



THE FOUR MONTH FORWARD PLAN

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PLYMOUTH CITY COUNCIL FORWARD PLAN OF KEY DECISIONS

What is the Forward Plan?

Section 14 of the Access to Information Procedure Rules requires the Cabinet to prepare a Forward Plan to cover a period of four months. The Forward Plan should contain **key decisions** that the Cabinet believe are to be taken within this period. It describes who is the decision maker, the period in which the decision will be taken, those whom the decision taker proposes to consult, the steps any individual may take who wishes to make representations to the decision maker and a list of background papers considered by the decision taker in respect of the key decision.

What is a Key Decision?

A **key decision** is –

- (a) Any decision in relation to an Executive function which results in the Council incurring expenditure which is, or the making of savings which are, significant having regard to the local authority's budget for the service or function to which the decision relates;

or

- (b) Any decision that is likely to have a significant impact on two or more wards within the Council.

The threshold for significant expenditure / savings is £2 million for the award of contracts and £500,000 for all other matters.

The Cabinet cannot consider key decisions if they have not been included within the Forward Plan unless they fall within the two exceptions set out at paragraph 15 & 16 of the Access to Information Procedure Rules, namely:

PARAGRAPH 15. GENERAL EXCEPTION

If a matter which is likely to be a key decision has not been included in the forward plan, then subject to Rule 16 (special urgency), the decision may still be taken if:

- (a) the decision must be taken by such a date that it is impracticable to defer the decision until it has been included in the next forward plan and until the start of the first month to which the next forward plan relates;
- (b) the monitoring officer has informed the Chair of a relevant Scrutiny Panel, or if there is no such person, each member of that panel in writing, by notice, of the matter to which the decision is to be made;
- (c) the Monitoring Officer has made copies of that notice available to the public at the offices of the Council; and
- (d) at least 5 working days have elapsed since the Monitoring Officer complied with (a) and (b).

Where such a decision is taken by a committee, it must be taken in public.

PARAGRAPH 16. SPECIAL URGENCY

If by virtue of the date by which a decision must be taken Rule 15 (general exception) cannot be followed, then the decision can only be taken if the decision taker (if an individual) or the Chair of the body making the decision, obtains the agreement of the Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board that the taking of the decision cannot be reasonably deferred. If there is no Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board, in his/her absence the Vice Chair will suffice, or in both their absences, any other Member of the Board.

The Forward Plan does not need to refer to exempt information and confidential information cannot be included.

What is the Budget and Policy Framework?

This is a reference to the Council's policy framework and is made up of a series of Statutory Plans and Strategies listed as below:

Corporate Plan	All Our Futures
Children and Young People's Plan	Capital Strategy and Asset Management Plan
Licensing Authority Policy Statement – Gambling Act 2005	Housing Strategy
Local Development Framework (Documents)	Investment in Children (comprising Strategy for Change and Building Schools for the Future)
Local Transport Plan	Plymouth Economic Strategy
Sustainable Community Strategy	Waste Management Strategy
Youth Justice Plan	

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, and how
- what documents can you ask for, and when
- who you can contact for further information

Who takes Key Decisions?

Under the Council's Constitution most key decisions are taken at public meetings of either the City Council or the Cabinet and these bodies are presently scheduled to meet on the following dates:

	February	March	April	May
City Council Council House (2 pm)	1 February	1 March	26 April	21 May
Cabinet Council House (2.pm)	9 February	16 March	6 April	To be determined

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 Members of the City Council, the Leader/Executive Members and the Chief Executive/ Executive Directors.

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 the City Council and staff will be able to assist you: Telephone 01752 668000

How do I get copies of agenda papers?

The agenda papers for City Council and Cabinet meetings are usually available five working days before the meeting and can be accessed on the Council's website: www.plymouth.gov.uk/modgov.

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.

How can I get copies of the Plan?

Copies of the Plan are available for inspection at reasonable hours, free of charge, at the Plymouth City Council offices. The Plan is updated monthly on:

2010
11 February
11 March
8 April

Copies are also available on the City Council's website:
www.plymouth.gov.uk/modgov.

