Leicester City Council

PLAN OF KEY DECISIONS

On or after 1 April 2018

What is the plan of key decisions?

As required by legal regulations the Council publishes a document to show certain types of decision known as 'key decisions' that are intended to be taken by the Council's Executive (City Mayor, Deputy City Mayor and Assistant City Mayors). The legislation requires that this document is published 28 clear days before a decision contained in the document can be taken. This document by no means covers all the decisions which the Executive will be taking in the near future.

Details of the other decisions, the City Mayor and the Executive also take can be found at www.cabinet.leicester.gov.uk/mgdelegateddecisions.aspx?bcr=1

What is a key decision?

A key decision is an executive decision which is likely:

- 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 two or more wards in the City.

Full details of the definition can be viewed at https://www.leicester.gov.uk/your-council/how-we-work/plan-of-key-decisions/

What information is included in the plan?

The plan identifies how, when and who will take each key decision, who to contact for more information or to make representations, and in addition where applicable, who will be consulted before the decision is taken.

The plan is published on the Council's website.

Prior to the taking of each executive key decision, please note that the relevant decision notice and accompanying report will be published on the Council's website and can be found at

http://www.cabinet.leicester.gov.uk/mgdelegateddecisions.aspx?bcr=1

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1. A place to do business

What is the Decision to be taken?	NEW OPPORTUNITIES
	To approve the investment in new
	opportunities through the use of New
	Opportunities funding.
Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive

When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	None.
Who can I contact for further	Matthew.Wallace@leicester.gov.uk
information or to make	
representations	

What is the Decision to be taken?	BUSINESS RATES POOL FUNDING As accountable body to the LLEP, decision to delegate authority to the Strategic Director City, Development and Neighbourhoods to sign off individual project allocations from the 16/17 Business Rates Pool for economic development investment projects, as recommended by the LLEP.	
Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive	
When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018	
Who will be consulted and how?	The appraisal and decision making process for projects to receive investment involves multiple LLEP stakeholders from the public, private and voluntary sectors. The individual projects recommended for investment will be appraised and decided according to process set out in the LLEP's Local Assurance Framework.	
Who can I contact for further information or to make representations	David.Wright@leicester.gov.uk	

What is the Decision to be taken?	DECISIONS ACTING AS ACCOUNTABLE BODY TO THE LLEP Decisions as a consequence of being the Accountable Body to the Leicester and Leicestershire Enterprise Partnership, as and when they arise.
Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive
When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	Proposals will have been subject to the LLEP governance processes.
Who can I contact for further information or to make representations	Colin.Sharpe@leicester.gov.uk

What is the Decision to be taken?	HAYMARKET CAR PARK REFURBISHMENT AND ASSOCIATED WORKS
Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive
When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018

Who will be consulted and how?	
Who can I contact for further information or to make representations	Neil.Gamble@leicester.gov.uk

2. Getting about in Leicester

What is the Decision to be taken?	LEICESTER NORTH WEST MAJOR TRANSPORT SCHEME PHASE 2
Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive
When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	Public consultation undertaken of scheme design. Ongoing engagement with stakeholders and County Council.
Who can I contact for further information or to make representations	John.Dowson@leicester.gov.uk / Joanna.Aitken@leicester.gov.uk

What is the Decision to be taken?	CONNECTING LEICESTER PHASE 3 Decision to approve funds to progress the next phases of Connecting Leicester including schemes in the Market area, Pocklingtons Walk/Horsefair Street and London Road/Lancaster Road – to be funded as part of the Economic Action Plan and through external grant funding.
Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive
When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	Public, stakeholder and planning application consultation carried out on each scheme as appropriate.
Who can I contact for further information or to make representations	Andrewl.Smith@leicester.gov.uk

What is the Decision to be taken?	MEMBERSHIP OF MIDLANDS CONNECT SUB-NATIONAL TRANSPORT BODY For Leicester City Council to be a constituent member of a statutory Midlands Connect Sub- National Transport Body covering the whole of the Midlands
Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive
When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	Consultation will be carried out by Midlands

	Connect of interested parties and stakeholders
Who can I contact for further information or to make representations	Garry.Scott@leicester.gov.uk

