

Cabinet DECISION RECORD

Wednesday, 12 January 2022

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Part A – Items considered in public

<p>A7</p>	<p>Status: Recommendations Approved (subject to call-in)</p> <p>Call-in to apply: Yes</p>	<p>2021/22 Quarter 2 Performance Report</p>	<p>RESOLVED that: -</p> <p>(a) Cabinet considered the attached exception reports relating to areas of current adverse performance and supported remedial action; and</p> <p>(b) Cabinet advise of any amendments, deletions or additions to the performance indicator set that informs corporate performance.</p> <p>Voting: Unanimous Portfolio Holder: Leader of the Council Councillor H Allen declared an interest in this item and remained present.</p> <p><u>Reason</u></p> <p>The corporate strategy represents the objectives and outcomes that the Council's performance will be judged against and as such is a vital component of the Council's performance management framework.</p> <p>An understanding of performance against targets, goals and objectives will help the council understand and manage service delivery and identify emerging business risks.</p> <p>A good corporate strategy is driven by a strong vision and ambitious goals which are vital for promoting the opportunities an organisation presents for investment and engagement.</p> <p>The aspirational vision set out in the Big Plan gives a stronger context for the Council's corporate strategy and for achieving our wider ambitions. It will influence the allocation and distribution of resources ensuring that the organisation commits its limited resources in accordance with its stated priorities.</p>
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A8	<p>Status: Recommendations Approved (subject to call-in)</p> <p>Call-in to apply: Yes</p>	Future of the Stour Valley and Poole Revenues and Benefits Partnership	<p>RESOLVED that Cabinet: -</p> <p>(a) Endorse, as BCP Council’s preferred option, the recommendation of the SVPP Joint Committee to create a pan-Dorset partnership between BCP Council and Dorset Council for the delivery of Revenues and Benefits services;</p> <p>(b) Accepting it is not BCP Councils desired direction of travel, acknowledge that Dorset Council agreed at their 7 December 2021 Cabinet to withdraw their services in respect of East Dorset and North Dorset residents from the SVPP;</p> <p>(a) Only agree to an amicable dissolution of SVPP if agreement can be reached with Dorset Council around costs associated with the process;</p> <p>(b) Delegate authority to the Chief Finance Officer in consultation with the Leader, Finance & Transformation Portfolio Holder to negotiate the settlement associated with an amicable dissolution of the SVPP; and</p> <p>(c) Acknowledge that if an amicable dissolution cannot be agreed that Dorset Council will be required to formally give notice and be responsible for costs in line with the collaboration agreement.</p> <p>Voting: Unanimous</p> <p>Portfolio Holder: Leader of the Council</p> <p><u>Reason</u></p> <p>To reach a decision on the future delivery of Revenues and Benefit Services for the Council.</p>

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A9	<p>Status: Recommendations Approved (subject to call-in)</p> <p>Call-in to apply: Yes</p>	Housing and Property Compliance Update (Housing Revenue Account)	<p>RESOLVED that: -</p> <p>(a) Cabinet noted the compliance information provided which details how the council is performing against statutory building compliance relating to its council housing; and</p> <p>(b) A performance report will be made annually to Cabinet in future years.</p> <p>Voting: Unanimous</p> <p>Portfolio Holder: People and Homes</p> <p>Councillor N Brooks and B Dunlop declared interests in this item and remained present.</p> <p><u>Reason</u></p> <p>The council, as a landlord, has many legal obligations it must satisfy to ensure the health, safety and welfare of its tenants and leaseholders. It must also adhere to the regulatory standards as set out by the Regulator, particularly the Home Standard.</p> <p>Councillors should also have oversight and assurance of compliance against the legal and regulatory requirements that are placed upon it through this annual report to Cabinet.</p>
A11	<p>Status: Recommendations Approved (subject to call-in)</p> <p>Call-in to apply: Yes</p>	Levelling Up	<p>RESOLVED that the proposed approach to Levelling Up be approved.</p> <p>Voting: Unanimous</p> <p>Portfolio Holder: Development, Growth and Regeneration</p> <p><u>Reason</u></p> <p>Levelling Up the country is one of Government's key policy aims. The council's Big Plan and Corporate Strategy speak to the same agenda. The recommendation, if approved, will enable BCP Council to better understand our needs and aspirations around Levelling Up and consider how they relate to the Corporate Strategy and other</p>

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			council strategies, so that we are well positioned for the publication of the Government's White Paper, and any future funding opportunities that may arise
A12	<p>Status: Recommendations Approved (subject to call-in)</p> <p>Call-in to apply: Yes</p>	Coastal Business Improvement District (BID)	<p>RESOLVED that Cabinet agree BCP Council's support of the Coastal Business Improvement District (BID); and agree:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) To endorse the BID proposal that will be submitted to BCP Council by the BID; ii) To authorise the Director of Economic Development to complete the ballot papers on behalf of the Council in favour of the BID proposal; and iii) To authorise the Head of Legal Services to complete any necessary legal agreements required for the operation of the BID Levy, Ballot and service arrangements and any other necessary matters for the proposed BID in consultation with the appropriate officers. <p>Voting: Unanimous</p> <p>Portfolio Holder: Development, Growth and Regeneration</p> <p><u>Reason</u></p> <p>BCP Council is fully supportive of BIDs and the significant benefits and investment that they bring. The Coastal BID proposal will help deliver the Council's strategic aims and objectives including the Dynamic Places objectives in the Corporate Plan. It has a strong track record of supporting businesses along the seafront and in its Trading Districts and supporting innovative new projects. It is therefore recommended that BCP Council supports the Coastal BID for its third 5-year term.</p>

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A13	<p>Status: Recommendations Approved (subject to call-in)</p> <p>Call-in to apply: Yes</p>	Bournemouth Town Centre Business Improvement District (BID)	<p>RESOLVED that Cabinet agree BCP Council's support of the Bournemouth Town Centre Business Improvement District (BID); and agree:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) To endorse the BID proposal that will be submitted to BCP Council by the BID; ii) To authorise the Director of Economic Development to complete the ballot papers on behalf of the Council in favour of the BID proposal; and iii) To authorise the Head of Legal Services to complete any necessary legal agreements required for the operation of the BID Levy, Ballot and service arrangements and any other necessary matters for the proposed BID in consultation with the appropriate officers. <p>Voting: Unanimous</p> <p>Portfolio Holder: Development, Growth and Regeneration</p> <p><u>Reason</u></p> <p>BCP Council is fully supportive of BIDs and the significant benefits and investment that they bring. The Bournemouth Town Centre BID proposal will help deliver the Council's strategic aims and objectives including the Dynamic Places objective in the Corporate Plan. It has a strong track record of supporting businesses in the town centre and supporting innovative new projects. It is therefore recommended that BCP Council supports the Bournemouth Town Centre BID for its third 5-year term.</p>