

**PETERBOROUGH CITY  
COUNCIL'S FORWARD PLAN  
1 JANUARY 2012 TO 30 APRIL 2012**

## FORWARD PLAN OF KEY DECISIONS - 1 JANUARY 2012 TO 30 APRIL 2012

During the period from 1 January 2012 To 30 April 2012 Peterborough City Council's Executive intends to take 'key decisions' on the issues set out below. Key decisions relate to those executive decisions which are likely to result in the Council spending or saving money in excess of £500,000 and/or have a significant impact on two or more wards in Peterborough.

This Forward Plan should be seen as an outline of the proposed decisions and it will be updated on a monthly basis. The dates detailed within the Plan are subject to change and those items amended or identified for decision more than one month in advance will be carried over to forthcoming plans. Each new plan supersedes the previous plan. Any questions on specific issues included on the Plan should be included on the form which appears at the back of the Plan and submitted to Alex Daynes, Senior Governance Officer, Chief Executive's Department, Town Hall, Bridge Street, PE1 1HG (fax 01733 452483). Alternatively, you can submit your views via e-mail to [alexander.daynes@peterborough.gov.uk](mailto:alexander.daynes@peterborough.gov.uk) or by telephone on 01733 452447.

The Council invites members of the public to attend any of the meetings at which these decisions will be discussed and the papers listed on the Plan can be viewed free of charge although there will be a postage and photocopying charge for any copies made. All decisions will be posted on the Council's website: [www.peterborough.gov.uk](http://www.peterborough.gov.uk). If you wish to make comments or representations regarding the 'key decisions' outlined in this Plan, please submit them to the Governance Support Officer using the form attached. For your information, the contact details for the Council's various service departments are incorporated within this plan.

### NEW ITEMS THIS MONTH:

**City of Peterborough Academy – Free School Academy and free special school - KEY/03JAN/12**

**Clare Lodge Refurbishment - KEY/04JAN/12**

**Cowgate Enhancement Scheme - KEY/05JAN/12**

**Local Broadband Plan - KEY/06JAN/12**

**Eye C of E Primary School Extension - KEY/02FEB/12**

**All Saints Junior School - Extension of Age Range - KEY/03FEB/12**

**School Term Dates 2013-2014 - KEY/03MAR/12**

## JANUARY

KEY DECISION REQUIRED	DATE OF DECISION	DECISION MAKER	RELEVANT SCRUTINY COMMITTEE	CONSULTATION	CONTACT DETAILS / REPORT AUTHORS	REPORTS
<p><b>Delivery of the Council's Capital Receipt Programme through the Sale of Land and Buildings - Vawser Lodge Thorpe Road - KEY/04DEC/10</b> To authorise the Chief Executive, in consultation with the Solicitor to the Council, Executive Director – Strategic Resources, the Corporate Property Officer and the Cabinet Member Resources, to negotiate and conclude the sale of Vawser Lodge</p>	<p>January 2012</p>	<p><b>Cabinet Member for Resources</b></p>	<p>Sustainable Growth</p>	<p>Consultation will take place with the Cabinet Member, Ward councillors, relevant internal departments &amp; external stakeholders as appropriate</p>	<p>Andrew Edwards Head of Peterborough Delivery Partnership Tel: 01733 452303 andrew.edwards@peterborough.gov.uk</p>	<p>A public report will be available from the governance team one week before the decision is taken</p>
<p><b>Energy Services Company - KEY/03JUL/11</b> To consider potential future developments of energy related products.</p>	<p>January 2012</p>	<p><b>Cabinet Member for Environment Capital, Cabinet Member for Resources</b></p>	<p>Environment Capital</p>	<p>Internal and External Stakeholders</p>	<p>John Harrison Executive Director-Strategic Resources Tel: 01733 452398 john.harrison@peterborough.gov.uk</p>	<p>A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.</p>

<p><b>Sale of surplus former residential care home - Eye - KEY/01OCT/11</b> To authorise the Chief Executive, in consultation with the Solicitor to the Council, Executive Director – Strategic Resources, the Corporate Property Officer and the Cabinet Member for Resources, to negotiate and conclude the sale of a former care home now surplus to requirement -The Croft, Eye.</p>	January 2012	<b>Cabinet Member for Resources</b>	Sustainable Growth	Consultation will take place with the Cabinet Member, & Ward councillors, as appropriate	Simon Webber Capital Receipts Officer Tel: 01733 384545 simon.webber@peterborough.gov.uk	A public report will be available from the Governance team one week before the decision is taken.
<p><b>Section 75 agreement with Cambridge and Peterborough Foundation Trust - KEY/03OCT/11</b> To approve the section 75 agreement with CPFT for the provision of mental health services.</p>	January 2012	<b>Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care</b>	Health Issues	Internal and external stakeholders as appropriate.	Terry Rich Executive Director Adult Social Services (interim) Tel: 01733 758444	A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.
<p><b>Hampton Community School - KEY/07OCT/11</b> To vary the Ormiston Bushfield Academy (OBA) Design and Build Contract with Kier Eastern to allow for the design and build of Hampton Community School.</p>	January 2012	<b>Cabinet Member for Education, Skills and University, Cabinet Member for Resources</b>	Creating Opportunities and Tackling Inequalities	Public, ward councillors and internal departments	Brian Howard Programme Manager - Secondary Schools Development Tel: 01733 863976 brian.howard@peterborough.gov.uk	A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken

