



**FORWARD PLAN OF KEY DECISIONS**  
**Relating to Scrutiny Board (Sustainable Economy and Culture)**

1 February 2012 – 31 May 2012

## **What is the Forward Plan?**

The Forward Plan is a list of the key decisions the Authority intends to take during the period 1 February 2012 – 31 May 2012. The Plan is updated monthly and is available to the public 14 days before the beginning of each month.

## **What is a Key Decision?**

A Key decision, as defined in the Council's Constitution is an executive decision which is likely to:

- result in the Authority incurring expenditure or making savings over £250,000 per annum, or
- have a significant effect on communities living or working in an area comprising 2 or more wards

## **What does the Forward Plan tell me?**

The Plan gives information about:

what key decisions are coming forward in the next four months  
when those key decisions are likely to be made  
who will make those decisions  
what consultation will be undertaken  
who you can make representations to

## **Who takes key decisions?**

Under the Authority's Constitution, key decisions are taken by the Executive Board or Officers acting under delegated powers.

## **Who can I contact?**

Each entry in the Plan indicates the names of all the relevant people to contact about that particular item. In addition, the last page of the Forward Plan gives a complete list of all Executive Board members.

## **How do I make contact?**

Wherever possible, full contact details are listed in the individual entries in the Forward Plan. If you are unsure how to make contact, please ring Leeds City Council and staff there will be able to assist you:

**Leeds City Council - Telephone: 0113 2474357**

## **How do I get copies of agenda papers?**

The agenda papers for Executive Board meetings are available five working days before the meeting from:

Governance Services, Civic Hall, Portland Crescent, Leeds, LS1 1UR

Telephone: 0113 2474350

Fax: 0113 3951599

Email: [cxd.councilandexec@leeds.gov.uk](mailto:cxd.councilandexec@leeds.gov.uk)

On occasions, the papers you request may contain exempt or confidential information. If this is the case, it will be explained why it will not be possible to make copies available.

### **Where can I see a copy of the Forward Plan?**

The Plan can be found on the Leeds City Council Website [www.leeds.gov.uk](http://www.leeds.gov.uk). The Plan is regularly updated and for legal reasons is formally published on a monthly basis on the following dates:

#### **2011/12**

16 <sup>th</sup> June 2011	17 <sup>th</sup> December 2011
15 <sup>th</sup> July 2011	17 <sup>th</sup> January 2012
17 <sup>th</sup> August 2011	15 <sup>th</sup> February 2012
16 <sup>th</sup> September 2011	16 <sup>th</sup> March 2012
17 <sup>th</sup> October 2011	16 <sup>th</sup> April 2012
16 <sup>th</sup> November 2011	

### **About this publication**

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(Bengali):-

যদি আপনি ইংরেজিতে কথা বলতে না পারেন এবং এই দলিলটি বুঝতে পারার জন্য সাহায্যের দরকার হয়, তাহলে দয়া করে 0113 2243462 এই নম্বরে ফোন করে আপনার ভাষাটির নাম বলুন। আমরা তখন আপনাকে লাইনে থাকতে বলে কোন দোভাষীর (ইন্টারপ্রিটার) সাথে যোগাযোগ করব।

(Chinese):-

凡不懂英語又須協助解釋這份資料者，請致電 0113 22 43462 並說明本身所需語言的名稱。當我們聯絡傳譯員時，請勿掛斷電話。

(Hindi):-

यदि आप इंग्लिश नहीं बोलते हैं और इस दस्तावेज़ को समझने में आपको मदद की जरूरत है, तो कृपया 0113 224 3462 पर फ़ोन करें और अपनी भाषा का नाम बताएँ। तब हम आपको होल्ड पर रखेंगे (आपको फ़ोन पर कुछ देर के लिए इंतज़ार करना होगा) और उस दौरान हम किसी इंटरप्रिटर (दुभाषिए) से संपर्क करेंगे।

(Punjabi):-

ਅਗਰ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਅੰਗਰੇਜ਼ੀ ਨਹੀਂ ਬੋਲਦੇ ਅਤੇ ਇਹ ਲੇਖ ਪੱਤਰ ਸਮਝਣ ਲਈ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਸਹਾਇਤਾ ਦੀ ਲੋੜ ਹੈ, ਤਾਂ ਕਿਰਪਾ ਕਰ ਕੇ 0113 22 43462 'ਤੇ ਟੈਲੀਫ਼ੋਨ ਕਰੋ ਅਤੇ ਅਪਣੀ ਭਾਸ਼ਾ ਦਾ ਨਾਮ ਦੱਸੋ. ਅਸੀਂ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਟੈਲੀਫ਼ੋਨ 'ਤੇ ਹੀ ਰਹਿਣ ਲਈ ਕਹਾਂਗੇ, ਜਦ ਤਕ ਅਸੀਂ ਦੁਭਾਸ਼ੀਏ (Interpreter) ਨਾਲ ਸੰਪਰਕ ਬਣਾਵਾਂਗੇ.