General

If you have any questions or comments about the Plan, we would positively welcome them and would ask that you send them direct to the contact officer named at the start of the Plan. Please also let us know if you have any difficulty in accessing a copy of the Plan or any of the documents referred to therein.

Ian Gallin
Assistant Chief Executive



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CORPORATE PLAN (FP 50 09/10)

Nature of the decision:

To approve the Corporate Plan 2010-13

Who will make the decision? City Council (Cabinet Member: The Leader)

Timing of the decision? 1 March 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

1. Members of the public and local community representatives
2. Lead officers for related strategies and plans
3. Members of the Council's senior management team
4. Overview & Scrutiny Management Board
5. Cabinet

Process to be used:

1. Area Committees
2. Plymouth City Council's Corporate Strategy Forum
3. Corporate and departmental management team meetings
4. Overview & Scrutiny Management Board meetings on 15 and 17 February 2010
5. Cabinet meeting on 9 February 2010.

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

Priorities in the Sustainable Community Strategy

Local Area Agreement targets

Judgements from audits and inspections.

Value for money service profiles

Corporate Area Assessment

Place Survey

Feedback from area committees.

Recommendations from Scrutiny and Cabinet.

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

Medium term financial plan 2010-13

Capital and Asset Management strategy 2010-13

Representations: In writing by 25 January 2010 to -

- (1) Jonathan Fry Policy, Performance and Partnerships
- (2) Councillor Mrs Pengelly (Leader)

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Further information – Availability of Documents:

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GROWTH AGENDA: GOVERNANCE ARRANGEMENTS (FP 24 09/10)

Nature of the decision:

To seek approval for new governance arrangements to manage and progress the growth agenda.

Who will make the decision? Cabinet (on the recommendation of Councillor Fry)

Timing of the decision? Between 16 March 2010 and 6 April 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

Local Authorities in the Sub Region
Government Office South West
Home and Communities Agency
Wealthy Theme Group
Regional Development Agency
City Development Company

Process to be used:

Direct discussions
Meetings
Presentations

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

List of current groups and meetings
Sub National Review of Economic Development and Regeneration (CLG)

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

As above for decision makers

Representations: In writing by 1 March 2010 to -

1. Assistant Director of Development and Regeneration (Planning)
2. Councillor Fry (Cabinet Member)

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Further information – Availability of Documents:

For further information contact: Paul Barnard, Assistant Director for Development (Planning)

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PLYMOUTH LOCAL INVESTMENT PLAN (FP 42 09/10)

Nature of the decision:

To seek approval for an Investment Plan which progresses delivery of the Growth Agenda.

Who will make the decision? Cabinet (on the recommendation of Councillor Fry)

Timing of the decision? Between 16 March 2010 and 6 April 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

Local Authorities in the Sub Region
Government Office South West
Home and Communities Agency
Wealthy Theme Group
Regional Development Agency
City Development Company
Highways Agency
Natural England
Environment Agency
Other local groups, organisations and businesses

Process to be used:

Direct discussions
Meetings and workshops
Presentations

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

1. Local Development Framework Core Strategy and Area Action Plans
2. Infrastructure schemes
3. Evidence base reports
4. Views / strategies of stakeholders

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

as above for decision makers

Representations: In writing by 1 March 2010 to -

1. Assistant Director of Development (Planning)
2. Councillor Fry (Cabinet Member)

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Further information – Availability of Documents:

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EXTENSION OF THE DESIGNATION OF EFFORD MARSH LOCAL NATURE RESERVES (FP 49 09/10)

Nature of the decision:

To seek approval for the extension of the designation of Efford Marsh Local Nature Reserve

Who will make the decision? Cabinet (on the recommendation of Councillor Fry)

Timing of the decision? Between 16 March 2010 and 30 June 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

Natural England

Process to be used:

Direct contact (Note: These proposals are a rationalisation of the boundaries of the currently legally designated reserves to encompass adjacent land that is owned and managed by PCC.)

