

- EX 3588 Proposed Property Investment (Paragraph 3 information relating to financial/business affairs of particular person) (if needed)
- 1.7 The following amendment has been made to the 6th December 2018 Council meeting since the Forward Plan was last published:
 - C3428 Review of Polling Districts, Polling Places and Polling Stations (Slipped from the Council meeting on 6th December 2018 – a special Council meeting will need to be arranged – date to be agreed)
- 1.8 The following amendment has been made to the 12th December 2018 Executive meeting since the Forward Plan was last published:
 - EX3421 Key Accountable Performance 2018/19: Quarter Two (Added)
- 1.9 The following Individual Decisions have been added to the Forward Plan for December 2018:

- ID3413 Parking Scheme Consolidation Order Amendment 28
- ID3664 Speed Limit Review October 2018
- 1.10 Details of decisions that Full Council, the Governance and Ethics Committee and the Personnel Committee are going to take are also included for ease of reference. It should, however, be noted that the 2012 Regulations only apply to Executive meetings.
- 1.11 It should also be noted that any changes made to Executive Member Portfolios will be reflected in the Forward Plan once they are known.
- 1.12 Publication of the Forward Plan remains a statutory requirement of the Local Authority. The Forward Plan, any General Exception Decision Notices and Notices of Private Decisions have to be available for inspection and also have to be published on the Council's website.

| Background Pape None. | ers: | |
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| Subject to Call-In Yes: No: | | |
| Delays in impleme Delays in impleme Considered or revi | be referred to Council for final approval ntation could have serious financial implications for the Council ntation could compromise the Council's position ewed by Overview and Scrutiny Management Commission or groups within preceding six months Decision | |
| Report is to note o | nly | |
| Officer details: Name: Job Title: Tel No: E-mail Address: | Moira Fraser Democratic Services Manager (01635) 519045 moira.fraser@westberks.gov.uk | |

Appendix B

Equality Impact Assessment - Stage One

We need to ensure that our strategies, polices, functions and services, current and proposed have given due regard to equality and diversity.

Please complete the following questions to determine whether a Stage Two, Equality Impact Assessment is required.

| Name of policy, strategy or function: | Forward Plan |
|---|-----------------|
| Version and release date of item (if applicable): | |
| Owner of item being assessed: | Moira Fraser |
| Name of assessor: | Linda Pye |
| Date of assessment: | 30 October 2018 |

| Is this a: | | Is this: | | | | |
|------------|----|--------------------------------------|----|--|--|--|
| Policy | No | New or proposed | No | | | |
| Strategy | No | Already exists and is being reviewed | No | | | |
| Function | No | Is changing | No | | | |
| Service | No | | | | | |

| · · | objectives and intended outcomes of the policy, ce and who is likely to benefit from it? |
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| Aims: | |
| Objectives: | |
| Outcomes: | |
| Benefits: | |

2. Note which groups may be affected by the policy, strategy, function or service. Consider how they may be affected, whether it is positively or negatively and what sources of information have been used to determine this.

(Please demonstrate consideration of all strands – Age, Disability, Gender Reassignment, Marriage and Civil Partnership, Pregnancy and Maternity, Race, Religion or Belief, Sex and Sexual Orientation.)

| Group Affected | What might be the effect? | Information to support this. |
|-------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| None | | |

Are there any aspects of the policy, strategy, function or service, including how it is delivered or accessed, that could contribute to inequality?

Please provide an explanation for your answer:

Will the policy, strategy, function or service have an adverse impact upon the lives of people, including employees and service users?

Please provide an explanation for your answer:

If your answers to question 2 have identified potential adverse impacts and you have answered 'yes' to either of the sections at question 3, or you are unsure about the impact, then you should carry out a Stage 2 Equality Impact Assessment.

If a Stage Two Equality Impact Assessment is required, before proceeding you should discuss the scope of the Assessment with service managers in your area. You will also need to refer to the Equality Impact Assessment guidance and Stage Two template.

| 4. Identify next steps as appropriate: | |
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| Stage Two required | |
| Owner of Stage Two assessment: | |
| Timescale for Stage Two assessment: | |
| Stage Two not required: | Yes |

Name: Jo Reeves Date: 30 October 2018

Please now forward this completed form to Rachel Craggs, the Principal Policy Officer (Equality and Diversity) for publication on the WBC website.