(Urdu):-

اگر آپ انگریزی نہیں بولتے ہیں اور آپ کو یہ دستاویز سمجھنے کیلئے مدد کی ضرورت ہے تو براہ مہربانی اس نمبر 0113 22 43 46 2 پر فون کریں اور ہمیں اپنی زبان کا نام بتائیں۔ اس کے بعد ہم آپ کو لائن پر ہی انتظار کرنے کیلئے کہیں گے اور خود ترجمان (انٹرپرائز) سے رابطہ کریں گے۔

**LEEDS CITY COUNCIL**

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For the period 1 February 2012 to 31 May 2012

<b>Key Decisions</b>	<b>Decision Maker</b>	<b>Expected Date of Decision</b>	<b>Proposed Consultation</b>	<b>Documents to be Considered by Decision Maker</b>	<b>Lead Officer</b> (To whom representations should be made and email address to send representations to)
Framework Agreement for the Procuring of fixed play ground equipment including MUGAs, teen shelters and skateboard BMX equipment Awarding of the Framework Contract for the supply and installation of playground equipment for a period of 3 years from the 1 <sup>st</sup> March 2012 with the option to extend for a further 2 years if so required.	Director of City Development	1/2/12	Parks and Countryside, Procurement Unit.	Tender Returns	Martin Farrington, Director of City Development martin.wright@leeds.gov.uk

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<p>Design and Cost Report - ADDITIONAL HIGHWAY STRUCTURES CAPITAL MAINTENANCE, ASSESSMENT AND STRENGTHENING 2011/12 Capital Scheme Number: 99609</p> <p>Authority for the design and implementation of an additional £500,000 of Highway Structures Capital Maintenance and Strengthening works for the 2011/12 financial year, funded from the Integrated Transport Scheme No. 99609 within the approved Capital Programme</p>	<p>Chief Officer (Highways and Transportation)</p>	<p>1/2/12</p>	<p>: Internal, members</p>	<p>Design and Cost Report</p>	<p>carolyn.walters@leeds.gov.uk</p>



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<p>Leeds Local Implementation Plan supporting document for the West Yorkshire Local Transport Team Report requesting authority to:</p> <p>Approval of the supporting document for Leeds setting out details of the strategy and implementation proposals for Leeds included in the West Yorkshire Local Transport Plan.</p>	<p>Chief Officer (Highways and Transportation)</p>	<p>1/2/12</p>	<p>The document sets out issues and proposals that have been consulted on as part of the Local Transport Plan preparation process which has included Members and stakeholders</p>	<p>Delegated decision report</p>	<p>andrew.hall@leeds.gov.uk</p>
<p>Infrastructure Support Fund grant allocations 2012/13</p> <p>Approval of grant allocations for the Infrastructure Support Fund to organisations to enable them to deliver practical infrastructure support services to voluntary, community and faith sector organisations for 2012/13.</p>	<p>Director of Environment and Neighbourhoods</p>	<p>1/2/12</p>	<p>Consultation with current providers, LCC Officers and with Executive Member.</p>	<p>Report to be presented to Delegated Decision Panel, Environment and Neighbourhoods</p>	<p>julie.staton@leeds.gov.uk</p>

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Annual Pedestrian Crossing Review 2012 Chief Officer of Highways and Transportation to approve the proposals made in the report as the basis for the 2012/13 programme for introducing new pedestrian crossings	Director of City Development	1/2/12	Local members are advised of the progress made with their requests by the Traffic Section and notified of the final outcome of the review. Once approved each individual scheme is then taken forward for a separate delegated decision for detailed design and construction – this includes consultations with ward members and affected frontages	Design and Cost Report - Annual Pedestrian Crossing Review 2012	kasia.speakman@leeds.gov.uk
Highway Maintenance Capital Programme 2012-13 To approve the Highway Maintenance Capital Programme 2012-13	Chief Officer (Highways and Transportation)	1/2/12	Councillors will be informed of work to be done in their ward on this programme	Report to Chief Officer Highways and Transportation	andrew.bellamy@leeds.gov.uk

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<p>Local Transport Plan - Highway Maintenance Capital Programme 2012-13</p> <p>To approve the Local Transport Plan - Highway Maintenance Capital Programme 2012-13</p>	<p>Director of City Development</p>	<p>1/2/12</p>	<p>Councillors will be informed of work to be done in their ward on this programme</p>	<p>Report to the Chief Officer Highways and Transportation</p>	<p>andrew.bellamyleeds.gov.uk</p>
<p>Design and Cost Report - 2012/13 Highway Structures Capital Programme. Capital Scheme Number: 99508</p> <p>Authority for the design and implementation of a programme of Highway Structures Capital Maintenance works comprising maintenance. Assessment and strengthening works for 2012/13</p>	<p>Chief Officer (Highways and Transportation)</p>	<p>21/2/12</p>	<p>Internal. Members</p>	<p>Design and cost report</p>	<p>carolyn.walton@leeds.gov.uk</p>

