



LEADERS SCHEME OF DELEGATION 2025/26

Leader: Cllr Tudor Evans OBE	Deputy Leader / Children's Social Care, Culture and Communications: Cllr Jemima Laing	Health and Adult Social Care: Cllr Mary Aspinall	Community Safety, Libraries, Events, Cemeteries and Crematoria: Cllr Sally Haydon	Housing, Cooperative Development and Communities: Cllr Chris Penberthy
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chair of Cabinet meetings and may act on behalf of, or instead of any other Cabinet members Liaison with Government Leadership representative of the Council on national and regional bodies The overview of the Council and its resources The Corporate Plan Corporate policy development One Plymouth National Marine Park Capital programme where delegated Designs for the future purpose, functions, shape and size of the organisation HM Dockyard and defence issues Plymouth Fishing industries Economy and Enterprise including Freeport Regional and Local Economic Strategy (including regional transport links) LGA Strategic and commercial projects Member development Democracy and Governance Elections 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Children Safeguarding and protection (Children's Social Care) Children in Care and Care leavers Children in Need Children's Social Care Early Intervention, Prevention and Targeted Support Youth Justice and Youth Services Culture, heritage and museums (including Mount Edgcombe) The Box Communications Legal Fees and charges relating to portfolio 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Older people's services Mental Health services Physical disability services Drug and alcohol services Learning disabilities services Adult public health Adult Safeguarding Dementia friendly city Ageing Well agenda Health and Social Care Other healthcare matters Children's mental health Children's and adult's dental health Children's public health Fees and charges relating to portfolio 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Environmental health Trading standards Taxi Licensing Miscellaneous Licensing Food safety Crime and Anti-social behaviour Safer Plymouth Community Safety Partnership Civil Protection and resilience Library service Bereavement and Crematoria Coroners Registration Events Waterfront Partnership Fees and charges relating to portfolio 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cooperative Development Plan for Homes and associated initiatives Building regulations including building safety Corporate property Land and facilities management Performance management Homelessness Unauthorised encampments and Travellers policy Welcoming Plymouth including equalities and diversity, asylum seekers and refugees Community engagement Building Stronger Communities including volunteering and community use of Council assets Veterans and Community Covenant Tackling poverty and Child Poverty National welfare policy and Council discretionary welfare funds Street naming Procurement Inclusive Growth Fees and charges relating to portfolio

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Education, Skills and Apprenticeships: Cllr Sally Cresswell	Finance: Cllr Mark Lowry	Strategic Planning and Transport: Cllr John Stephens	Environment and Climate Change: Cllr Tom Briars-Delve	Customer Experience, Sport, Leisure, Human Resources and Organisational Development: Cllr Kate Taylor Sue Dann
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Post-16 Education and Training • Apprenticeships • Plan for Education • Plymouth Education Board • Schools • School admissions arrangements • Early Years • Adult Education • Higher and Further Education • Skills and Employability • SEND • Fees and charges relating to portfolio 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revenue Budget • Capital programme monitoring and oversight • District shopping centre revival • City Centre Company • Revenues and municipal enterprise • Health and Wellbeing Hubs investment programme • Risk management • Fees and charges relating to portfolio 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plymouth and South West Devon Joint Local Plan • Spatial and infrastructure planning • City Change Fund • Strategic transport policy including public transport, active travel, community transport, concessionary fares and non-commercial routes • Strategic and regional transport • Flood risk management • City Centre public realm and infrastructure delivery • Highways operations and maintenance • Pavements • Parking • Marine services • Tamar Bridge and Torpoint Ferry • Cruise Terminal / Port services • Fees and charges relating to portfolio 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Climate change • Plymouth Net Zero Action Plan • Climate Emergency Investment Fund • Energy policy, decarbonisation and renewable energy initiatives • Commercial and domestic waste management • Environmental enforcement • Plan for Trees and Tree management • Recycling • Plastic Free Plymouth • Green Estate Management • Parks, recreation and sports pitches • Street cleaning • Air Pollution and Air Quality • Fees and charges relating to portfolio 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Human Resources, Organisational Development and Trade Union liaison • Health and Safety • Customer Experience • Transformation and Change Oversight • Business Support • Information technology • Information governance • Digital transformation • Sports and Leisure • Plymouth Active Leisure • Fees and charges relating to portfolio