



FULL COUNCIL – 8 DECEMBER 2014

Report from the Cabinet

1. The Leader and Cabinet members will report on matters which are the responsibility of the Cabinet, in accordance with standing order 38.
2. **Decisions taken by the Cabinet under the Council's urgency provisions**

Under the provisions of rule 38 of the Access to Information Rules in the Constitution, the Cabinet is required to report to the Full Council for information on any key decisions taken by them which did not appear in the Forward Plan giving 28 days' notice or where due notice was not given that a report, or part thereof, was to be considered in private.

Notification that the following reports, considered by the Cabinet on the dates shown contained appendices which were considered in private:

- 15.09.14 Domestic Violence Advocacy, family support and MARAC coordination services
- 13.10.14 Award of a contract for revenues and benefits housing software
- 10.11.14 Housing PFI project initiative agreement
- 10.11.14 Review of Revenues Collection post
- 10.11.14 Award of contracts for Gas and Electricity

Less than 28 days notification was given of the following on the Forward Plan:

- 10.11.14 Authority to tender a contract for Independent Reviewing Officer service (IRO)
- 10.11.14 Future Development of Children's Centres

Reason why it was impracticable to defer the decisions until they could be included on the forward plan giving due notice:

In order for the decisions to be taken within timescales and to ensure the Council was not financially disadvantaged.