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

Efford Marsh Local Nature Reserve Management Plan

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

as above for decision makers

Representations: In writing by 1 March 2010 to -

1. Assistant Director of Development (Planning Services)
2. Councillor Fry (Cabinet Member)

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Further information – Availability of Documents:

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EXTENSION OF THE DESIGNATION OF FORDER VALLEY LOCAL NATURE RESERVES (FP 48 09/10)

Nature of the decision:

To seek approval for the extension of the designation of Forder Valley Local Nature Reserve

Who will make the decision? Cabinet (on the recommendation of Councillor Fry)

Timing of the decision? Between 16 March 2010 and 30 June 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

Natural England

Process to be used:

Direct contact (Note: These proposals are a rationalisation of the boundaries of the currently legally designated reserves to encompass adjacent land that is owned and managed by PCC.)

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

Forder Valley Local Nature Reserve Management Plan

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

as above for decision makers

Representations: In writing by 1 March 2010 to -

1. Assistant Director of Development (Planning Services)
2. Councillor Fry (Cabinet Member)

Contact details available from Plymouth City Council Tel: 01752 668000

Further information – Availability of Documents:

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LOCAL DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK: ADOPTION OF PLANNING OBLIGATIONS AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING SUPPLEMENTARY PLANNING DOCUMENT, FIRST REVIEW (FP 43 09/10)

Nature of the decision:

To formally adopt the first review of the Planning Obligations and Affordable Housing Supplementary Planning Document

Who will make the decision? City Council (Cabinet Member: Councillor Fry)

Timing of the decision? Between 26 April 2010 and 30 July 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

A full public consultation process was undertaken on the draft Supplementary Planning Document

Process to be used:

Meetings, events, LDF newsletter and Limehouse consultation portal

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

1. Local Development Scheme
2. Local Development Framework Core Strategy
3. Local Development Framework evidence base reports
4. Adopted Planning Obligations & Affordable Housing Supplementary Planning Document
5. Consultation draft and responses of the Supplementary Planning Document

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

as above for decision makers

Representations: In writing by 15 March 2010 to -

1. Assistant Director of Development (Planning)
2. Councillor Fry (Cabinet Member)

Contact details available from Plymouth City Council Tel: 01752 668000

Further information – Availability of Documents:

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LOCAL DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK: ADOPTION OF CITY CENTRE AND UNIVERSITY AREA ACTION PLAN (FP 47 09/10)

Nature of the decision:

To formally adopt the City Centre & University Area Action Plan

Who will make the decision? City Council (Cabinet Member: Councillor Fry)

Timing of the decision? Between 26 April 2010 and 30 July 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

A full public consultation process was undertaken on the AAP, which has also been subject to independent Public Examination

Process to be used:

Meetings, events, LDF newsletter and Limehouse consultation portal

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

Report of Public Examination

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

as above for decision makers

Representations: In writing by 15 March 2010 to -

1. Assistant Director of Development (Planning)
2. Councillor Fry (Cabinet Member)

Contact details available from Plymouth City Council Tel: 01752 668000

Further information – Availability of Documents:

For further information contact: Jonathan Bell, Head of Development Planning
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LOCAL DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK: ADOPTION OF DEVELOPMENT GUIDELINES SUPPLEMENTARY PLANNING DOCUMENT (FP 45 09/10)

Nature of the decision:

To formally adopt the Development Guidelines Supplementary Planning Document

Who will make the decision? City Council (Cabinet Member: Councillor Fry)

Timing of the decision? Between 26 April 2010 and 30 July 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

A full public consultation process was undertaken on the draft Supplementary Planning Document

Process to be used:

Meetings, events, LDF newsletter and Limehouse consultation portal

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

1. Local Development Scheme
2. Local Development Framework Core Strategy
3. Local Development Framework evidence base reports
4. Development Guidelines Supplementary Planning Document consultation draft and responses

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

None.

