## LEEDS CITY COUNCIL

## **FORWARD PLAN OF KEY DECISIONS**

For the period 1 November 2008 to 28 February 2009

| Key Decisions  | Decision Maker  | Expected<br>Date of<br>Decision | Proposed<br>Consultation  | Documents to be<br>Considered by Decision<br>Maker | Lead Officer (To whom representations should be made)          |
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| Transforming Social Care In response to the government agenda "Transforming Social Care" (DoH LA Circular (DH) (2008)1) there will need to be a variety of changes to staffing arrangements predominantly within Adult Social Care.  At this stage it is not determined what these are but as action plans are progressed it is expected that there will be a range of changes to resourcing to ensure achievement of targets. There will be a series of reports as this is developed. | Director of Adult<br>Social Services,<br>Director of<br>Resources | 3/11/08                         | As a minimum the Executive Board member, Staff and Trade Unions. However a consultation plan will be developed to ensure all stakeholders are consulted and informed appropriately. | Local Government Circular<br>LAC (DH) (2008)       | Director of Adult Social<br>Services, Director of<br>Resources |

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| Financial Management Restructure Approval of the Restructure of the Authority wide Financial Management function.   | Director of<br>Resources                                 | 3/11/08                         | Extensive consultation with Unions and other stakeholders including staff planned from late June 2008. | Chief Officer Delegated<br>Decision Report                                    | Director of Resources                                 |
| Compulsory Purchase Order (Parent Scheme) Authority to spend from Director of Resources   | Director of<br>Resources                                 | 3/11/08                         | RHB Project Board  | Design and Cost Report  | Director of Resources                                 |
| Demolition of buildings at<br>the Copperfields College<br>site<br>Authority to spend on<br>demolition works   | Chief Officer,<br>Corporate Property<br>Management       | 3/11/08                         | Already carried out  | Report to decision maker  | Chief Officer,<br>Corporate Property<br>Management    |
| Financial Performance Half<br>Year 2008/09<br>In noting the financial<br>position at the half year for<br>the Authority a decision will<br>be required as to the<br>treatment of any variation<br>identified. | Executive Board<br>(Portfolio: Central<br>and Corporate) | 5/11/08                         |  | The report to be issued to the decision maker with the agenda for the meeting | Director of Resources                                 |

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| The Living City Wage To consider the implications of introducing a Living Wage for Leeds.  | Executive Board<br>(Portfolio: Central<br>and Corporate) | 5/11/08                         | To consider matters already nationally and locally researched by Living Wage organisations. | The report to be issued to the decision maker with the agenda for the meeting | Director of Resources                                 |
| Framework Agreement for Financial Advisors for PFI Projects To award the contract for the Framework Agreement.   | Chief Officer<br>(PPPU)                                  | 6/11/08                         | N/A (advisors from client departments consulted)  | Report to Panel   | Deputy Chief<br>Executive                             |
| Maintenance and repairs to Leeds City Council's site excluding Housing Stock in the trades of painting and decorating; drainage / drain clearance; gutter cleaning; glazing; lightning protection; metalwork, roofing and tarmacdam / groundworks Award of Contracts | Chief Officer,<br>Corporate Property<br>Management       | 1/12/08                         | Client Departments  | Contract Award Report   | Chief Officer,<br>Corporate Property<br>Management    |

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| The provision of a new mobile and fixed voice and data services contract The tender is currently being advertised and we aim to be in position to make a decision and award in December 2008. The new contract will need to be in place for when the current agreement with Orange expires in March 2009. | Chief ICT Officer | 1/1/09                          |                          | Tender pack / bids                                 | Director of Resources                                 |

## **NOTES**

Key decisions are those executive decisions:

- which result in the authority incurring expenditure or making savings over £250,000 per annum, or
- are likely to have a significant effect on communities living or working in an area comprising two or more wards

| Executive Board Portfolios                        | Executive Member              |
|---|-------------------------------|
| Central and Corporate                             | Councillor Richard Brett      |
| Development and Regeneration                      | Councillor Andrew Carter      |
| Environmental Services                            | Councillor Steve Smith        |
| Neighbourhoods and Housing                        | Councillor John Leslie Carter |
| Leisure   | Councillor John Procter       |
| Children's Services                               | Councillor Stewart Golton     |
| Learning  | Councillor Richard Harker     |
| Adult Health and Social Care                      | Councillor Peter Harrand      |
| Leader of the Labour Group                        | Councillor Keith Wakefield    |
| Leader of the Morley Borough<br>Independent Group | Councillor Robert Finnigan    |
| Advisory Member                                   | Councillor Judith Blake       |

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.