

# Cabinet Agenda



**5.00 pm Tuesday, 8 December 2020**  
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1. Introductions/Attendance at Meeting.
2. Declarations of Interest.
3. To hear relevant representation (from Members and the General Public) on items on this Cabinet agenda.
4. To approve the Minutes of the meeting of Cabinet held on 10 November 2020 (Pages 1 - 8)
5. Matters Referred to Cabinet –  
There are no matters referred back for reconsideration to this meeting

6. Issues Arising from Scrutiny Committee –  
There are no issues referred back from the Scrutiny Committees to this Meeting, other than where they have been specifically consulted on an issue and their comments are included in the contents of the relevant report on this agenda
7. Key Decisions:-
  - (a) School Term Dates 2022/23 –  
Report of the Interim Director of Children and Adults Services.  
(Pages 9 - 20)
  - (b) Town Centre Car Parking –  
Report of the Director of Economic Growth and Neighbourhood Services.  
(Pages 21 - 32)
  - (c) Tree and Woodland Strategy 2021/31 –  
Report of the Director of Economic Growth and Neighbourhood Services.  
(Pages 33 - 148)
  - (d) Housing Revenue Account - MTFP 2021/22 to 2024/25 –  
Report of the Director of Economic Growth and Neighbourhood Services.  
(Pages 149 - 164)
  - (e) Medium Term Financial Plan – Report of the Chief Officers Executive.  
(Pages 165 - 226)
8. Review of Outcome of Complaints Made to Ombudsman –  
Report of the Managing Director, Interim Director of Children and Adults Services and Director of Economic Growth and Neighbourhood Services.  
(Pages 227 - 230)
9. Mid Year Prudential Indicators and Treasury Management Monitoring Report 2020/21 – Report of the Managing Director.  
(Pages 231 - 246)
10. Darlington Towns Fund –  
Report of the Director of Economic Growth and Neighbourhood Services.  
(Pages 247 - 250)
11. Schedule of Transactions –  
Report of the Director of Economic Growth and Neighbourhood Services.  
(Pages 251 - 254)
12. Membership Changes - To consider any Membership Changes to Other Bodies to which Cabinet appoints.
13. SUPPLEMENTARY ITEM(S) (if any) which in the opinion of the Chair of this Committee are of an urgent nature and can be discussed at this meeting.
14. Questions.

## EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS

15. To consider the exclusion of the Public and Press :- –

**RESOLVED** - That, pursuant to Sections 100A(4) and (5) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting during the consideration of the ensuing items on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in exclusion paragraph 3 of Part I of Schedule 12A of the Act.



**Luke Swinhoe**  
**Assistant Director Law and Governance**

**Monday, 30 November 2020**

**Town Hall**  
**Darlington.**

### **Membership**

Councillors Clarke, Dulston, Johnson, Keir, Marshall, Mills, K Nicholson and Mrs H Scott

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