

STATUTORY FORWARD PLAN

KEY DECISIONS
(indicated by ■)

01 AUGUST 2011 - 30 NOVEMBER 2011

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1] Equality Act 2010 - Taxi & Private Hire Vehicles	Corporate Director of DNS	Councillor Nelson - Cabinet Member for Housing and Community Safety	Cabinet			■											Licence holders, Disability Advisory Group	Letter and/or website	In writing, by email to David Kitching dave.kitching@stockton.gov.uk by 29th July 2011	N/A	Key Decision Results of the consultation exercise will be considered by the Licensing Committee before submission to Cabinet.
The Equalities Act gives the Council powers to maintain a list of 'designated wheelchair accessible vehicles'. Those not included on the list must undertake specified duties to assist passengers who use wheelchairs. This report seeks a decision on whether or not such a list should be maintained.																					
2] Revision of Regulatory Services Enforcement Policy	Corporate Director of Development and Neighbourhood Services	Councillor Nelson - Cabinet Member for Housing and Community Safety	Cabinet			■											Cabinet	Report	By email to David Kitching, dave.kitching@stockton.gov.uk by 29th July 2011	N/A	Key Decision
The Regulatory Services Enforcement policy has been reviewed to take into account changes in legislation, guidance and the range of sanctions available. This report seeks Cabinet approval for the revised policy.																					
3] Highways Management Task & Finish Review	Corporate Director of DNS	Councillor Smith - Cabinet Member for Regeneration & Transport	Cabinet			■											Regeneration & Transport Select Committee, Cabinet	Select Committee Meetings	By email to Richard McGuckin at richard.mcguckin@stockton.gov.uk by end March 2011		Key Decision
To report the findings from the task & finish review																					

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4] Local Development Framework: To adopt Supplementary Planning Documents (SPDs) on 1. Sustainable Design 2. Parking Standards and to endorse the schedule of responses and officers comments made in response to a recent public consultation exercise.	Corporate Director Development and Neighbourhood Services.	Councillor Smith - Cabinet Member for Regeneration & Transport	Cabinet, Council				■										Public, stakeholders, Planning Committee, Cabinet.	Both documents were subject to a period of extensive consultation between January and March 2011 and any comments made have been given full consideration and, where appropriate, the documents have been amended. The details of the comments received and where the documents have been amended in response to comments made are contained in the accompanying schedules of responses.	There is no further period for public consultation.	Sustainable Design SPD Parking Standards SPD Schedules of responses for each SPD.	Key Decision
To amplify and give further guidance to developers on the implementation of policies contained in the adopted Core Strategy, two SPDs have been prepared on Sustainable Design and Parking Standards. Before the guidance contained in them can be used to determine planning applications the documents must be adopted by Council.																					

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5] Asset Review	Corporate Director of Resources	Cllr Harrington - Cabinet Member for Corporate Management and Finance	Cabinet					■									Members, Voluntary & Community Organisations	Briefings	email Garry Cummings, Head of Finance & Assets on garry.cummings@stockton.gov.uk by 14 October 2011	N/A	Key Decision N/A
Present findings and recommendations of the Asset EIT Review																					
6] Officer Led Task and Finish EIT Review of the Impact of the Introduction of the Early Intervention Grant	Corporate Director for Children, Education and Social Care.	Cllr Mrs McCoy - Cabinet Member for Children & Young People	Cabinet					■									Service Users Staff CYP Select Committee	Initial consultation Spring 2011. Further consultation over Summer 2011	Becky Brown Tel 01642 524309	Final Report	Key Decision
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7] School Capital	Corporate Director of Resources	Cllr Mrs McCoy - Cabinet Member for Children & Young People	Cabinet					■									Members, Schools, Governing Bodies	Briefings, meetings with Schools and Governing Bodies	email Garry Cummings, Head of Finance & Assets - garry.cummings@stockton.gov.uk	None	Key Decision N/A

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To present the School Capital Investment Strategy																			n.gov.uk by 14 October 2011		
8] Sexual Entertainment Venues etc. Policy - Schedule 3 of Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982 as amended by the Police and Crime Act 2009.	Corporate Director of DNS	Councillor Nelson - Cabinet Member for Housing and Community Safety	Cabinet / Council					■									Licence holder, responsible authorities and general public.	Letter and/or website.	In writing, by email to David Kitching dave.kitching@stockton.gov.uk by 30th September 2011.	N/A	Key Decision Results of consultation exercise will be considered by the Licensing Committee before submission to Cabinet.
The Council has adopted the revised Schedule 3 of the the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982, giving further controls over sexual entertainment venues. This report introduces a new policy to cover Sexual Entertainment Premises caught under Schedule 3.																					