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| Reference | ltem | Purpose | Decision Body | Month/Year | Executive | ID | Date Report Published | Council | Governance and Ethics Committee | OSMC | Other | Officer and Contact No | Directorate | Lead Member | Consultee(s) | Part II | Call In |
| C3428 | Review of Polling Districts, Polling Places and Polling Stations | To agree that as a consequence of the West Berkshire (Electoral Changes) Order 2018, which has reduced the number of Council wards from 31 to 24, it is necessary to make minor changes to polling district boundaries in certain areas (Newbury, Thatcham and Tilehurst). Also minor changes are desirable, but not required, in other areas - Burghfield, Hungerford and Theale. | | 01 December 2018 | | | ТВА | ТВА | | | | Phil Runacres | Resources | Corporate Services | | No | No |
| EX3608 | Devolution | To determine plans for devolution to Parish and Town Councils. | EX | 01 December 2018 | 20/12/18 EX | | 12/12/18 | | | | | Jo Naylor | Resources | Community Resilience and Partnerships | | No | Yes |
| EX3562 | Revenue Financial Performance Report - Q2 of 2018/19 | To inform Members of the latest financial performance of the Council. | EX | 01 December 2018 | 20/12/18 EX | | 12/12/18 | | | | | Melanie Ellis | Resources | Finance, Transformation and Property | | N o | Yes |
| EX3592 | Capital Financial Performance Report - Q2 of 2018/19 | To inform Members of the latest financial performance of the Council. | EX | 01 December 2018 | 20/12/18 EX | | 12/12/18 | | | | | Shannon Coleman- Slaughter | Resources | Finance, Transformation and Property | | N o | Yes |
| EX3421 | Key Accountable Performance 2018/19: Quarter Two | To report Q2 outturns for the Key Accountable Measures which monitor performance against the 2018/19 Council Performance Framework. To provide assurance that the objectives set out in the Council Strategy and other areas of significant activity are being managed effectively. To present, by exception, those measures that are predicted to be 'amber' or 'red' and provide information on any remedial action taken and the impact of that action. To recommend changes to measures/targets as requested by services. | EX | 01 December 2018 | 20/12/18 EX | | 12/12/18 | | | 15/01/19 | | Catalin Bogos | Resources | Corporate Services | | No | Yes |
| EX3662 | GP Public Health Enhanced Services Contract (Paragraph 3 - information relating to financial/business affairs of particular person) | To discuss an exception report. | EX | 01 December 2018 | 20/12/18 EX | | 12/12/18 | | | | | Edward Clintworth | Resources | Health and Wellbeing | | Yes | Yes |
| EX3649 | Devolution of Playgrounds to Thatcham Town Council (Paragraph 3 - information relating to financial/business affairs of particular person) | To consider Thatcham Town Council's (TTC) devolution proposal for the freehold transfer, and all future maintenance, of the open space and associated playgrounds at a number of sites. | EX | 01 December 2018 | 20/12/18 EX | | 12/12/18 | | | | 16/10/18 AMG | Paul Hendry | Environment | Planning, Housing and Waste | | Yes | Yes |
| EX3655 | Response to Council Motion on Unauthorised Encampments | To provide a response to the Motion asking the Council to assess the susceptibility of each of its green areas in towns and villages to unauthorised encampments presented to the September Council meeting. | EX | 01 December 2018 | 20/12/18 EX | | 12/12/18 | | | | | Paul Hendry | Economy and Environment | Highways, Transport, Environment and Countryside | | No | Yes |
| EX3585 | Proposed Property Investment (Paragraph 3 - information relating to financial/business affairs of particular person) | To agree to the potential purchase of a property which does not conform with the criteria of the Property Investment Strategy | EX | 01 December 2018 | 20/12/18 EX | | 12/12/18 | | | | | Richard Turner | Communities | Finance, Transformation and Property | | Yes | No |
| ID3413 | Parking scheme - Consolidation Order Amendment 28 | To consider the responses received during statutory consultation | ID | 01 December 2018 | | 01/12/18 | TBC | | | | | Alex Drysdale | Environment | Highways and Transport, Environment and Countryside | Statutory consultees, general public, Town and | No | Yes |
| ID3664 | Speed Limit Review October 2018 | To approve the statutory consultation for altering the speed limit on a number of roads following a meeting of the speed limit task group | ID | 01 December 2018 | | 13/12/18 | 05/12/18 | | | | | Glyn Davis | Economy and Environment | | | No | Yes |
| | Implementation of External Review | To approve the agreed Action Plan following the External Review of the Service | PP | 01 December 2018 | | | 30/11/18 | | | | 11/12/18 JPPC | Sean Murphy | Economy and Environment | Cllr lain McCracken - Bracknell Forest District Council | JMB | No | No |
| | Performance Report | Quarter 2 Performance | PP | 01 December 2018 | | | 30/11/18 | | | | 11/12/18 JPPC | Anna Smy | Economy and Environment | Cllr lain McCracken - Bracknell Forest District Council | JMB | No | No |
| | Operational Delegation of Work | To approve the operational activities of the PPP. | PP | 01 December 2018 | | | 30/11/18 | | | | 11/12/18 JPPC | Sean Murphy | Economy and Environment | Cllr Iain McCracken - Bracknell Forest District Council | JMB | No | No |
| EX3609 | Devolution | To determine plans for devolution to Parish and Town Councils. | EX | 01 January 2019 | 17/01/19 EX | | 09/01/19 | | | | | Jo Naylor | Resources | Community Resilience and Partnerships | | No | Yes |
| EX3586 | Proposed Property Investment (Paragraph 3 - information relating to financial/business affairs of particular person) | To agree to the potential purchase of a property which does not conform with the criteria of the Property Investment Strategy | ĒΧ | 01 January 2019 | 17/01/19 EX | | 09/01/19 | | | | | Richard Turner | Communities | Finance, Transformation and Property | | Yes | No |
| ID3449 | West Berkshire Council Forward Plan – 5 February 2019 to 31 May 2019 | To agree the Forward Plan for the next four months. | ID | 01 January 2019 | | 03/01/19 | 21/12/18 | | | | | Moira Fraser | Resources | Leader of the Council, Strategy | Corporate Directors and Heads of Service | No | No |

