



# CHEL TENHAM

## BOROUGH COUNCIL

### EXECUTIVE DECISIONS NOTICE

Committee: **Cabinet**  
Date of meeting: **Tuesday, 4 December 2018**  
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Call-in period to expire on: **Midnight on 13 December 2018**

#### NOTE:

The publication of this document constitutes notice of the various decisions made by the Cabinet as required by the Constitution and, except where otherwise stated, those decisions will take effect five working days after they are published, unless an overview and scrutiny committee objects to them and they are called in.

<b>Agenda item 5</b>	<b>Report of the Scrutiny Task Group -Urban Gulls</b>	
	<b>RESOLVED THAT</b>  <b>1. The report be welcomed</b>  <b>2. A formal Cabinet response to the report be brought back to a future meeting.</b>	
	Subject to call-in period - Yes	
<b>Agenda item 6</b>	<b>Gambling Act Policy Statement</b>	
	<b>RESOLVED THAT</b>  <b>1. Note the proposed changes to the Statement of Principles and consultation responses be noted;</b>  <b>2. Council be recommended to approve the policy statement.</b>	
	Subject to call-in period - Yes	
<b>Agenda item 7</b>	<b>Housing Supply :Cabinet Member Working Group</b>	
	<b>RESOLVED THAT</b>	

	<b>A cross party Cabinet Member Working Group (CMWG) be set up to consider and recommend viability assessments received from Cheltenham Borough Homes. The CMWG will challenge each site proposal to prioritise and maximise the social benefit with an ambition to not only meet but exceed the council's minimum 40% social/affordable housing target.</b>	
	Subject to call-in period - Yes	
<b>Agenda item 8</b>	<b>Treasury Mid-Term Report 2018/19</b>	
	<b>RESOLVED THAT</b>  <b>The contents of the summary report of the treasury management activity during the first six months of 2018/19 be noted.</b>	
	Subject to call-in period - Yes	
<b>Agenda item 9</b>	<b>Council Tax Premium on Empty Properties</b>	
	<b>RESOLVED THAT</b>  <b>Council be recommended to :</b>  <b>a) Increase the Council Tax Empty Homes Premium to 100% from 1st April 2019 in respect of properties which have been unoccupied and unfurnished for more than 2 years</b>  <b>b) Increase the Premium for those properties which have been empty for 5 years or more to 200% from April 2020</b>  <b>c) Increase the Premium for those properties which have been empty for 10 years or more to 300% from April 2021</b>	
	Subject to call-in period - Yes	
<b>Agenda item 10</b>	<b>Cheltenham Borough Council response to Tewkesbury Borough Plan Preferred Options Consultation</b>	
	<b>RESOLVED THAT</b>	

	<b>the representations on the Tewkesbury Borough Plan Preferred Options Consultation contained in the letter at appendix 2 be agreed.</b>	
	Subject to call-in period - Yes	
<b>Agenda item 11</b>	<b>Town Centre Security</b>	
	<p><b>RESOLVED THAT</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>1. the strategic priorities for town centre security as set out in section 2.1 of this report be endorsed;</b></li> <li><b>2. the offer of £15k per annum grant funding from the Cheltenham Business Improvement District (BID) be accepted to support a more intensive programme of security-related activities in the town centre over the next two years;</b></li> <li><b>3. the use of an additional £50k per annum in each of the next two years be approved from resources secured from efficiencies generated within the enforcement team, as an indirect result of additional HMO licensing fee income in 2018-19, to underpin additional staffing for town centre support activities as set out in Appendix 2.</b></li> </ol>	
	Subject to call-in period - Yes	
<b>Agenda item 12</b>	<b>Garden Waste Charges</b>	
	<p><b>RESOLVED THAT</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>1. An increase in the garden waste collection charge from £42/year to £45/year per bin be approved</b></li> <li><b>2. The prompt payment discount be retained at £3 per bin for households renewing their subscription ahead of their annual renewal date;</b></li> <li><b>3. The spring offer discount be retained at £3 per bin for new customers who subscribe to the garden waste collection service during the period 1st February 2019 to 31st May 2019</b></li> <li><b>4. appropriate consultation be undertaken with regard to:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>• An increase in the garden waste collection charge from £42/year to £45/year per bin;</b></li> </ul> </li> </ol>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The prompt payment discount being retained at £3 per bin for households renewing their subscription ahead of their annual renewal date;</li> <li>• The spring offer discount being retained at £3 per bin for new customers who subscribe to the garden waste collection service during the period 1st February 2019 to 31st May 2019;</li> <li>• reducing the number of garden waste collections over the Christmas/New Year period by 2 collections each year commencing 23 December 2019</li> </ul> <p><b>5. Authority be delegated to the Managing Director – Place and Growth, in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Clean and Green Environment, to decide whether or not to implement the above mentioned proposals after careful consideration of representations made and to take any steps as necessary to implement the decision.</b></p>
	Subject to call-in period - Yes