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<p><b>Aire Valley Leeds Enterprise Zone</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Executive Board note and agree to:</li> <li>• the proposals to establish an enterprise zone in Aire Valley Leeds and the governance arrangements regarding its operation.</li> <li>• the use of Local Development Orders and that officers start the appropriate consultation process with a view to the secretary of state making a final approval of the orders in January/February 2012.</li> <li>• an injection of fully funded capital resources and authority to spend for the funding and for legal documents to be completed for the installation of a main spine link road.</li> </ul>	<p>Executive Board (Portfolio: Development and the Economy)</p>	<p>7/3/12</p>	<p>City Development and LEP, Plans Panel Members, Ward Members, local communities and stakeholders</p>	<p>The report to be issued to the decision maker with the agenda for the meeting</p>	<p>peter.anderson-beck@leeds.gov.uk</p>

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Construction Skills Commissioning Key Decision – Executive Board	Executive Board (Portfolio: Environment, Neighbourhoods and Housing)	7/3/12	Jobcentre Plus, Members, existing/potential providers	The report to be issued to the decision maker with the agenda for the meeting	jane.hopkins@leeds.gov.uk
Camera Enforcement of Bus Lanes (BLE)-Phase 2, Leeds City Wide Approval Agree to roll out the BLE to all remaining Bus Lanes and gates in Leeds. Allow the inclusion of cameras for enforcement as part on new bus lane and bus gate schemes.	Executive Board (Portfolio: Development and the Economy)	7/3/12	Consultations were carried out as part of the BLE Phase 1 pilot. Press releases will be issued to notify motorists of the expansion of the system.	The report to be issued to the decision maker with the agenda for the meeting	gary.bartlett@leeds.gov.uk
To approve the allocation of the Three Year Grants for the Arts and Leeds Inspired Grants To approve the allocation of the Three Year Grants for the Arts and Leeds Inspired Grants	Executive Board (Portfolio: Development and the Economy)	7/3/12	Executive Board, Executive Member for Leisure	The report to be issued to the decision maker with the agenda for the meeting	catherine.blanshrd@leeds.gov.uk

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### **Executive Board Portfolios**

### **Executive Member**

Resources and Corporate Functions	Councillor Keith Wakefield
Development and the Economy	Councillor Richard Lewis
Environmental Services	Councillor Mark Dobson
Neighbourhoods Housing and Regeneration	Councillor Peter Gruen
Children's Services	Councillor Judith Blake
Leisure	Councillor Adam Ogilvie
Adult Health and Social Care	Councillor Lucinda Yeadon
Leader of the Conservative Group	Councillor Andrew Carter
Leader of the Liberal Democrat Group	Councillor Stewart Golton
Leader of the Morley Borough Indep	Councillor Robert Finnigan

In cases where Key Decisions to be taken by the Executive Board are not included in the Plan, 5 days notice of the intention to take such decisions will be given by way of the agenda for the Executive Board meeting.

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**BUDGET AND POLICY FRAMEWORK DECISIONS**

<b>Decisions</b>	<b>Decision Maker</b>	<b>Expected Date of Decision</b>	<b>Proposed Consultation</b>	<b>Documents to be considered by Decision Maker</b>	<b>Lead Officer</b>
Vision for Leeds	Council	To be confirmed	Via Executive Board, all Scrutiny Boards	Report to be issued to the decision maker with the agenda for the meeting	Assistant Chief Executive (Planning, Policy and Improvement)
Council Business Plan	Council	July 2013	Via Executive Board, all Scrutiny Boards	Report to be issued to the decision maker with the agenda for the meeting	Assistant Chief Executive (Policy, Planning and Improvement)
Sustainable Economy and Culture City Priority Plan	Council	July 2013	Via Executive Board, Scrutiny Board (Sustainable Economy and Culture), Leeds Initiative Board, sustainable Economy and Culture Partnership Board	Report to be issued to the decision maker with the agenda for the meeting	Director of City Development
Local Flood Risk Management Strategy	Council		Via Executive Board, Scrutiny Board	Report to be issued to the decision maker with the agenda for the meeting	Director of City Development

Decisions	Decision Maker	Expected Date of Decision	Proposed Consultation	Documents to be considered by Decision Maker	Lead Officer
			(Sustainable Economy and Culture)		

**NOTES:**

The Council's Constitution, in Article 4, defines those plans and strategies which make up the Budget and Policy Framework. Details of the consultation process are published in the Council's Forward Plan as required under the Budget and Policy Framework.

Full Council ( a meeting of all Members of Council) are responsible for the adoption of the Budget and Policy Framework.