

Notice of Cabinet

Date: Wednesday, 22 July 2026 at 10.15 am

Venue: HMS Phoebe, BCP Civic Centre, Bournemouth BH2 6DY



Membership:

Chairman:

Cllr M Earl

Vice Chairman:

Cllr M Cox

Cllr D Brown
Cllr R Burton
Cllr A Hadley

Cllr J Hanna
Cllr R Herrett
Cllr A Martin

Cllr S Moore
Cllr K Wilson

All Members of the Cabinet are summoned to attend this meeting to consider the items of business set out on the agenda below.

The press and public are welcome to view the live stream of this meeting at the following link:

<https://democracy.bcpCouncil.gov.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?MIId=6484>

If you would like any further information on the items to be considered at the meeting please contact: Sarah Culwick (01202 817615) on 01202 096660 or email democratic.services@bcpCouncil.gov.uk

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AIDAN DUNN
CHIEF EXECUTIVE

14 July 2026

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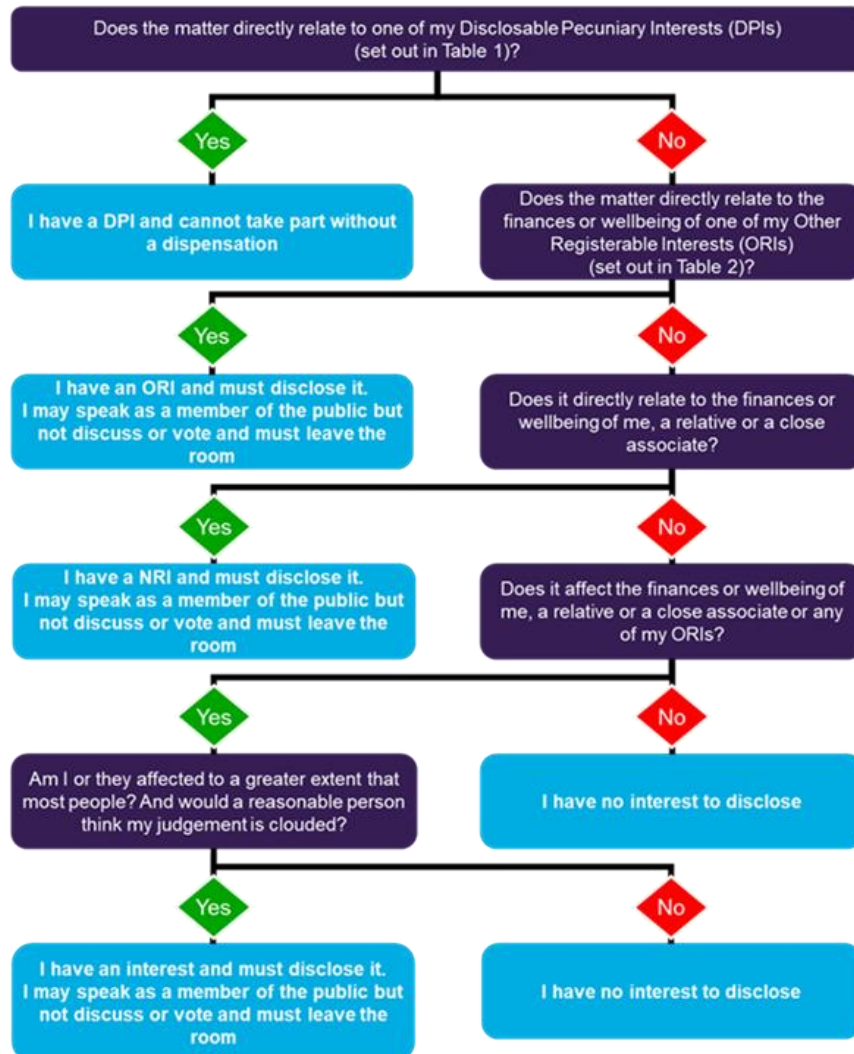


Maintaining and promoting high standards of conduct

Declaring interests at meetings

Familiarise yourself with the Councillor Code of Conduct which can be found in Part 6 of the Council's Constitution.