Representations: In writing by 15 March 2010 to -

1. Assistant Director of Development (Planning)
2. Councillor Fry (Cabinet Member)

Contact details available from Plymouth City Council Tel: 01752 668000

Further information – Availability of Documents:

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LOCAL DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK: SUBMISSION OF DERRIFORD AND SEATON AREA ACTION PLAN (FP 29 09/10)

Nature of the decision:

To seek approval for the submission of the Derriford and Seaton Area Action Plan to the Secretary of State, including publication of the pre-submission version of the Area Action Plan for the purposes of consultation

Who will make the decision? City Council (Cabinet Member: Councillor Fry)

Timing of the decision? Between 4 May 2010 and 30 July 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

Key stakeholders, local communities and members consulted as part of Issues & Preferred Options process, which was approved by the Cabinet on 20 January 2009.

Process to be used:

Issues and Preferred Options consultation process involved exhibitions, meetings, briefings, use of newsletter and other publicity material.

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

1. Local Development Scheme
2. Local Development Framework Core Strategy
3. Consultation responses on Area Action Plan Issues and Preferred Options report
4. Local Development Framework evidence base reports

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

as above for decision makers

Representations: In writing by 23 April 2010 to -

1. Assistant Director of Development (Planning)
2. Councillor Fry (Cabinet Member)

Contact details available from Plymouth City Council Tel: 01752 668000

Further information – Availability of Documents:

For further information contact: Jonathan Bell, Head of Development Planning

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COUNCIL TAX BASE 2010/11 (FP 34 09/10)

Nature of the decision:

To give approval to the Council Tax Base, which will be used as the basis for setting the Council Tax level for 2010/11.

Who will make the decision? City Council (Cabinet Member: Councillor Bowyer)

Timing of the decision? 1 February 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

The Council Tax base is calculated as part of a statutory process, based on data relating to the council tax property base. Consultation is not applicable.

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

1. The regulations governing the calculation of the tax-base. (Local Authorities (Calculation of Tax-Base) Regulations 1992.
2. The tax-base report.
3. The level of estimated collection rate and the option to vary the discounts given on 2nd homes and empty properties.
4. Recommendation of Cabinet on 15 December 2009

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

As above for information to be considered by decision makers.

Representations: In writing by 31 December 2009 to -

1. Assistant Director for Finance, Assets and Efficiencies
2. Councillor Bowyer (Cabinet Member)

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Further information – Availability of Documents:

For further information contact: Gary Edwards, Accounts Processing Manager

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APPOINTMENT OF A SUPPLIER FOR THE PROVISION OF ADVERTISING SERVICES (FP 46 09/10)

Nature of the decision:

To approve the appointment of a new supplier for the provision of advertising services. (Contract re-tendered following expiry of existing contract).

Who will make the decision? Cabinet (on the recommendation of Councillor Bowyer)

Timing of the decision? 9 February 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

Communications team, Human Resources, Children's Services, plus departments that have a significant spend on public notices or high levels of media requirements.

Process to be used:

Direct consultation and feedback with stakeholders.

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

Contract Award Report (to be forwarded following tender process).

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

as above for decision maker

Representations: In writing by 25 January 2010 to -

- (1) Assistant Chief Executive
- (2) Councillor Bowyer (Cabinet Member)

Contact details available from Plymouth City Council Tel: 01752 668000

Further information – Availability of Documents:

For further information contact: Clive Woodley, Product Portfolio Manager
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ASSET MANAGEMENT PLAN AND CAPITAL STRATEGY (FP 51 09/10)

Nature of the decision:

To approve the Asset Management Plan 2010 update

Who will make the decision? City Council (Cabinet Member: Councillor Bowyer)

Timing of the decision? 1 March 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

1. Members of the Council's senior management team
2. Overview and Scrutiny Management Board
3. Cabinet

Process to be used:

Circulation of written material to and meetings of –

- Directors
- Cabinet meeting on 9 February 2010
- Overview and Scrutiny Management Board on 15 and 17 February 2010

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

Asset Management Plan update

Recommendations from Cabinet

Recommendations from the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

as above for decision makers

Representations: In writing by 25 January 2010 to -

1. Assistant Director of Development (Property & Economic Development)
2. Councillor Bowyer (Cabinet Member)

Contact details available from Plymouth City Council Tel: 01752 668000

Further information – Availability of Documents:

For further information contact: Chris Trevitt, Head of Corporate Property

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SETTING THE 2010/11 BUDGET AND COUNCIL TAX (FP 52 09/10)

Nature of the decision:

To agree the Council's 2010/11 budget (including Revenue Budget, Treasury Management Strategy and Capital Programme) and Council tax for 2010/11

Who will make the decision? City Council (Cabinet Member: Councillor Bowyer)

Timing of the decision? 1 March 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

Businesses

Partners

Cabinet

Scrutiny (Overview and Scrutiny Management Board)

Process to be used:

Written reports and meetings, including Cabinet on 9 February and the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board on 15 and 17 February 2010.

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

Report of the Director for Corporate Support

Outcome of consultation

Recommendations from Scrutiny (Overview and Scrutiny Management Board)

Cabinet recommendations

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

as above for decision makers

Representations: In writing by 25 January 2010 to -

(1) Assistant Director, Finance, Assets & Efficiencies - Malcolm Coe

(2) Councillor Bowyer (Cabinet Member)

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Further information – Availability of Documents:

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CONTRACT AWARD FOR THE SUPPLY OF TEMPORARY STAFF (FP 39)

Nature of the decision:

Contract award for the supply of temporary staff

Who will make the decision? Cabinet (on the recommendation of Councillor Bowyer)

Timing of the decision? Between 16 March 2010 and 30 June 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

Head of Procurement
Assistant Director Human Resources
Assistant Director Finance
Head of Legal Services

Process to be used:

Contract award report
Evaluation criteria

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

Contract award report

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

Contract award report

Representations: In writing by 1 March 2010 to:

- (1) Malcolm Coe, Assistant Director Finance
- (2) Councillor Bowyer (Cabinet Member)

Contact details available from Plymouth City Council Tel: 01752 668000

Further information – Availability of Documents:

For further information contact: Maria Schingen, Product Portfolio Manager
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LOCALITY WORKING (FP 15 09/10)

Nature of the decision:

To agree a model for service co-ordination within Plymouth's six Localities, and associated community engagement arrangements

Who will make the decision? City Council (Cabinet Member: Councillor Brookshaw)

Timing of the decision? 1 February 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

1. Community groups
2. Lead officers for service providers
3. Members of the Council's senior management team
4. Overview and Scrutiny Management Board /Scrutiny Panel
5. Cabinet (19 January to make recommendations)
6. Members
7. Local Strategic Partnership
8. Plymouth City Council's Corporate Strategy Forum

Process to be used:

1. Area Committees
2. Meetings / discussion
3. Written consultation process

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

Results from consultation

Local Strategic Partnership's working group's recommendations on Localities

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

Written report and results from consultation

Representations: In writing by 4 January 2010 to -

1. Assistant Director for Safer Communities
2. Councillor Brookshaw (Cabinet Member)

Contact details available from Plymouth City Council Tel: 01752 668000

Further information – Availability of Documents:

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PLYMOUTH SPORTS FACILITY STRATEGY (FP 64 08/09)

Nature of the decision:

To adopt the Facilities and Sports Strategy

Who will make the decision? Cabinet (on the recommendation of Councillor Jordan)

Timing of the decision? 16 March 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

Members of the public
Facility operators
Sports Forum
Clubs
Schools
National Governing Bodies
User Groups
Customer and Communities Overview and Scrutiny Panel

Process to be used:

Personal interviews
Questionnaires
Research
Meetings

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

Draft Facilities and Sports Strategy

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

Draft Facilities and Sports Strategy

Representations: In writing by 1 March 2010 to -

1. James Coulton, Assistant Director for Leisure, Culture and Sport
2. Councillor Jordan (Cabinet Member)

Contact details available from Plymouth City Council Tel: 01752 668000

Further information – Availability of Documents:

For further information contact: Kevin Thomas, Sport and Leisure Manager
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PLYMOUTH CITY COUNCIL'S AQUATICS STRATEGY (FP 26 09/10)

Nature of the decision:

To adopt the Aquatics Strategy.

