

WIRRAL COUNCIL

FORWARD PLAN – ADDITIONAL ITEM

For the four-month period 1 July 2024 - 31 October 2024

EXPLANATORY NOTES

(1) This Forward Plan covers the four-month period from 1 July 2024 - 31 October 2024.

(2) The Plan contains details of all the key decisions that the Council or officers expect to take during the next four months. It also lists decisions which will rely on exempt information, in whole or in part. Such decisions may be made by the Committee in private session. The Committee It will be updated every month, and each plan will cover a four-month period. Dates of Council Committees are available on the Council's website.

(3) The definition of a "key decision" adopted for the purposes of this Plan is in accordance with that contained in the Council's Constitution, namely, one which:

"(i) results, or is likely to result, in the Council incurring expenditure which is, or the making of savings which are, in excess of 10% of the relevant budget head or £500,000, whichever is the smaller; or

(ii) is significant in terms of its effect on communities living or working in an area comprising two or more wards (where the meaning of 'significant' is subject to any guidance to be issued by the Secretary of State and, in the absence of any such guidance, is to be interpreted as a decision which, in the view of the Leader, will have significant effect on a significant number of people).

For the avoidance of doubt, any decision approving proposals for the making or amendment of a plan or budget which requires the approval of the full Council is regarded as a key decision.

(4) Committee decisions that are key decisions will be published within five days of their having been made. They will be available for inspection during office hours at the Town Hall, Brighton Street, Wallasey, (in normal times) or on the Council's web-site.

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Proposed decision	Description	Expected date of decision	Details of exempt information
Town Halls Policy and Resources Committee,	The issue of the Town Halls was reported to the committee on the 13 December 23 and works regarding these buildings were commissioned. This report feeds back the findings of this work.	Between 5 Jul 2024 and 31 Oct 2024	Part Exempt It is envisaged that the report will contain commercially sensitive information. 3 Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)
Council Tax Reduction Scheme – Proposed Consultation for Working Age scheme Policy and Resources Committee,	The Council Tax Reduction Scheme has broadly remained unchanged since 2013, with the passage of time much greater integration has been developed with the Department of Work and Pensions, this results in working age residents receiving a number of bills of changing amounts through the year. The scheme needs to be updated to reflect the increased flow of information	Between 5 Jul 2024 and 31 Oct 2024	