

CABINET - 26 MARCH 2024

DATES OF COUNCIL MEETINGS 2024/25 AND 2025/26

REPORT OF THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE

Purpose of the Report

1. The purpose of this report is to ask the Cabinet to recommend the County Council at its meeting on 15 May 2024 agrees dates for Council meetings for the next two municipal years.

Recommendation

2. That the County Council be recommended to hold meetings on the following dates during the next two municipal years:-

Wednesday 3 July 2024

Wednesday 25 September 2024

Wednesday 4 December 2024

Wednesday 19 February 2025 (to consider the budget)

Wednesday 14 May 2025 (Annual meeting).

Wednesday 2 July 2025

Wednesday 24 September 2025

Wednesday 3 December 2025

Wednesday 18 February 2026 (to consider the budget)

Wednesday 13 May 2026 (Annual meeting).

Reason for Recommendation

3. To comply with the Local Government Act 1972 and the County Council's Standing Orders.

Timetable for Decisions (including Scrutiny)

4. Subject to agreement by the Cabinet, the County Council will be asked to agree the dates on 15 May 2024.

Background

5. Standing Order 1(2) requires that in addition to the Annual Meeting of the Council and any meetings convened by the Chairman or members of the Council, meetings of the Council for the transaction of general business shall be held on such days as may be determined by the Council on the

recommendation of the Cabinet. Dates for the 2025/26 municipal year have been included in order to provide members with advance notice of future meetings.

Equality Implications

6. There are no equality implications arising from this report.

Human Rights Implications

7. There are no human rights implications arising from this report.

Background Papers

8. None.

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9. None.

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