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| | Joint Public Protection Committee | To consider the effectiveness of the Public Protection Shared Service and the process for setting fees and charges. | OSMC | 01 January 2019 | | | 07/01/19 | | | 15/01/19 | | Sean Murphy | Economy and Environment | Community Resilience and Partnerships | | No | No |
| EX3593 | Capital Financial Performance Report - Q3 of 2018/19 | To inform Members of the latest financial performance of the Council. | EX | 01 February 2019 | 14/02/19 EX | | 06/02/19 | | | | | Shannon Coleman- Slaughter | Resources | Finance, Transformation and Property | | No | Yes |
| EX3563 | Revenue Financial Performance Report - Q3 of 2018/19 | To inform Members of the latest financial performance of the Council. | EX | 01 February 2019 | 14/02/19 EX | | 06/02/19 | | | | | Melanie Ellis | Resources | Finance, Transformation and Property | | No | Yes |
| EX3610 | Devolution | To determine plans for devolution to Parish and Town Councils. | EX | 01 February 2019 | 14/02/19 EX | | 06/02/19 | | | | | Jo Naylor | Resources | Community Resilience and Partnerships | | No | Yes |
| EX3587 | Proposed Property Investment (Paragraph 3 - information relating to financial/business affairs of particular person) | To agree to the potential purchase of a property which does not conform with the criteria of the Property Investment Strategy | EX | 01 February 2019 | 14/02/19 EX | | 06/02/19 | | | | | Richard Turner | Communities | Finance, Transformation and Property | | Yes | No |
| GE3406 | Internal Audit – Interim Report 2018 19 | To agree the interim Internal Audit report for 2018/19. | GE | 01 February 2019 | | | 25/01/19 | | 04/02/19 GE | | | Julie Gillhespey | Resources | Corporate Services | | No | Yes |
| ID3450 | West Berkshire Council Forward Plan – 19 March 2019 to 30 June 2019 | | ID | 01 February 2019 | | 14/02/19 | 06/02/19 | | | | | Moira Fraser | Resources | Leader of the Council, Strategy | Corporate Directors and Heads of Service | | No |
| C3405 | Amendments to the Constitution – Scheme of Delegation | To review and amend sections of the Scheme of Delegation in light of legislative changes and current practice. | C | 01 March 2019 | | | 25/01/19 | 05/03/19 C | 04/02/19 GE | | | Sarah Clarke | Resources | Corporate Services | | No | No |
| C3650 | Governance of the Code of Conduct Regime | To consider the governance arrangements around Standards complaints. | С | 01 March 2019 | | | 25/01/19 | 05/03/19 C | 04/02/19 GE | | | Sarah Clarke | Resources | Corporate Services | | No | No |
| C3576 | Supplementary Planning Documen for Sustainable Drainage | t To agree the SPD for sustainable drainage. | С | 01 March 2019 | | | 26/02/19 | 05/03/19 C | | | | Stuart Clark | Environment | Planning, Housing and Waste | | No | No |
| C3613 | Investment and Borrowing Strategy 2019/20 | In compliance with the Local Government Act 2003, this report summarises the Council's Borrowing Limits as set out by CIPFA's Prudential Code and recommends the Annual Investment and Borrowing Strategy for 2019/20 | С | 01 March 2019 | 14/02/19 EX | | 26/02/19 | 05/03/19 C | | | | Gabrielle Esplin | Resources | Finance, Transformation and Property | | No | No |
