

Taking pride in our communities and town

NOTIFICATION OF DECISIONS

1 OCTOBER 2016 TO 31 DECEMBER 2016

For further information, contact Democratic Services as detailed above.

SLOUGH BOROUGH COUNCIL

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Slough Borough Council has a decision making process involving an Executive (Cabinet) and a Scrutiny Function.

As part of the process, the Council will publish a Notification of Decisions which sets out the decisions which the Cabinet intends to take over the following 3 months. The Notice includes both Key and non Key decisions. Key decisions are those which are financially significant or have a significant impact on 2 or more Wards in the Town. This Notice supersedes all previous editions.

Whilst the majority of the Cabinet's business at the meetings listed in this document will be open to the public and media organisations to attend, there will inevitably be some business to be considered that contains, for example, confidential, commercially sensitive or personal information.

This is formal notice under The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012 that part of the Cabinet meetings listed in this Notice will/may be held in private because the agenda and reports for the meeting will contain exempt information under Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985 (as amended) and that the public interest in withholding the information outweighs the public interest in disclosing it.

This document provides a summary of the reason why a matter is likely to be considered in private / Part II. The full reasons are listed alongside the report on the Council's website.

If you have any queries, or wish to make any representations in relation to the meeting being held in private for the consideration of the Part II items, please email <u>catherine.meek@slough.gov.uk</u> (no later than 15 calendar days before the meeting date listed).

What will you find in the Notice?

For each decision, the plan will give:

- The subject of the report.
- Who will make the decision.
- The date on which or the period in which the decision will be made.
- Contact details of the officer preparing the report.
- A list of those documents considered in the preparation of the report (if not published elsewhere).
- The likelihood the report would contain confidential or exempt information.

What is a Key Decision?

An executive decision which is likely either:

- To result in the Council Incurring expenditure which is, or the making of savings which are, significant having regard to the Council's budget for the service or function to which the decision relates; or
- To be significant in terms of its effects on communities living or working in an area comprising two or more wards within the borough.

Who will make the Decision?

Decisions set out in this Notice will be taken by the Cabinet, unless otherwise specified. All decisions (unless otherwise stated) included in this Notice will be taken on the basis of a written report and will be published on the Council's website before the meeting.

The members of the Cabinet are as follows:

- Leader of the Council Finance & Strategy
 Councillor Munawar
- Education & Children's Services and Health & Social Care (& Deputy Leader)
- Housing & Urban Renewal
- Environment and Leisure
- Regulation and Consumer Protection
- Transport and Highways
- Digital transformation & Customer Care

Where can you find a copy of the Notification of Decisions?

The Plan will be updated and republished monthly. A copy can be obtained from Democratic Services at St Martin's Place, 51 Bath Road on weekdays between 9.00 a.m. and 4.45 p.m., from MyCouncil, Landmark Place, High Street, or Tel: (01753) 875120, email: <u>catherine.meek@slough.gov.uk</u>. Copies will be available in the Borough's libraries and a copy will be published on Slough Borough Council's Website.

How can you have your say on Cabinet reports?

Each Report has a contact officer. If you want to comment or make representations, notify the contact officer before the deadline given.

Councillor Hussain Councillor Ajaib Councillor Bal Councillor Sohal Councillor Matloob Councillor Sharif

What about the Papers considered when the decision is made?

Reports relied on to make key decisions will be available before the meeting on the Council's website or are available from Democratic Services.

Can you attend the meeting at which the decision will be taken?

Where decisions are made by the Cabinet, the majority of these will be made in open meetings. Some decisions have to be taken in private, where they are exempt or confidential as detailed in the Local Government Act 1972. You will be able to attend the discussions on all other decisions.

When will the decision come into force?

Implementation of decisions will be delayed for 5 working days after Members are notified of the decisions to allow Members to refer the decisions to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee, unless the decision is urgent, in which case it may be implemented immediately.

What about key decisions taken by officers?

Many of the Council's decisions are taken by officers under delegated authority. Key decisions will be listed with those to be taken by the Cabinet. Key and Significant Decisions taken under delegated authority are reported monthly and published on the Council's website.

Are there exceptions to the above arrangements?

There will be occasions when it will not be possible to include a decision/report in this Notice. If a key decision is not in this Notice but cannot be delayed until the next Notice is published, it can still be taken if:

- The Head of Democratic Services has informed the Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee or relevant Scrutiny Panel in writing, of the proposed decision/action. (In the absence of the above, the Mayor and Deputy Mayor will be consulted);
- Copies of the Notice have been made available to the Public; and at least 5 working days have passed since public notice was given.
- If the decision is too urgent to comply with the above requirement, the agreement of the Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee has been obtained that the decision cannot be reasonably deferred.
- If the decision needs to be taken in the private part of a meeting (Part II) and Notice of this has not been published, the Head of Democratic Services will seek permission from the Chair of Overview & Scrutiny, and publish a Notice setting out how representations can be made in relation to the intention to consider the matter in Part II of the agenda. Urgent Notices are published on the Council's <u>website</u>.

