COLCHESTER BOROUGH COUNCIL

FORWARD PLAN OF KEY DECISIONS 1 November 2020 – 28 February 2021

During the period from 1 November 2020 – 28 February 2021* Colchester Borough Council intends to take 'Key Decisions' on the issues set out in the following pages. Key Decisions relate to those executive decisions which are likely to either:

- result in the Council spending or saving money in excess of £500,000; or
- have a significant impact on communities living or working in an area comprising two or more wards within the Borough of Colchester.

This Forward Plan should be seen as an outline of the proposed decisions and it will be updated on a monthly basis. Any questions on specific issues included on the Plan should be addressed to the contact name specified in the Plan. General queries about the Plan itself should be made to Democratic Services (01206) 507832 or email democratic.services@colchester.gov.uk

The Council invites members of the public to attend any of the meetings at which these decisions will be discussed and the documents listed on the Plan and any other documents relevant to each decision which may be submitted to the decision taker can be viewed free of charge although there will be a postage and photocopying charge for any copies made. *All decisions will be available for inspection on the Council's website, www.colchester.gov.uk*

If you wish to request details of documents regarding the 'Key Decisions' outlined in this Plan please contact the individual officer identified.

If you wish to make comments or representations regarding the 'Key Decisions' outlined in this Plan please submit them, in writing, to the Contact Officer highlighted two working days before the date of the decision (as indicated in the brackets in the date of decision column). This will enable your views to be considered by the decision taker.

Contact details for the Council's various service departments are incorporated at the end of this plan.

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*The Forward Plan also shows decisions which fall before the period covered by the Plan but which have not been taken at the time of the publication of the Plan.

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The award of a contract for the Council's new affordable homes to be constructed at Military Road	Yes		Portfolio Holder for Housing, Councillor Adam Fox Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Portfolio Holder report	Andrew Tyrrell Client Services Manager 01206 282390 Andrew.tyrrell@colchester.gov.uk
Approval of Award of Contract for Replacement Windows and Doors	Yes	2020	Portfolio Holder for Housing, Councillor Adam Fox Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Portfolio Holder report	Clare Lawrance Client Asset Manager 01206 282506 Clare.lawrance@colchester.gov.u k

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Award of Contract for the Supply of an Integrated Parking System	No	2020	Portfolio Holder for Communities, Wellbeing and Public Safety Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Portfolio Holder report, framework links	Richard Walker Parking Partnership Group Manager 01206 282708 richard.walker@colchester.gov.uk
Award of Contract for Caged Vehicles Fleet	Yes		Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Cabinet report	Tracy Allen Specialist and Contracts Manager 01206 282256 Tracy.allen@colchester.gov.uk

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Covid 19 Recovery Business Case for Council Efficiency and Transformation Programme	No	14 October 2020	Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Cabinet report	Richard Block Assistant Director, Corporate and Improvement Services 01206 506825 Richard.block@colchester.gov.uk
Procurement of Liquid Fuel	Yes	14 October 2020	Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Cabinet report	Tracy Allen Specialist and Contracts Manager 01206 282256 Tracy.allen@colchester.gov.uk

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Submission of Colchester's "Town Deal" to Government	No	14 October 2020	Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Cabinet report	Matthew Brown Economic Development Manager 01206 507348 matthew.brown@colchester.gov.u k
Budget 2021/22 and Medium Term Financial Forecast	No	14 October 2020	Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Cabinet report	Paul Cook Head of Finance 01206 505861 Paul.cookx@colchester.gov.uk

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Award of Contract for Light Vehicles	Yes		Dan Gascoyne, Chief Operating Officer, in consultation with Councillor Martin Goss, Portfolio Holder for Waste, Environment and Transportation, under delegated authority from Cabinet Please contact via	Officer report	Robert Doran Fleet and Depot Contract Manager 01206 282612 Robert.Doran@colchester.gov.uk
Matters Relating to Third Party Rights at Queen St	Yes	23 November 2020		Cabinet report and plans	lan Vipond Strategic Director, Policy and Place 01206 282717 lan.vipond@colchester.gov.uk