| C3615 | Capital Strategy and Programme 2019/20 to 2023/24 | To outline the five year Capital Strategy for 2019 to 2024, including the Minimum Revenue Provision (MRP) Statement and the Asset Management Plans for Property and Highways, and to set out the funding framework for the Council's five year Capital Programme for 2019/20 to 2023/24. | | 01 March 2019 | 14/02/19 EX | | 26/02/19 | 05/03/19 C | | | | Shannon Coleman- Slaughter | Resources | Finance, Transformation and Property | | No | No |
| C3614 | Medium Term Financial Strategy 2019/20 to 2021/22 | To agree the medium term financial planning and strategy for the organisation | С | 01 March 2019 | 14/02/19 EX | | 26/02/19 | 05/03/19 C | | | | Andy Walker | Resources | Finance, Transformation and Property | | No | No |
| C3617 | Statutory Pay Policy 2019 | To seek Council's approval of the Statutory Pay Policy Statement for publication from 1st April 2019. | С | 01 March 2019 | | | 26/02/19 | 05/03/19 C | | | | Robert O'Reilly | Resources | Corporate Services | | No | No |
| C3616 | Revenue Budget 2019/20 | To consider and recommend to Counc the 2019-20 Revenue Budget. | C | 01 March 2019 | 14/02/19 EX | | 26/02/19 | 05/03/19 C | | | | Melanie Ellis | Resources | Finance, Transformation and Property | | No | No |
| C3647 | West Berkshire Vision 2036 | For the Council to approve the Vision 2036 document and the proposed delivery framework | С | 01 March 2019 | | | 26/02/19 | 05/03/19 C | | | | Gabrielle Mancini | Resources | Corporate Services | | No | No |
| EX3422 | Key Accountable Performance 2018/19: Quarter Three | To report Q3 outturns for the Key Accountable Measures which monitor performance against the 2018/19 Council Performance Framework. To provide assurance that the objectives set out in the Council Strategy and other areas of significant activity are being managed effectively. To present, by exception, those measures that are predicted to be 'amber' or 'red' and provide information on any remedial action taken and the impact of that action. To recommend changes to measures/targets as requested by services. | | 01 March 2019 | 28/03/19 EX | | 20/03/19 | | | 09/04/19 | | Catalin Bogos | Resources | Corporate Services | | | Yes |
| EX3611 | Devolution | To determine plans for devolution to Parish and Town Councils. | EX | 01 March 2019 | 28/03/19 EX | | 20/03/19 | | | | | Jo Naylor | Resources | Community Resilience and Partnerships | | No | Yes |
| EX3588 | Proposed Property Investment (Paragraph 3 - information relating to financial/business affairs of particular person) | To agree to the potential purchase of a property which does not conform with the criteria of the Property Investment Strategy | EX | 01 March 2019 | 28/03/19 EX | | 20/03/19 | | | | | Richard Turner | Communities | Finance, Transformation and Property | | Yes | No |