<p><b>Review of Play Centres in Peterborough - KEY/09OCT/11</b> To approve recommendations for changes in play centre delivery.</p>	<p>January 2012</p>	<p><b>Cabinet Member for Children's Services</b></p>	<p>Creating Opportunities and Tackling Inequalities</p>	<p>Officers and a Councillor Reference Group</p>	<p>Karen Moody Head of Early Intervention and Prevention and Strategic Lead for Adult Learning and Skills Tel: 01733 863938 karen.moody@peterborough.gov.uk</p>	<p>A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.</p>
<p><b>Peterborough's Transport Partnership Policy for pupils aged 4-16 years - KEY/01NOV/11</b> To approve the new policy for September 2012.</p>	<p>January 2012</p>	<p><b>Cabinet Member for Education, Skills and University</b></p>	<p>Creating Opportunities and Tackling Inequalities</p>	<p>Internal and public consultation</p>	<p>Isabel Clark Head of Assets and School Place Planning Tel: 01733 863914 isabel.clark@peterborough.gov.uk</p>	<p>A public report will be available from the Governance team one week before the decision is taken.</p>
<p><b>Children's Centres Commissioning - KEY04/NOV/11</b> To approve the award of contracts for the management and operation of 12 Children Centres in Peterborough.</p>	<p>January 2012</p>	<p><b>Cabinet Member for Children's Services</b></p>	<p>Creating Opportunities and Tackling Inequalities</p>	<p>Providers, Councillors, Staff,</p>	<p>Pam Setterfield Assistant Head of Children &amp; Families Services (0-13) Tel: 01733 863897 pam.setterfield@peterborough.gov.uk</p>	<p>A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.</p>

<p><b>Section 75 agreement with NHS Peterborough - KEY/02DEC/11</b> To approve the section 75 agreement with NHSP for the commissioning and provision of learning disability services.</p>	January 2012	<b>Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care</b>	Health Issues	Internal and external stakeholders as appropriate	Terry Rich Executive Director Adult Social Services (interim) Tel: 01733 758444	A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.
<p><b>Solar Photo-voltaic (PV) Panels Framework Agreement - KEY/06DEC/11</b> Award of contract for design supply installation operation &amp; maintenance of solar photovoltaic (pv) panels framework agreement.</p>	January 2012	<b>Cabinet Member for Resources</b>	Sustainable Growth	Relevant internal and external stakeholders.	John Harrison Executive Director-Strategic Resources Tel: 01733 452398 john.harrison@peterborough.gov.uk	A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.
<p><b>Traffic Signals LED Project - award of contract - KEY/03SEP/11</b> Contract to replace all traffic signal head lamps in Peterborough with LED Heads.</p>	January 2012	<b>Cabinet Member for Housing, Neighbourhoods and Planning</b>	Environment Capital	Internal and external stakeholders as appropriate	Amy Wardell Team Manager - Passenger Transport Projects Tel: 01733 317481 amy.wardell@peterborough.gov.uk	A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.

<p><b>Heltwate Special School Extension - KEY/01JAN/12</b> To authorise the award of the contract for extension works to Heltwate Special School.</p>	<p>January 2012</p>	<p><b>Cabinet Member for Education, Skills and University</b></p>	<p>Creating Opportunities and Tackling Inequalities</p>	<p>Internal and external stakeholders as appropriate.</p>	<p>Alison Chambers Principal Assets Officer (Schools)  alison.chambers@peterborough.gov.uk</p>	<p>A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.</p>
<p><b>Budget and Medium Term Financial Strategy - KEY/02JAN/12</b> To approve the draft budget and Medium Term Financial Strategy for public consultation.</p>	<p>January 2012</p>	<p><b>Cabinet</b></p>	<p>Sustainable Growth</p>	<p>Internal and external stakeholders as appropriate.</p>	<p>Steven Pilsworth Head of Strategic Finance Tel: 01733 384564 Steven.Pilsworth@peterborough.gov.uk</p>	<p>A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.</p>
<p><b>City of Peterborough Academy – Free School Academy and free special school - KEY/03JAN/12</b> To procure a design and build contractor to carry out remodelling and refurbishment works to the existing school buildings and design and build a new special school building at the former Hereward Community College site, Reeves Way</p>	<p>January 2012</p>	<p><b>Cabinet Member for Education, Skills and University, Cabinet Member for Resources</b></p>	<p>Creating Opportunities and Tackling Inequalities</p>	<p>Ward Councillors and local residents.</p>	<p>Brian Howard Programme Manager - Secondary Schools Development Tel: 01733 863976 brian.howard@peterborough.gov.uk</p>	<p>A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.</p>