Who will make the decision? Cabinet (on the recommendation of Councillor Jordan)

Timing of the decision? 16 March 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

Facility Operators
Sports Forum
Clubs
Schools
Coaches
User groups
Governing bodies

Process to be used:

Personal interviews
Desk top study/research
Questionnaires
Meetings

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

Draft Aquatics Strategy

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

Draft Aquatics Strategy

Representations: In writing by 1 March 2010 to -

1. James Coulton, Assistant Director for Culture, Leisure and Sport
2. Councillor Jordan (Cabinet Member)

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Further information – Availability of Documents:

For further information contact: Liz Slater, Leisure Projects Officer
E mail: liz.slater@plymouth.gov.uk Tel: (01752) 307129

INFORMATION, ADVICE AND GUIDANCE SERVICE FOR YOUNG PEOPLE (FP 40)

Nature of the decision:

1. To extend the Peninsula Local Authority Contract for Information, Advice and Guidance delivered Careers South West (formally Connexions) until June 2011.

Value of Extension (Plymouth Contribution): At current value approx £625,000 for April 2011 – June 2010 (subject to negotiations in respect to contract value)

2. To undertake a tender for the Information Advice and Guidance Service for Young People aged 13-19 during 2010 (tender to start after the general election) for a contract starting July 2011.

Proposed contract length: 3 years with an option for 2 year extension.

Contract award (Plymouth Contribution): At current value £2.5million per year (subject to negotiations in respect to contract value)

Who will make the decision? Cabinet (on the recommendation of Councillor Monahan)

Timing of the decision? 16 March 2010

Who will be consulted and how?

Persons to be consulted with:

Peninsula Local Authority Commissioning Group
Plymouth Integrated Youth Support Service (IYSS) Strategy Group (including Assistant Director For Lifelong Learning and Head of IYSS)
Chief Executive Careers South West and the Careers South West Management Board
Schools
Young People and Parents
14-19 Curriculum Strategy Group
Jane Keeley, Acting Head of Strategic Procurement
Plymouth Legal Dept
Other Peninsula Local Authorities Procurement and Legal Teams

Process to be used:

Local authorities have a number of statutory duties in relation to the provision of Information, Advice and Guidance which are currently discharged within the contract with Careers South West (formally Connexions Cornwall and Devon)

As there is a general election planned for May or June next year it is proposed that this contract is extended to July 2011 in order to allow for a potential tender process which cannot take place during the period of Purda that the election will entail. Negotiation meetings have been set between the Peninsula Local Authorities and Careers South West to identify any changes to the contract that needed for 2010-2011 in the light of possible budgetary pressures and changes in National Legislation.

As the Lead Commissioner for the Peninsula Commissioning Group, Plymouth have produced papers timetabling to preparation of a business case for future of a Peninsula –wide Information, Advice and Guidance Service for young people in 2011 and beyond. This has been agreed by the Peninsula Commissioning leads and a series of Peninsula meetings has been established to develop this.

In order to develop this business case a needs analysis will be developed, which will include feedback and input from young people, parents and other key stakeholders, including schools.

As the current provider is a Local Authority owned company the business case will include a rationale as to whether a Teckal Exemption could apply.

As a parallel process the Plymouth IYSS strategy group will be reviewing the IYSS Strategy in light of the needs analysis' that have been taken for the Children and Young People's plan. These developments will inform the Peninsula business case with the The Children's Trust Commissioning Team facilitating both developments, working in partnership with the Head of Integrated Youth Support.

Information to be considered by the decision makers:

Current Performance

The Peninsula Business Case

The general election and period where a tender exercise will be prohibited. This will push the tendering timetable forward, meaning that to allow for a period of handover in case another provider wins the tender

Is this a part of the Budget and Policy Framework? Yes

Documents to be considered when the decision is taken

Business case (to be completed February 2010)

Rationale for tender

Tender timetable

Representations: In writing by 1 March 2010 to:

- (1) Richenda Broad, Head of Strategic Planning and Children's Trust Business
- (2) Councillor Monahan (Cabinet Member)

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Further information – Availability of Documents:

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