Cabinet - 17th October 2016

Item	Port- folio	Ward	Priority	Contact Officer	Other Committee	Background Documents	New Item	Likely to be Part II
Finance Update To receive an update on the latest revenue and capital expenditure and to consider any write off and virement requests.	F&S	All	All	Stephen Fitzgerald, Interim AD, Finance & Audit Tel: 01753 875358	-	None	\checkmark	
Digital Transformation To set out the emerging business case considerations for and approach to the Council's digital transformation and seek approval to proceed with the Design Phase as proposed.	DT	All	All	Nick Vat, Business Transformation Manager Tel: 07949 329 645	-	None	\checkmark	
HRA Business Plan To consider the Housing Revenue Account (HRA) Business Plan.	H&U	All	All	Mike England, Interim Strategic Director Regeneration, Housing & Resources	-	None	V	Yes, p3 LGA
Parking Strategy To consider the refreshed Parking Strategy.	T&H	All	All	Kam Hothi, Parking Enforcement Manager Tel: 01753 787899	-	None	V	

Disposal of Land at Gurney House, Upton RoadTo seek approval to dispose of land at Gurney House, Upton Road to Slough Urban Renewal (SUR) to commence a 10 unit housing development.	H&U	Upton	Regenerati on & Environme nt	Stephen Gibson, Head of Asset Management Tel: 01753 875852	-	None	N	Yes, p3 LGA
Slough Basin Options Report To seek approval to grant an option over SBC's land at Slough Basin, Stoke Road to Slough Urban Renewal (SUR) to promote a residential mixed use development.	H&U	Central; Elliman	Regenerati on & Environme nt	Stephen Gibson, Head of Asset Management Tel: 01753 875852	-	None	1	Yes, p3 LGA
Trelawney Avenue Redevelopment Plan Update To consider a further report on the progress of the Trelawney Avenue Redevelopment Plan.	H&U	Langley Kedermister	All	Stephen Gibson, Head of Asset Management Tel: 01753 875852	-	None	V	Yes, p3 LGA
References from Overview & Scrutiny To consider any recommendations from the Overview & Scrutiny Committee and Scrutiny Panels.	DT	All	All	Shabana Kauser, Senior Democratic Services Officer Tel: 01753 787503	-	None		
Notification of Forthcoming Decisions To endorse the published Notification of Decisions.	F&S	All	All	Catherine Meek, Head of Democratic Services Tel: 01753 875011	-	None Notification of Forthcoming Decisions		

Cabinet - 21st November 2016

Item	Port- folio	Ward	Priority	Contact Officer	Other Committee	Background Documents	New Item	Likely to be Part II
Finance Update To receive an update on the latest revenue and capital expenditure and to consider any write off and virement requests.	F&S	All	All	Stephen Fitzgerald, Interim AD, Finance & Audit Tel: 01753 875358	-	None	\checkmark	
Performance Report: 2nd Quarter 2016/17 To receive the latest performance information for the period between July to September 2016.	F&S	All	All	Stephen Fitzgerald, Interim AD, Finance & Audit Tel: 01753 875358	-	None		
Issues and Options for review of the Local Plan for Slough To agree Issues and Options for the review of Slough's Local Plan which would be the subject of public consultation.	H&U	All	All	Paul Stimpson, Strategic Lead Planning Policy & Projects Tel: (01753) 875820	Planning Committee	None		
References from Overview & Scrutiny To consider any recommendations from the Overview & Scrutiny Committee and Scrutiny Panels.	DT	All	All	Shabana Kauser, Senior Democratic Services Officer Tel: 01753 787503	-	None		
Notification of Forthcoming Decisions To endorse the published Notification of Decisions.	F&S	All	All	Catherine Meek, Head of Democratic Services Tel: 01753 875011	-	None		

Cabinet - 19th December 2016

ltem	Port- folio	Ward	Priority	Contact Officer	Other Committee	Background Documents	New Item	Likely to be Part II
Finance Update To receive an update on the latest revenue and capital expenditure and to consider any write off and virement requests.	F&S	All	All	Stephen Fitzgerald, Interim AD, Finance & Audit Tel: 01753 875358	-	None		
Council Taxbases for 2016/17 To present information on the properties in Slough and their categories of occupation for the purpose of determining the council taxbase for the borough for the 2016/17 financial year.	F&S	All	All	Stephen Fitzgerald, Interim AD, Finance & Audit Tel: 01753 875358	-	None	\checkmark	
Subsidiary Housing Companies Update Further to the Cabinet decisions of 5 th September 2016, to receive an update on the establishment of a housing company group structure and business plan.	H&U	All	All	Stephen Gibson, Head of Asset Management Tel: 01753 875852	-	None	\checkmark	Yes, p3 LGA
Learning Disabilities Services Reconfiguration Update As agreed at the Cabinet meeting on 17 th July 2016, to consider a further report on the progress made in reconfiguring learning disability day services.	H&S	All	All	Alan Sinclair, Assistant Director, Adult Social Care Tel: (01753) 875752	-	None	N	

References from Overview & Scrutiny To consider any recommendations from the Overview & Scrutiny Committee and Scrutiny Panels.	DT	All	All	Shabana Kauser, Senior Democratic Services Officer Tel: 01753 787503	-	None	\checkmark	
Notification of Forthcoming Decisions To endorse the published Notification of Decisions.	F&S	All	All	Catherine Meek, Head of Democratic Services Tel: 01753 875011	-	None	\checkmark	