# Cabinet



Date of meeting:	09 March 2021
Title of Report:	Completed Pledge Report
Lead Member:	Councillor Mark Lowry (Cabinet Member for Finance)
Lead Strategic Director:	Giles Perritt (Assistant Chief Executive)
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Your Reference:	CAB/009/03/2021
Key Decision:	No
Confidentiality:	Part I - Official

### **Purpose of Report**

The administration continues with its four year programme to deliver against the 100 pledges, by March 22, for a better, greener and fairer Plymouth. Following the completion of pledges 5, 8 and 48 in February, the total number of pledges completed is 86 of the 100.

A pledge on a page has been completed for:

**Pledge 5:** We will continue to invest in science and innovation by supporting the growth of the Plymouth Science Park - the largest in southern England.

**Pledge 8:** To support Plymouth's ever-growing tourism industry and to capitalise on the legacy of Mayflower 2020, we will attract more high-quality hotels to open in the city.

**Pledge 48:** We will look to provide support for care leavers up to the age of 25, ensuring that the City Council plays its part in supporting young people leaving care, including guaranteeing a work placement with the City Council to help them start their working lives.

#### **Recommendations and Reasons**

1. Cabinet are invited to note the completion of pledges 5, 8 and 48 in February 2021, bringing the total number of completed pledges to 86.

#### Alternative options considered and rejected

Not applicable.

#### Relevance to the Corporate Plan and/or the Plymouth Plan

The 100 Pledges and manifesto priorities continue to inform development and delivery of the Corporate Plan and therefore have been adopted by the Council as part of delivery of the Corporate Plan.

#### Implications for the Medium Term Financial Plan and Resource Implications:

All resource implications have been considered and incorporated within the MTFP and Service Business Plans.

#### **Carbon Footprint (Environmental) Implications:**

Pledge completions complement the Council's existing policy framework with respect to the above. However, where potential environmental implications are identified from the implementation of any new activities arising from pledge delivery, assessments will be undertaken in line with the Council's policies.

#### Other Implications: e.g. Health and Safety, Risk Management, Child Poverty:

\* When considering these proposals members have a responsibility to ensure they give due regard to the Council's duty to promote equality of opportunity, eliminate unlawful discrimination and promote good relations between people who share protected characteristics under the Equalities Act and those who do not.

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#### **Appendices**

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#### **Background papers:**

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Please	Please confirm the Strategic Director(s) has agreed the report? Yes										
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Cabinet Member approval: Councillor Mark Lowry (Cabinet Member for Finance)											
Date approved: 04/03/2021											

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