Before the meeting, read the agenda and reports to see if the matters to be discussed at the meeting concern your interests



What are the principles of bias and pre-determination and how do they affect my participation in the meeting?

Bias and predetermination are common law concepts. If they affect you, your participation in the meeting may call into question the decision arrived at on the item.

Bias Test

In all the circumstances, would it lead a fair minded and informed observer to conclude that there was a real possibility or a real danger that the decision maker was biased?

Predetermination Test

At the time of making the decision, did the decision maker have a closed mind?

If a councillor appears to be biased or to have predetermined their decision, they must NOT participate in the meeting.

For more information or advice please contact the Monitoring Officer

Selflessness

Councillors should act solely in terms of the public interest

Integrity

Councillors must avoid placing themselves under any obligation to people or organisations that might try inappropriately to influence them in their work. They should not act or take decisions in order to gain financial or other material benefits for themselves, their family, or their friends. They must declare and resolve any interests and relationships

Objectivity

Councillors must act and take decisions impartially, fairly and on merit, using the best evidence and without discrimination or bias

Accountability

Councillors are accountable to the public for their decisions and actions and must submit themselves to the scrutiny necessary to ensure this

Openness

Councillors should act and take decisions in an open and transparent manner. Information should not be withheld from the public unless there are clear and lawful reasons for so doing

Honesty & Integrity

Councillors should act with honesty and integrity and should not place themselves in situations where their honesty and integrity may be questioned

Leadership

Councillors should exhibit these principles in their own behaviour. They should actively promote and robustly support the principles and be willing to challenge poor behaviour wherever it occurs

AGENDA

Items to be considered while the meeting is open to the public

1. Apologies

To receive any apologies for absence from Councillors.

2. Declarations of Interests

Councillors are requested to declare any interests on items included in this agenda. Please refer to the workflow on the preceding page for guidance.

Declarations received will be reported at the meeting.

3. Confirmation of Minutes

To confirm and sign as a correct record the minutes of the Meeting held on 24 June 2026.

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4. Public Issues

To receive any public questions, statements or petitions submitted in accordance with the Constitution. Further information on the requirements for submitting these is available to view at the following link:-

<https://democracy.bcpCouncil.gov.uk/ieListMeetings.aspx?CommitteeID=151&Info=1&bcr=1>

The deadline for the submission of public questions is mid-day on Thursday 16 July 2026 [mid-day 3 clear working days before the meeting].

The deadline for the submission of a statement is mid-day on Tuesday 21 July 2026 [mid-day the working day before the meeting].

The deadline for the submission of a petition is Wednesday 8 July 2026 [10 working days before the meeting].

5. Recommendations from the Overview and Scrutiny Committees

To consider recommendations from the Overview and Scrutiny committees on items not otherwise included on the Cabinet Agenda.

ITEMS OF BUSINESS

6. BCP Growth Plan

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This Local Growth Plan (2026-36) sets out the shared ambition of BCP Council and the Business Growth Board who have been engaged in its development. It includes a shared aim and the associated priorities and interventions required to build a strong economy, with thriving people in a vibrant and connected place for our residents, businesses and visitors.

The plan outlines a vision for growth across Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole, supported by defined priorities and action plans. It strengthens readiness for devolution by demonstrating ambition, governance and the ability to deliver outcomes.

As devolution progresses, the Growth Plan will guide investment, shape

partnerships and ensure BCP is well placed to maximise emerging opportunities. Delivering this ambition will require strong collaboration and sustained investment between local government, the private sector, investors, education and training providers, community and voluntary organisations, and our residents.

This Growth Plan is therefore both a commitment and an invitation: a commitment to fostering the conditions for inclusive and sustainable economic growth, and an invitation for partners to collaborate with us to realise this shared ambition.

BCP Business Growth Board will help to articulate and drive forward the local economic priorities and the growth agenda for Bournemouth, Christchurch & Poole, through endorsing, co-ordinating and performance managing the new BCP Local Growth Plan.

