

Isle of Anglesey County Council	
Report to:	The Executive
Date:	24 October 2023
Subject:	The Executive's Forward Work Programme
Portfolio Holder(s):	Cllr Llinos Medi
Head of Service / Director:	Lynn Ball, Director of Function – Council Business / Monitoring Officer
Report Author:	Dyfan Sion, Head of Democracy
Local Members:	Not applicable

#### A – Recommendation/s and reason/s

In accordance with its Constitution, the Council is required to publish a forward work programme and to update it regularly. The Executive's Forward Work Programme is published each month to enable both members of the Council and the public to see what key decisions are likely to be taken over the coming months.

The Executive is requested to:

confirm the attached updated work programme which covers **November 2023 – June 2024**;

identify any matters for specific input and consultation with the Council's Scrutiny Committees;

note that the forward work programme is updated monthly and submitted as a standing monthly item to the Executive.

#### B – What other options did you consider and why did you reject them and/or opt for this option?

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#### C – Why is this a decision for the Executive?

The approval of the Executive is sought before each update is published to strengthen accountability and forward planning arrangements.

**Ch – Is this decision consistent with policy approved by the full Council?**

Yes.

**D – Is this decision within the budget approved by the Council?**

Not applicable.

**Dd – Assessing the potential impact (if relevant):**

1	How does this decision impact on our long term needs as an Island?	Not relevant.
2	Is this a decision which it is envisaged will prevent future costs / dependencies on the Authority? If so, how?	
3	Have we been working collaboratively with other organisations to come to this decision? If so, please advise whom.	
4	Have Anglesey citizens played a part in drafting this way forward, including those directly affected by the decision? Please explain how.	
5	Note any potential impact that this decision would have on the groups protected under the Equality Act 2010.	
6	If this is a strategic decision, note any potential impact that the decision would have on those experiencing socio-economic disadvantage.	
7	Note any potential impact that this decision would have on opportunities for people to use the Welsh language and on treating the Welsh language no less favourably than the English language.	

E – Who did you consult?		What did they say?
1	Chief Executive / Senior Leadership Team (SLT) (mandatory)	The forward work programme is discussed at Heads of Service meetings ('Penaethiaid') on a monthly basis (standing agenda item).
2	Finance / Section 151 (mandatory)	
3	Legal / Monitoring Officer (mandatory)	
4	Human Resources (HR)	
5	Property	
6	Information Communication Technology (ICT)	
7	Procurement	
8	Scrutiny	Under normal circumstances, monthly joint discussions take place on the work programmes of the Executive and the two Scrutiny Committees in order to ensure alignment.
9	Local Members	Not relevant

#### F - Appendices:

The Executive's Forward Work Programme: November 2023 – June 2024.

#### Ff - Background papers (please contact the author of the Report for any further information):

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The Executive's forward work programme enables both Members of the Council and the public to see what key decisions are likely to be taken by the Executive over the coming months.

Executive decisions may be taken by the Executive acting as a collective body or by individual members of the Executive acting under delegated powers. The forward work programme includes information on the decisions sought, who will make the decisions and who the lead Officers and Portfolio Holders are for each item.

It should be noted, however, that the work programme is a flexible document as not all items requiring a decision will be known that far in advance and some timescales may need to be altered to reflect new priorities etc. The list of items included is therefore reviewed regularly and updates are published monthly.

Reports will need to be submitted from time to time regarding specific property transactions, in accordance with the Asset Management Policy and Procedures. Due to the influence of the external market, it is not possible to determine the timing of reports in advance.

The latest version of the Executive's Forward Work Programme – **which is a live document and subject to change** - is set out on the following pages.

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November 2023							
1	<b>The Executive's Forward Work Programme (S)</b>  Approval of monthly update.	The approval of the full Executive is sought to strengthen forward planning and accountability.	Council Business	Dyfan Sion Head of Democracy  Cllr Llinos Medi		The Executive  28 November 2023	
2	<b>Corporate Scorecard – Quarter 2, 2023/24 (S)</b>  Quarterly performance monitoring report.	This is a matter for the full Executive as it provides assurance of current performance across the Council.	Corporate Transformation	Carys Edwards Head of Profession – HR and Transformation  Cllr Carwyn Jones	Corporate Scrutiny Committee 21.11.23	The Executive  28 November 2023	
3	<b>Revenue Budget Monitoring Report – Quarter 2, 2023/24 (S)</b>  Quarterly financial monitoring report.	This is a matter for the full Executive as it provides assurance of current financial position across the Council.	Resources	Marc Jones Director of Function– Resources / Section 151 Officer  Cllr Robin Williams	Finance Scrutiny Panel 08.11.23	The Executive  28 November 2023	
4	<b>Capital Budget Monitoring Report – Quarter 2, 2023/24 (S)</b>  Quarterly financial monitoring report.	This is a matter for the full Executive as it provides assurance of current financial position across the Council.	Resources	Marc Jones Director of Function– Resources / Section 151 Officer  Cllr Robin Williams	Finance Scrutiny Panel 08.11.23	The Executive  28 November 2023	