<p><b>Clare Lodge Refurbishment - KEY/04JAN/12</b> To award a contract for the refurbishment of two courtyard areas and extension of bedroom wings to provide four additional lounge areas.</p>	January 2012	<b>Cabinet Member for Children's Services</b>	Creating Opportunities and Tackling Inequalities	Relevant internal and external stakeholders.	Sharon Bishop Assets Officer Tel: 01733 863997 sharon.bishop@peterborough.gov.uk	A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.
<p><b>Cowgate Enhancement Scheme - KEY/05JAN/12</b> To award the contract to undertake engineering works as part of the Cowgate Enhancement Scheme.</p>	January 2012	<b>Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Growth, Strategic Planning, Economic Development and Business Engagement</b>	Sustainable Growth / Strong and Supportive Communities	Relevant internal and external stakeholders	Stuart Mounfield Senior Engineer Tel: 01733 453598 stuart.mounfield@peterborough.gov.uk	A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.
<p><b>Local Broadband Plan - KEY/06JAN/12</b> To approve the Local Broadband Plan for Peterborough and Cambridgeshire to release funding for Superfast Broadband.</p>	January 2012	<b>Cabinet Member for Resources</b>	Sustainable Growth	Relevant internal and external stakeholders.	Heather Darwin Head of Service Improvement Tel: 01733 452495 heather.darwin@peterborough.gov.uk	A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.



## FEBRUARY

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<b>Single Equality Scheme - KEY/02SEP/11</b> To approve the Single Equality Scheme.	February 2012	<b>Cabinet</b>	Creating Opportunities and Tackling Inequalities.	Public consultation via stakeholders and partnerships.	Paul Phillipson Executive Director Operations Tel: 01733 453455 paul.phillipson@peterborough.gov.uk	A public report will be available from the governance team one week before the decision is taken.
<b>Budget 2012/13 and Medium Term Financial Strategy 2022/2023 - KEY/01FEB/12</b> To approve the final proposed budget including Council Tax for submission to full Council.	February 2012	<b>Cabinet</b>	Sustainable Growth	Internal and external stakeholders as appropriate.	Steven Pilsworth Head of Strategic Finance Tel: 01733 384564 Steven.Pilsworth@peterborough.gov.uk	A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.
<b>Eye C of E Primary School Extension - KEY/02FEB/12</b> Award of contract for 3 additional classrooms and an additional staffroom with refurbishment of reception area.	February 2012	<b>Cabinet Member for Education, Skills and University</b>	Creating Opportunities and Tackling Inequalities	Relevant Internal and External Stakeholders.	Sharon Bishop Assets Officer Tel: 01733 863997 sharon.bishop@peterborough.gov.uk	A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.

<p><b>All Saints Junior School - Extension of Age Range - KEY/03FEB/12</b> To commission a new all through Voluntary Aided Primary School to enable the extension of the age range of All Saints Junior School.</p>	<p>February 2012</p>	<p><b>Cabinet Member for Education, Skills and University</b></p>	<p>Creating Opportunities and Tackling Inequalities</p>	<p>Relevant internal stakeholders as appropriate.</p>	<p>Alison Chambers Principal Assets Officer (Schools) Tel: 01733 863975 alison.chambers@peterborough.gov.uk</p>	<p>A public report will be available from the Governance team one week before the decision is taken.</p>
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**MARCH**

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<p><b>Local Transport Plan Capital Programme of Works (CPW) 2012/13 - KEY/01MAR/12</b> To approve the Capital Programme of Works for financial year 2012/13.</p>	<p>March 2012</p>	<p><b>Cabinet Member for Housing, Neighbourhoods and Planning</b></p>	<p>Sustainable Growth</p>	<p>Neighbourhood Committees, internal and external stakeholders.</p>	<p>Michael Stevenson Project Engineer Tel: 01733 317473 michael.stevenson@peterborough.gov.uk</p>	<p>A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.</p>

<p><b>Statement of Community Involvement (including Neighbourhood Planning guidance) - draft - KEY/02MAR/12</b></p> <p>To approve the draft Statement of Community Involvement (including Neighbourhood Planning guidance) for public consultation.</p>	<p>March 2012</p>	<p><b>Cabinet</b></p>	<p>Sustainable Growth</p>	<p>Internal and external as appropriate.</p>	<p>Richard Kay Policy and Strategy Manager</p> <p>richard.kay@peterborough.gov.uk</p>	<p>A public report will be available from the Governance Team one week before the decision is taken.</p>
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Operations Business Support (Finance)  
Planning Transport & Engineering (Development Management, Construction & Compliance, Infrastructure Planning & Delivery, Network Management)