7. Dorset Destination Management Plan

83 - 114

VisitEngland established the Local Visitor Economy Partnership (LVEP) programme to create nationally accredited, strategically aligned destination management organisations capable of driving sustainable visitor economy growth.

Dorset Council has worked collaboratively with Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole (BCP) Council, the Dorset Tourism Association and wider industry partners to secure LVEP status for Dorset. Dorset Council Cabinet approved the creation of Dorset LVEP with Dorset Council as Accountable Body in July 2024.

The Dorset LVEP achieved formal accreditation with VisitEngland in May 2025. Being formally designated as an LVEP gives Dorset and BCP councils access to VisitEngland support including data, expertise, and marketing opportunities.

A condition of all LVEPs is the creation of a Destination Management Plan (DMP).

The Dorset LVEP DMP 2026-2035 sets out a plan to create a year-round destination: addressing seasonality, enhancing visitor spend, improving perceptions of Dorset, strengthening accessibility, embedding sustainability, and enabling sector-wide collaboration.

This report seeks Cabinet approval to formalise the Destination Management Plan and Dorset Council's role as accountable body for the Dorset LVEP; endorsing the associated governance arrangements for partnering organisations to implement the Dorset LVEP Destination Management Plan Framework.

8. Youth Justice Plan 2026-2027

115 - 186

The Crime and Disorder Act (1998) places a statutory requirement on local authority youth offending teams to publish an annual Youth Justice Plan which must provide specified information about the local provision of youth justice services. This report summarises the Youth Justice Plan for 2026/27, with a copy of the Plan appended. The Youth Justice Plan needs to be approved by the full Council.

The Youth Justice Plan shows strong performance by the service.

Achievements include diverting children from the justice system, avoiding the use of custody for children, and the quality of work to reduce the likelihood of reoffending and to repair the harm caused to victims.

Priorities for the year ahead are to respond to national and local reform programmes, enhancing 'Child First' practice, developing work with victims, reducing the over-representation of some groups of children in the justice system, and making best use of available resources.

9. Linwood School Post-16 Place Expansion

187 - 202

In accordance with statutory guidance on making significant changes to maintained schools, this report sets out a proposal to expand post-16 provision at Linwood School's Skills Centre site. The proposed expansion supports the Council's statutory responsibility to secure sufficient specialist places and forms part of a broader programme to increase access to high-quality, local SEND provision.

The proposal responds to growing demand for specialist places, driven by rising numbers of Education, Health and Care Plans (EHCPs), and the associated reliance on independent and non-maintained special schools and alternative provision.

By making use of existing accommodation at the Skills Centre for post-16 delivery, the Council intends to strengthen local capacity, enabling more young people to access suitable education closer to home. Expanding provision in this way is expected to reduce dependence on costly out-of-area placements, which often incur higher fees and significant transport costs. It will also support improved outcomes by allowing young people to remain within their local communities, while delivering longer-term financial efficiencies for the Council.

10. Safer BCP (Community Safety Partnership) Domestic Abuse Strategies

203 - 462

This Cabinet report accompanies the three Domestic Abuse Strategies as part of the Safer CSP Community Safety Partnership's commitment in response to Domestic Abuse in line with the Domestic Abuse Act 2021.

11. Local Transport Plan

463 - 904

This report presents the proposed (joint with Dorset) Local Transport Plan 4 (LTP4) for the BCP and Dorset areas for the period 2026 to 2041.

The document has been informed by engagement and consultation with key stakeholders, residents and the LTP4 Cross Party Working Group.

The supporting Implementation Plan identifies the projects which are recommended to be progressed over the next five years (subject to necessary funding, consultation and approvals).

A Monitoring and Evaluation Strategy accompanies the plan setting out how progress will be measured and assessed.