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5	<b>Housing Revenue Account Budget Monitoring Report – Quarter 2, 2023/24 (S)</b>  Quarterly financial monitoring report.	This is a matter for the full Executive as it provides assurance of current financial position across the Council.	Resources	Marc Jones Director of Function– Resources / Section 151 Officer  Cllr Robin Williams	Finance Scrutiny Panel 08.11.23	The Executive  28 November 2023	
6	<b>Council Tax Base 2024/25</b>		Resources	Marc Jones Director of Function– Resources / Section 151 Officer  Cllr Robin Williams	Finance Scrutiny Panel 08.11.23	The Executive  28 November 2023	
7	<b>Empty Homes Strategy 2023-2028</b>		Housing	Ned Michael Head of Housing  Cllr Gary Pritchard	Corporate Scrutiny Committee 21.11.23	The Executive  28 November 2023	
8	<b>Freeport – Update</b>		Regulation and Economic Development	Christian Branch Head of Regulation and Economic Development  Cllr Llinos Medi		The Executive  28 November 2023	
9	<b>Freeport – Approval of Outline Business Case</b>		Regulation and Economic Development	Christian Branch Head of Regulation and Economic Development  Cllr Llinos Medi		The Executive  28 November 2023	

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<b>December 2023</b>							
10	<b>The Executive's Forward Work Programme (S)</b>  Approval of monthly update	The approval of the full Executive is sought to strengthen forward planning and accountability.	Council Business	Dyfan Sion Head of Democracy  Cllr Llinos Medi		The Executive  12 December 2023	
11	<b>Biodiversity Plan – Annual Progress Report</b>		Regulation and Economic Development	Christian Branch Head of Regulation and Economic Development  Cllr Nicola Roberts		The Executive  12 December 2023	
<b>January 2024</b>							
12	<b>The Executive's Forward Work Programme (S)</b>  Approval of monthly update.	The approval of the full Executive is sought to strengthen forward planning and accountability.	Council Business	Dyfan Sion Head of Democracy  Cllr Llinos Medi		The Executive  23 January 2024	
13	<b>Treasury Management 2023/24 – 6-month review</b>		Resources	Marc Jones Director of Function– Resources / Section 151 Officer  Cllr Robin Williams		The Executive  23 January 2024	Full Council  7 March 2024

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14	<b>Draft Revenue Budget 2024/25 (S)</b>  To finalise the Executive's initial draft budget proposals for consultation.	This is a matter for the Executive as it falls within the Council's Budget Framework.	Resources	Marc Jones Director of Function – Resources / Section 151 Officer  Cllr Robin Williams	Finance Scutiny Panel 06.12.23 & 11.01.24  Corporate Scrutiny Committee 18.01.24	The Executive  23 January 2024	
15	<b>Community Based non-residential Social Care Services –2024/25 Fees and Charges</b>  .		Adults Services	Arwel Owen Head of Adults Services  Cllr Alun Roberts		The Executive  23 January 2024	
16	<b>Independent Sector Care Home Fees 2024/25</b>		Adults Services	Arwel Owen Head of Adults Services  Cllr Alun Roberts		The Executive  23 January 2024	
17	<b>Fees and Charges 2024/25</b>		Resources	Marc Jones Director of Function– Resources / Section 151 Officer  Cllr Robin Williams		The Executive  23 January 2024	

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18	<b>HRA Housing Rents and Housing Service Charges 2024/25</b>		Housing	Ned Michael Head of Housing Services  Cllr Gary Pritchard		The Executive  23 January 2024	
19	<b>Capital Strategy</b>		Resources	Marc Jones Director of Function– Resources / Section 151 Officer  Cllr Robin Williams	Finance Scrutiny Committee 11.01.24	The Executive  23 January 2024 (to be confirmed)	
20	<b>Modernising Day Opportunities: Learning Disabilities (Holyhead area)</b>		Adults' Services	Arwel Owen Head of Adults' Services  Cllr Alun Roberts	Partnership and Regeneration Scrutiny Committee 16.01.24	The Executive  23 January 2024	
<b>February 2024</b>							
21	<b>The Executive's Forward Work Programme (S)</b>  Approval of monthly update.	The approval of the full Executive is sought to strengthen forward planning and accountability.	Council Business	Dyfan Sion Head of Democracy  Cllr Llinos Medi		The Executive  20 February 2024	
22	<b>Treasury Management Strategy Statement 2024/25</b>		Resources	Marc Jones Director of Function– Resources / Section 151 Officer  Cllr Robin Williams		The Executive  20 February 2024	Full Council  7 March 2024