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New Climate Change Response Works in the Housing investment Programme	No		Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Cabinet report	Andrew Tyrrell Client Services Manager 01206 282390 Andrew.tyrrell@colchester.gov.uk
Extension of the Management Agreement with Colchester Borough Homes by 5 years	No		Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk		Geoff Beales Client Services Manager 01206 506514 Geoff.beales@colchester.gov.uk

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Officer Pay Policy 2021/22	No		Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Cabinet report, draft Officer Pay Policy	Chris Reed People and Performance Specialist 01206 282240 chris.reed@colchester.gov.uk
Local Council Tax Support Scheme 2021- 22	No		Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Cabinet report	Jason Granger Customer Solutions Manager 01206 508824 Jason.granger@colchester.gov.uk

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Budget 2021-2022 Update and Approval of Fees and Charges	No			Cabinet report, schedule of fees and charges	Paul Cook Head of Finance 01206 505861 Paul.cookx@colchester.gov.uk
Colchester Northern Gateway Heat Network Update	Yes		Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Cabinet report and tender analysis	Andrew Tyrrell Client Services Manager 01206 282390 Andrew.tyrrell@colchester.gov.uk

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Award of contract for external decorations (12 week package)	Yes	ber 2020	Portfolio Holder for Housing, Councillor Adam Fox Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Portfolio Holder report, including summary of procurement exercise	Clare Lawrance Client Asset Manager 01206 282506 Clare.lawrance@colchester.gov.u k
Award of Contract for the Replacement of 100 Kitchens 2020	Yes	ber 2020	Portfolio Holder for Housing, Councillor Adam Fox Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Portfolio Holder report, including summary of procurement exercise	Clare Lawrance Client Asset Manager 01206 282506 Clare.lawrance@colchester.gov.u k

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Approval to award a contract over the value of £500,000 for the delivery and procurement of parking bay sensors for installation in various locations in both Colchester and Clacton-on-Sea.	Yes		Communities, Wellbeing and Public Safety, Councillor Michel Lilley (under delegated powers from Cabinet)	Portfolio Holder report will detailing the proposed contract to be awarded, including the supplier and works to be carried out by Ringway Jacobs/Essex Highways.	Jason.butcher@colchester.gov.uk
Award of Contract for Housing Renewals	Yes	December 2020		Portfolio Holder report	Clare Lawrance Client Asset Manager 01206 282506 Clare.lawrance@colchester.gov.u k

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Update on Proposed New Grow-on Business Centre in Queen Street	Yes	27 January 2021	Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Cabinet report	Matthew Brown Economic Development Manager 01206 507348 matthew.brown@colchester.gov.u k
Covid 19 Recovery Business Case for Council Efficiency and Transformation Programme	No	27 January 2021	Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Cabinet report	Richard Block Assistant Director, Corporate and Improvement Services 01206 506825 Richard.block@colchester.gov.uk

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2021/22 General Fund Revenue Budget, Capital Programme and Medium Term Financial Forecast – Cabinet will consider the 2021/22 General Fund Revenue Budget and make a recommendation to Council.		27 January 2021	Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Cabinet report	Paul Cook Head of Finance 01206 505861 Paul.cookx@colcehster.gov.uk
Housing Revenue Account Estimates 2021/22 To approve the HRA Estimates 2021/22	No	27 January 2021	Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Cabinet report	Darren Brown Finance Manager 01206 282291 Darren.brown@colchester.gov.uk

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Housing Investment Programme 2021/22 To approve the Housing Investment Programme 2021/22	No	27 January 2021	Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	Cabinet report	Darren Brown Finance Manager 01206 282291 Darren.brown@colchester.gov.uk
Award of Contract for the Colchester Northern Gateway Heat Network	Yes	27 January 2021	Cabinet (Cllrs Cory, J Young, Fox, Goss, Higgins, King and Lilley) Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	-	Andrew Tyrrell Client Services Manager 01206 282390 Andrew.tyrrell@colchester.gov.uk

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Award of Contract for External Decorations Contract 2021	Yes	February 2021	Portfolio Holder for Housing, Councillor Adam Fox Please contact via Democratic Services (01206) 507832 email: democratic.services @colchester.gov.uk	including summary of procurement exercise	Clare Lawrance Client Asset Manager 01206 282506 Clare.lawrance@colchester.gov.u k

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