12. Keeping BCP Moving Safely - Moving Traffic Enforcement

905 - 924

This report seeks Cabinet approval to establish Moving Traffic Enforcement as a new function within the Parking Operations and Enforcement Service. The proposal would provide a structured framework for introducing and managing enforcement at appropriate locations, with the aim of improving road safety, reducing congestion, supporting public transport reliability and encouraging compliance with existing traffic restrictions. Implementation would require procurement of compliant camera technology, development of policies and procedures, and continued adherence to statutory guidance to ensure enforcement remains proportionate, transparent and targeted at problem locations.

13. Disposal of Land at Cabot Lane, Poole

925 - 940

This report seeks approval for the disposal of Council-owned land at Cabot Lane, Poole to Wessex Water.

The proposed transactions support the delivery of the Poole Strategic Resource Option (SRO), a significant water resilience scheme designed to improve long-term water supply and reduce abstraction from environmentally sensitive river systems.

Wessex Water has the ability to seek to acquire the land through compulsory purchase powers under Section 155 of the Water Industry Act 1991.

A negotiated disposal provides the Council with greater control over the terms, timing and outcome of the transaction when compared to a compulsory purchase process, which can be uncertain, time-consuming and resource intensive.

The disposals also enable the relocation of the 'New to You' service and wider asset rationalisation, which in turn supports the delivery of the Council's Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) accommodation programme.

The proposals have been reviewed by the Cross-Party Strategic Asset Disposal Working Group and relevant ward councillors, who have endorsed the approach.

[PLEASE NOTE: Should the Cabinet wish to discuss the detail of the confidential appendix at Appendix 3 the meeting will be required to move into Confidential (Exempt) Session].

14. Wallisdown Service Hub

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This report proposes the development of a service hub at Wallisdown Heights, which will accommodate services that require a community based location, and which are being displaced as a result of disposal or repurposing of council properties elsewhere in the conurbation.. Cabot lane depot currently accommodates the New to you service, highways materials and equipment storage and electoral services items and is subject to a potential compulsory purchase. The proposal would relocate the New to You service from Cabot Lane Depot alongside Children's Services, Adult Social Care and partner teams currently based at North Bournemouth Local Office (NBLO) and 79 Lansdowne Road. In doing so, it would maintain important community services, improve accessibility for residents through a

single multi-service location, and support better collaboration between co-located teams. The proposal also contributes to the Council's wider estates rationalisation objectives by enabling the disposal of Cabot Lane Depot, releasing North Bournemouth Local Office and 79 Lansdowne Road from operational use. This provides opportunity for alternative uses in line with the Council's aspirations for SEND alternative provision. The preferred option requires capital investment of £476k and uses revenue budgets of £46.1k from the existing assets budgets, with delivery both dependent on, and enabling of, the progression of the Cabot Lane disposal.

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15. Exclusion of Press and Public

In relation to the items of business appearing below, the Committee is asked to consider the following resolution: -

'That under Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 3 in Part I of Schedule 12A of the Act and that the public interest in withholding the information outweighs such interest in disclosing the information.'

16. Bournemouth Town Centre Business Improvement District (BID)

Bournemouth Town Centre Business Improvement District's (BID) current 5-year term will finish on 31 March 2027. The BID is currently preparing for a new ballot on 4 November 2026 for a fourth term. This report seeks Cabinet approval to allow Bournemouth Town Centre BID to go to ballot for a fourth term.

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17.	Bournemouth Coastal Business Improvement District (BID)	987 - 1036
	Bournemouth Coastal Business Improvement District's (BID) current 5-year term will finish on 30 June 2027. The BID is currently preparing for a new ballot on 4 November 2026 for a fourth term. This report seeks Cabinet approval to allow Bournemouth Coastal BID to go to ballot for a fourth term.	
18.	Cabinet Forward Plan	1037 - 1050
	To consider the latest version of the Cabinet Forward Plan for approval.	
19.	Urgent Decisions taken by the Chief Executive in accordance with the Constitution	
	The Chief Executive to report on any decisions taken under urgency provisions in accordance with the Constitution.	

No other items of business can be considered unless the Chairman decides the matter is urgent for reasons that must be specified and recorded in the Minutes.