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23	<b>Local Authority Homes for Older People – Setting the Standard Charge 2024/25</b>		Adults Services	Arwel Owen Head of Adults Services  Cllr Alun Roberts		The Executive  20 February 2024	
24	<b>Tenants Participation Strategy</b>		Housing	Ned Michael Head of Housing  Cllr Gary Pritchard	Corporate Scrutiny Committee 18.01.24	The Executive  20 February 2024	
25	<b>Asset Management Strategy (Housing Services)</b>		Housing	Ned Michael Head of Housing  Cllr Gary Pritchard	Corporate Scrutiny Committee 18.01.24	The Executive  20 February 2024	
26	<b>Local Housing Market Assessment</b>		Housing	Ned Michael Head of Housing  Cllr Gary Pritchard	Corporate Scrutiny Committee 18.01.24	The Executive  20 February 2024	
27	<b>Modernising Day Opportunities: Disabilities</b>		Adults Services	Arwel Owen Head of Adults' Services  Cllr Alun Roberts	Partnership and Regeneration Scrutiny Committee 22.11.23	The Executive  20 February 2024	

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<b>March 2024</b>							
<b>Extraordinary meeting (Budget) – date to be agreed</b>							
28	<b>Revenue Budget Monitoring Report – Quarter 3, 2023/24 (S)</b>  Quarterly financial monitoring report.	This is a matter for the full Executive as it provides assurance of current financial position across the Council.	Resources	Marc Jones Director of Function– Resources / Section 151 Officer  Cllr Robin Williams	Finance Scrutiny Panel 15.02.24	The Executive	
29	<b>Capital Budget Monitoring Report – Quarter 3, 2023/24 (S)</b>  Quarterly financial monitoring report.	This is a matter for the full Executive as it provides assurance of current financial position across the Council.	Resources	Marc Jones Director of Function– Resources / Section 151 Officer  Cllr Robin Williams	Finance Scrutiny Panel 15.02.24	The Executive	
30	<b>Housing Revenue Account Budget Monitoring Report – Quarter 3, 2023/24 (S)</b>  Quarterly financial monitoring report.	This is a matter for the full Executive as it provides assurance of current financial position across the Council.	Resources	Marc Jones Director of Function– Resources / Section 151 Officer  Cllr Robin Williams	Finance Scrutiny Panel 15.02.24	The Executive	
31	<b>Revenue Budget 2024/25 (S)</b>  Adoption of final proposals for recommendation to the County Council.	This is a matter for the Executive as it falls within the Council's Budget Framework.	Resources	Marc Jones Director of Function – Resources / Section 151 Officer  Cllr Robin Williams	Finance Scrutiny Panel 15.02.24  Corporate Scrutiny Committee 27.02.24	The Executive	Full Council  7 March 2024

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33	<b>The Executive's Forward Work Programme (S)</b>  Approval of monthly update.	The approval of the full Executive is sought to strengthen forward planning and accountability.	Council Business	Dyfan Sion Head of Democracy  Cllr Llinos Medi		The Executive  19 March 2024	
34	<b>Corporate Scorecard – Quarter 3, 2023/24 (S)</b>  Quarterly performance monitoring report.	This is a matter for the full Executive as it provides assurance of current performance across the Council.	Corporate Transformation	Carys Edwards Head of Profession – HR and Transformation  Cllr Carwyn Jones	Corporate Scrutiny Committee 12.03.24	The Executive  19 March 2024	
35	<b>Housing Revenue Account Business Plan 2024 – 2054</b>			Ned Michael Head of Housing  Cllr Gary Pritchard	Corporate Scrutiny Committee 12.03.24	The Executive  19 March 2024	

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<b>April 2024</b>							
36	<b>The Executive's Forward Work Programme (S)</b>  Approval of monthly update.	The approval of the full Executive is sought to strengthen forward planning and accountability.	Council Business	Dyfan Sion Head of Democracy  Cllr Llinos Medi		The Executive  23 April 2024	
<b>May 2024</b>							
37	<b>The Executive's Forward Work Programme (S)</b>  Approval of monthly update.	The approval of the full Executive is sought to strengthen forward planning and accountability.	Council Business	Dyfan Sion Head of Democracy  Cllr Llinos Medi		The Executive  May 2024	
<b>June 2024</b>							
38	<b>The Executive's Forward Work Programme (S)</b>  Approval of monthly update.	The approval of the full Executive is sought to strengthen forward planning and accountability.	Council Business	Dyfan Sion Head of Democracy  Cllr Llinos Medi		The Executive  June 2024	

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