

Executive Cabinet

Agenda and Reports

for consideration on

Thursday, 4th September 2008

in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, Chorley At 5.00 pm



PROCEDURE FOR PUBLIC QUESTIONS/SPEAKING AT EXECUTIVE CABINET MEETINGS

- Questions should be submitted to the Democratic Services Section by midday, two working days prior to each Executive Cabinet meeting to allow time to prepare appropriate responses and investigate the issue if necessary.
- A maximum period of 3 minutes will be allowed for a question from a member of the public on an item on the agenda. A maximum period of 30 minutes to be allocated for public questions if necessary at each meeting.
- The question to be answered by the Executive Member with responsibility for the service area or whoever is most appropriate.
- On receiving a reply the member of the public will be allowed to ask one supplementary question.
- Members of the public will be able to stay for the rest of the meeting should they so wish but will not be able to speak on any other agenda item upon using their allocated 3 minutes.



Town Hall Market Street Chorley Lancashire PR7 1DP

28 August 2008

Dear Councillor

EXECUTIVE CABINET - THURSDAY, 4TH SEPTEMBER 2008

You are invited to attend a meeting of the Executive Cabinet to be held in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, Chorley on <u>Thursday, 4th September 2008 at 5.00 pm</u>.

AGENDA

1. Apologies for absence

2. Declarations of Any Interests

Members are reminded of their responsibility to declare any personal interest in respect of matters contained in this agenda. If the interest arises **only** as result of your membership of another public body or one to which you have been appointed by the Council then you only need to declare it if you intend to speak.

If the personal interest is a prejudicial interest, you must withdraw from the meeting. Normally you should leave the room before the business starts to be discussed. You do, however, have the same right to speak as a member of the public and may remain in the room to enable you to exercise that right and then leave immediately. In either case you must not seek to improperly influence a decision on the matter.

3. Minutes (Pages 1 - 10)

To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting of the Executive Cabinet held on 14 August 2008 (enclosed).

4. **Public Questions**

Members of the public who have requested the opportunity to ask a question(s) on an agenda item(s) will be requested to put their question(s) to the respective Executive Member(s). Each member of the public will be allowed to ask one supplementary question within his/her allotted three minutes.

EXECUTIVE LEADER'S ITEM (INTRODUCED BY COUNCILLOR P GOLDSWORTHY)

5. Consideration of the Forward Plan (Pages 11 - 14)

To receive and consider the Council's Forward Plan for the four months period commencing 1 September 2008 (enclosed).

EXECUTIVE MEMBER (POLICY AND PERFORMANCE) ITEM (INTRODUCED BY COUNCILLOR P CASE)

6. <u>Delivering Efficiency and Value for Money - Reflecting Back and Looking Forward</u> (Pages 15 - 24)

Report of Assistant Chief Executive (Business Transformation) (enclosed).

EXECUTIVE MEMBER (BUSINESS) ITEMS (INTRODUCED BY COUNCILLOR P MALPAS)

7. <u>Prevention of Homelessness Strategy for Chorley, 2008 - 2013</u> (Pages 25 - 60)

Report of Corporate Director (Business), with attached draft Strategy document (enclosed).

8. <u>Short Stay Car Parks - Petition referred by Council at its meeting on 15 July 2008</u> (Pages 61 - 66)

Report of Corporate Director (Neighbourhoods) (enclosed).

EXECUTIVE MEMBER (PEOPLE) ITEMS (INTRODUCED BY COUNCILLOR J WALKER)

9. Introduction of Free Swimming Programme (Pages 67 - 70)

Report of Corporate Director (People) (enclosed).

10. Coppull Leisure Centre - Options for future operation (Pages 71 - 74)

Report of Corporate Director (People) (enclosed).

11. Any other item(s) that the Chair decides is/are urgent

12. Exclusion of the Public and Press

To consider the exclusion of the press and public for the following item of business on the ground that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972.

13. Business Directorate - Restructure of Strategic Housing Section (Pages 75 - 78)

Report of Corporate Director (Business) (enclosed).

Yours sincerely

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