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| PP3652 | Public Protection Partnership Community Fund Applications | To consider applications for the Public Protection Community Fund and where appropriate approve for payment | | 01 March 2019 | | | ТВА | | | | ТВА | Paul Anstey | Economy and Environment | Cllr lain McCracken - Bracknell Forest District Council | JMB | No | Yes | |
| PP3653 | Public Protection Partnership Control Strategy | To consider draft Public Protection Partnership Control Strategy and amend and Approve | PP | 01 March 2019 | | | ТВА | | | | TBA | Sean Murphy | Economy and Environment | Cllr Iain McCracken - Bracknell Forest District Council | JMB | No | Yes | |
| PP3654 | Public Protection Partnership Strategic Assessment | To consider draft Public Protection Partnership Strategic Assessment and amend and Approve | PP | 01 March 2019 | | | ТВА | | | | ТВА | Sean Murphy | Economy and Environment | Cllr lain McCracken - Bracknell Forest District Council | JMB | No | Yes | |

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NOTICE OF A PRIVATE MEETING OF A DECISION-MAKING BODY¹

Notice of an imminent occasion when the public may be excluded from a meeting due to the likelihood that if members of the public were present during an item of business confidential or exempt information would be disclosed to them.

¹ In accordance with Regulation 5(7) of the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012.

- 1. At least 28 clear days before a private meeting² of a decision-making body, public notice³ must be given which must include a statement of reasons for the meeting to be held in private.
- 2. At least 5 clear days before a private meeting of a decision-making body, further public notice⁴ must be given which must include a statement of reasons for the meeting to be held in private, details of any representations received by the decision-making body about why the meeting should be open to the public and a statement of the Council's response to such representations.
- 3. Where the date by which a meeting must be held makes compliance with the above requirements impracticable, the meeting may only be held in private where the decision-making body has obtained agreement from the Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Commission.

| Date of Decision | Ref No: | Matter in respect of which the decision is to be made | Short Description | Decision maker | Executive Member & Lead Officer | List of documents to be submitted to decision maker | Public or Private meeting. Statement of reasons if private. |
|---------------------|---------|---|--|----------------|---|---|---|
| 20 December 2018 | EX3662 | GP Public Health Enhanced Services Contract | To discuss an exception report | Executive | Councillor Rick Jones Edward Clintworth | Report and associated appendices | (Paragraph 3 - information relating to financial/business affairs of particular person) |
| 20 December 2018 | EX3649 | Devolution of Playgrounds to Thatcham Town Council | To consider Thatcham Town Council's (TTC) devolution proposal for the freehold transfer, and all future maintenance, of the open space and associated playgrounds at a number of sites | Executive | Councillor Hilary Cole Paul Hendry | Report and associated appendices | (Paragraph 3 - information relating to financial/business affairs of particular person) |
| 20 December 2018 | EX3585 | Proposed Property Investment | To agree to the potential purchase of a property which does not conform with the criteria of the Property Investment Strategy | Executive | Councillor Anthony Chadley Richard Turner | Report and associated appendices | (Paragraph 3 - information relating to financial/business affairs of particular person) |

Andy Day Head of Strategic Support West Berkshire Council

² A 'private meeting' means a meeting or part of a meeting of a decision making body which is open to the public except to the extent that the public are excluded due to the confidential or exempt business to be transacted.

Date: 30 October 2018

³ In accordance with Regulation 5(2) of the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012.

⁴ In accordance with Regulation 5(4) of the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012.