



## THE CABINET

Tuesday 5 September 2023

### NOTIFICATION TO COUNCIL MEMBERS OF THE DECISIONS MADE

The Cabinet made the decisions below at its meeting on Tuesday 5 September 2023.

Each decision save for those which are recommendations to the Council will come into effect at 10:00 on Tuesday 12 September 2023 unless it is called in under the procedure set out in Chichester District Council's Constitution.

Any decisions marked by an asterisk are considered to be urgent and are not subject to the call-in procedure.

AGENDA ITEM NO	AGENDA ITEM DESCRIPTION AND DECISION
4	<p><b>*Project Extension - Trees Outside Woodlands</b></p> <p><b>*RECOMMENDATIONS TO COUNCIL</b></p> <p><b>That Cabinet recommend to Council:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>1. The acceptance of funding from Defra for the extension of the Trees Outside Woodlands Project of £120,000 for 2023/2024 and £120,000 for 2024/2025.</b></li><li><b>2. That a budget of £120,000 is set for 2023/2024 and 2024/2025, to cover staff costs and expenditure on tree planting pilot projects.</b></li><li><b>3. That authority is delegated to the Director of Planning and Environment to accept any additional funding offered by Defra, should such funding be offered as part of the project, and to increase budgets accordingly.</b></li><li><b>4. That authority is delegated to the Divisional Manager for Environment and Health Protection, in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Environmental Strategy, to award funding to tree planting pilot participants in the District.</b></li></ol>
5	<p><b>2022-23 Treasury Management outturn report</b></p> <p><b>RESOLVED</b></p> <p><b>That Cabinet considers the Treasury and Investment activity summarised</b></p>

	<p>in this report.</p>
6	<p><b>Establishment of a Budget Review Group</b></p> <p><b>RESOLVED</b></p> <p><b>That Cabinet approve the setting up of a Budget Review Group, and the Terms of Reference as set out in Appendix 1 of the report.</b></p>
7	<p><b>Repair of Timber Access Ramp, East Beach, Selsey</b></p> <p><b>RESOLVED</b></p> <p><b>That Cabinet:</b></p> <p><b>(a) Allocates £51,000 from general fund reserves for repairs to the ramp.</b></p> <p><b>(b) Notes that from 2025-26 revenue budget growth of £7,000 per year will be required to enable on-going surveying, and repair and maintenance of the ramp.</b></p> <p><b>(c) Notes that any further essential repairs that cannot be accommodated within the repairs and maintenance budget will be assessed on a case-by-case basis.</b></p> <p><b>(d) Requests that officers seek support for on-going revenue costs from Selsey Town Council and other interested stakeholders.</b></p>
8	<p><b>West Wittering Neighbourhood Plan Decision Statement</b></p> <p><b>RESOLVED</b></p> <p><b>That Cabinet approved:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>1. The Decision Statement as set out in the appendix for publication.</b></li> <li><b>2. The examiner's recommendation that the Neighbourhood Development Plan proceed to referendum, subject to modifications as set out in the Decision Statement.</b></li> </ol>
9	<p><b>Approval of the draft A27 Chichester Bypass Mitigation Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) for public consultation</b></p> <p><b>RESOLVED</b></p> <p><b>That Cabinet approves the draft A27 Chichester Bypass Mitigation Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) for public consultation for a period of six weeks to commence prior to 23 September 2023.</b></p>

10	<p><b>Draft Statement of Community Involvement (SCI) for Consultation</b></p> <p><b>RESOLVED</b></p> <p><b>That Cabinet approve the Statement of Community Involvement for a 6-week public consultation.</b></p>
11	<p><b>Energy Advice Service Funding</b></p> <p><b>RESOLVED</b></p> <p><b>That Cabinet approve the allocation of £60,000 from general fund reserves to fund the Energy Advice Service delivered by Arun and Chichester Citizens Advice(ACCA) for up to 3 years at £20,000 per annum with an annual review built in. This service is for the benefit of Chichester District Council residents.</b></p>
12	<p><b>Engagement Response to WSCC’s Route K of the Chichester City Local Cycling and Walking Infrastructure Plan</b></p> <p><b>RESOLVED</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>1. That Cabinet supports the WSCC public engagement and consultation regarding Route K of the Council’s Chichester City Local Cycling and Walking Infrastructure Plan and indicates a preference for Option 2 and Option A of the proposals.</b></li> <li><b>2. Cabinet also endorses the comments by Cllr Brown to be included in the covering letter to West Sussex County Council.</b></li> </ol>
13	<p><b>Public Spaces Protection Order - Dog Control 2023</b></p> <p><b>RESOLVED</b></p> <p><b>That Cabinet authorises the making of the attached Public Spaces Protection Order - Dog Control 2023 relating to the dog behaviour and geographical areas set out in appendices 1 and 2 to the agenda report.</b></p>
14	<p><b>Urgent Decision Notice</b></p> <p><b>Noted.</b></p>
15	<p><b>Late Items</b></p> <p><b><u>Approval of the draft Infrastructure Business Plan 2024-29 for consultation (with the City, Town and Parish Councils and key Infrastructure Delivery Commissioners)</u></b></p>

**RESOLVED**

**That the Cabinet approve the Draft Infrastructure Business Plan 2024-29 (Appendix 1) for consultation (with the City, Town and Parish Councils, neighbouring local authorities including the South Downs National Park Authority and key infrastructure Delivery Commissioners) for a period of six weeks from 13 September to 25 October 2023.**

Democratic Services  
6 September 2023