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Cost of living					
1	Distribute accessible key information to households to ensure residents are fully aware of the support funds and benefits available to them and how to apply.	Richard Gibson	No	4	Number of leaflets distributed.
2	Take advantage of online and social media communication opportunities, but ensure support is not only advertised online.	Richard Gibson	No	4, 5	
3	Ensure borough councillors are fully briefed on signposting, referral and support routes throughout the cost of living crisis, through member seminars and ongoing support.	Richard Gibson	No	4	Member seminar to take place.
4	Consider a financial inclusion partnership (like that between Tewkesbury Borough Council and Citizens Advice) to increase strategic working.	Richard Gibson	No	4	
5	Continue to provide signposting and advice to residents regarding debt management support, raise awareness of predatory lending and report any concerns to the appropriate regulatory body.	Martin Stacy	No	4	Various KPIs within the council's Citizens Advice contract, including the number of cases opened, total debt advised on, total debt written off, number of clients benefitting and their direct income gained.

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Housing					
6	Provide specific advice to CBH residents about how to get support with the causes and risks of mould and damp, and ensure that reports of respiratory diseases are followed up in the council's housing stock.	Martin Stacy	No	3	
7	Use Housing Act powers to pursue issues like mould and damp to the highest possible standard through enforcement in the private rented sector.	Mark Nelson.	No	3	Private Sector Housing KPI measures the number of households made safer as measured by the HHSRS, including damp and mould.
8	Tackle fuel poverty in CBH dwellings by investing in the retrofit of existing homes, continuing a fabric-first approach and delivering net zero carbon homes on council-owned land-led sites.	Martin Stacy, Ewan Wright, Nigel Potter	No	3	Progress of retrofitting to EPC C standard. Delivery of net zero carbon homes on CBC-owned sites.
Health					
9	Engage with the NHS to encourage use of outreach vehicles in areas with particular difficulties in accessing healthcare, and lobby the county council and Integrated Locality Partnership to expand outreach clinics in deprived areas.	Richard Gibson	No		

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10	Strengthen partnerships and encourage data sharing between health services and housing providers, acknowledging the physical health risks of poor quality housing.	Martin Stacy, Richard Gibson	No	3	
11	Ensure that pollution and its impact on public health continue to inform decisions, especially within the Air Quality Management Area (AQMA), and continue to work closely with the county council on the issue of air quality.	Louis Krog	No	2	Performance indicators contained in AQMA action plans and reports to Cabinet.
Education					
12	Ensure that as many schools as possible are involved with No Child Left Behind, and use these links to encourage uniform share banks and clothes recycling programs.	Richard Gibson	No	4	Number of schools engaged in NCLB.
13	Support work building digital literacy and getting young people interested in future careers in cyber and digital technology, and continue working with the Large Enterprise Action Group to link schools with businesses and digital creative pathways.	Tracey Birkinshaw	No	1	
14	Work with the Communities Partnership to provide tailored support for young people in school who are at risk of being excluded, as well as those with adverse childhood experiences (ACEs) and other contributors to cycles of deprivation.	Richard Gibson, Tracy Brown	No	4	

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General					
15	Continue to recognise the physical and mental health benefits of access to good quality open spaces, and ensure that parks and green spaces are safe and accessible for all residents to enjoy a diverse set of outdoor activities and the natural environment.	Adam Reynolds	No – current resourcing levels sufficient to maintain existing standards, though extending these further would have a knock-on effect on maintenance budgets.	2, 4	Number of Green Space volunteers, Green Flag status for parks enshrining these principles.
16	Continue to take a whole system approach to dealing with drug and alcohol addiction through Change, Grow, Live, and maintain strong links between supported housing associations, specialist support agencies and other commissioned services across the county.	Martin Stacy, Ewan Wright, Nigel Potter	No	3	Continuation of housing-first approach, and involvement of relevant care, support and treatment services on a timely basis.
17	Support green skills and jobs, particularly for young people, amongst the council’s partners on the pathway towards Net Zero.	Helen Mole, Laura Tapping	No	2	
18	Continue supporting Solace’s work on antisocial behaviour and the Community Safety Partnership’s sub-group on ASB hotspots.	Katie Mellon (GCC), Louis Krog, Richard Gibson	No	3	Number of cases benefitting from Solace intervention.

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19	Use the council's networks and partnerships to promote continued support for food banks, including lobbying supermarkets where appropriate for consistency in their donations, focusing on non-perishable items.	Tracey Birkinshaw	No	4	
20	Look to ensure that the dividends of major developments like Golden Valley are leveraged to deliver community benefits and social value to deprived areas around them.	Martin Chastney, Paul Minnis	No	1, 4	
21	Facilitate ongoing conversations between partners across the issues raised by the Scrutiny Task Group, and use the CBC website to ensure there is clear signposting regarding these topics.	Richard Gibson	No		