

COUNCIL FORWARD WORK PROGRAMME - 1 OCTOBER 2017 TO 31 JANUARY 2018

Item	Title and Description of Report	Council	Contact Officer
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
1.	<p>Annual Report To present the Council's Annual Report 2016-17 as required Under section 15 of the Local Government (Wales) Measure 2009 and in accordance with the related statutory guidance issued by the Welsh Government, the authority must publish its assessment of performance for the previous financial year before 31 October.</p>	4 Oct 2017	<p>Darren Mepham, Chief Executive Tel: 01656 643227 darren.mepham@bridgend.gov.uk</p>
2.	<p>The Elected Member Learning and Development Strategy 2017 – 2022 A report from the Democratic Services Committee requesting approval of the Elected Member Learning and Development Strategy which sets out the development priorities for the induction of newly Elected Members, the identification of their development needs and the subsequent delivery of development activities throughout their term of office.</p>	29 Nov 2017	<p>Andrew Jolley, Corporate Director Operational & Partnership Services Tel: 01656 643136 andrew.jolley@bridgend.gov.uk</p>
3.	<p>City Deal Business Plan The Council are asked to approve the City Deal Business Plan that has been developed by the City Deal Regional Joint Cabinet. All ten authorities are required to agree this reserved matter in order to fully establish the authority of the regional cabinet and so allow the UK treasury to release the remainder of UK government allocation of funding to the partnership.</p>	29 Nov 2017	<p>Darren Mepham, Chief Executive Tel: 01656 643227 darren.mepham@bridgend.gov.uk</p>
4.	<p>Council Tax Base 2018-19 To provide Council with details of the Council tax base and estimated collection rate for 2018-19.</p>	29 Nov 2017	<p>Randal Hemingway, Head of Finance & Section 151 Officer Tel: 01656 643302 randal.hemingway@bridgend.gov.uk</p>
5.	<p>Healthcare Needs Policy for Bridgend Local Authority To seek Cabinet approval of the Authority's "Healthcare needs" policy in accordance with the "Supporting Learners with Healthcare Needs' guidance. This guidance identifies the requirement for all maintained nursery, primary, secondary and special schools, pupil referral units (PRUs) and local authorities (LAs) in Wales to implement and publish their Healthcare Needs Policy.</p>	20 Dec 2017	<p>Lindsay Harvey, Corporate Director Education and Family Support Tel: 01656 642612 lindsay.harvey@bridgend.gov.uk</p>

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6.	<p>Local Development Plan Review To seek Council's authorisation to formally commence the review of the Bridgend Local Development Plan</p>	31 Jan 2018	<p>Mark Shephard, Corporate Director - Communities Tel: 01656 643380 mark.shephard@bridgend.gov.uk</p>
7.	<p>Council Tax Reduction Scheme To provide Council with information regarding the implementation of the Council Tax Reduction Scheme, the requirement to adopt a CTR scheme by 31 January 2018, together with the funding implications.</p>	31 Jan 2018	<p>Darren Mepham, Chief Executive Tel: 01656 643227 darren.mepham@bridgend.gov.uk</p>