3. A low carbon city

No decisions due to be taken under this heading for the current period

4. The built and natural environment

What is the Decision to be taken?	TECHNICAL SERVICES REVIEW - TRANSFORMING DEPOTS To approve a programme of rationalisation, disposal and improvement of the Council's depots. Planned capital expenditure is expected to be funded from the proceeds of disposals.
Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive
When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	No external consultation is required, as this relates to the Council's operational arrangements.
Who can I contact for further information or to make representations	Philip.Davison@leicester.gov.uk

What is the Decision to be taken?	WATERSIDE OFFICE LETTING SPACE Decision to take an option to lease up to 17,000sqft of new office space in Waterside for onward letting to external businesses and organisations to promote economic
Who will decide?	development. City Mayor/Executive
	Not before 1 Apr 2018
When will they decide?	·
Who will be consulted and how?	Consultation is not required to take an option
	to lease.
Who can I contact for further information or to make representations	louise.seymour@leicester.gov.uk

What is the Decision to be taken?	THE DEMOLITION OF GOSCOTE HOUSE
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Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive
When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	Housing Scrutiny Commission
Who can I contact for further	Simon.Nicholls@leicester.gov.uk
information or to make	
representations	

5. A healthy and active city

What is the Decision to be taken?	FUTURE MODEL OF INTEGRATED LIFESTYLE SERVICES
Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive
When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	Providers, service users, public and other stakeholders primarily through meetings, questionnaires and interviews.
Who can I contact for further information or to make representations	Jo.Atkinson@leicester.gov.uk

What is the Decision to be taken?	SPORTS AND LEISURE SERVICES REVIEW
Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive
When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	Providers, service users, public and other stakeholders primarily through meetings, questionnaires and interviews
Who can I contact for further information or to make representations	Andrew.Beddow@leicester.gov.uk

6. Providing care and support

No decisions due to be taken under this heading for the current period

7. Our children and young people

What is the Decision to be taken?	ADDITIONAL SCHOOL PLACES
	To approve capital funding for additional

	school places for 2017/18 and 2018/19
	academic years
Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive
When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	
	Schools
Who can I contact for further	Rob.Thomas@leicester.gov.uk
information or to make	
representations	

8. Our neighbourhoods and communities

No decisions due to be taken under this heading for the current period

9. A strong and democratic council

What is the Decision to be taken?	REVENUE BUDGET MONITORING 2017/18 PERIOD 9 Decisions consequential to the monitoring of expenditure in 2017/18 (if any).
Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive
When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	Overview Select Committee – date to be advised.
Who can I contact for further information or to make representations	Alison.Greenhill@leicester.gov.uk

What is the Decision to be taken?	CAPITAL MONITORING 2017/18 PERIOD 9
	Decisions consequential to the monitoring of
	expenditure in 2017/18 (if any).
Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive
When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	Overview Select Committee, date to be
	advised.
Who can I contact for further	Alison.Greenhill@leicester.gov.uk
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What is the Decision to be taken?	REVENUE OUTTURN 2017/18
	Decisions consequential to the monitoring of
	expenditure in 2017/18 (if any).
Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive

When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	Overview Select Committee – date to be
	advised.
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When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	Overview Select Committee, date to be advised.
Who can I contact for further information or to make representations	Alison.Greenhill@leicester.gov.uk

What is the Decision to be taken?	INVESTMENT PROPERTY To approve the purchase of investment property through use of Investment Property funding.
Who will decide?	City Mayor/Executive
When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	None
Who can I contact for further	Matthew.Wallace@leicester.gov.uk
information or to make	
representations	

What is the Decision to be taken?	EQUALITY STRATEGY 2018-2022 To approve a new corporate equality strategy which sets out our approach to meeting the general aims of our Public Sector Equality Duty and what our equality priorities as an organisation are.
Who will decide?	Deputy City Mayor with responsibility for Culture, Leisure, Sport and Regulatory Services
When will they decide?	Not before 1 Apr 2018
Who will be consulted and how?	None
Who can I contact for further information or to make representations	Hannah.Watkins@leicester.gov.uk