

Denbighshire County Council – Decisions taken by the Cabinet on Tuesday, 24 January 2023

Agenda Item No	Topic	Decision
1	APOLOGIES	There were no apologies.
2	DECLARATION OF INTERESTS	No declaration of interest had been raised.
3	URGENT MATTERS	The Leader allowed a question to be put with regard to Levelling Up Funding and provided an answer thereon.
4	MINUTES	RESOLVED that, subject to the points of accuracy raised, the minutes of the meeting held on 13 December 2022 be received and confirmed as a correct record.
5	YEAR 1 APPLICATIONS TO THE SHARED PROSPERITY FUND, AND A GENERAL UPDATE REGARDING THE PROCESS AND TIMESCALES FOR FUTURE APPLICATION ROUNDS	RESOLVED that Cabinet – (a) approves the applications as detailed in Appendix A to the report, based on the recommendations from the Core Partnership Group, and (b) notes the information on processes and timescales for future applications as detailed in Appendix B to the report and next steps.
6	DENBIGHSHIRE LEARNING DISABILITY SUPPORTED LIVING SCHEMES	RESOLVED that Cabinet approve the issuing of temporary extensions to 41 learning Disability Supported Living contracts for a maximum period to 30 September 2026. The contract details and the proposed revised timetable for the retendering of the contracts had been attached as Appendix 1 to the report
7	BUDGET 2023/24 - FINAL PROPOSALS	RESOLVED that Cabinet – (a) notes the impact of the Draft Local Government Settlement 2023/24; (b) supports the proposals outlined in Appendix 1 to the report, and detailed in Section 4 of the report, and recommends them to the full Council in order to finalise the budget for 2023/24;

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		<p>(c) recommends to Council the average Council Tax rise of 3.8% proposed;</p> <p>(d) recommends to Council that authority is delegated to the Head of Finance and Property in consultation with the Lead Member for Finance to adjust the use of cash included in the budget proposals by up to £500k if there is movement between the draft and final settlement figures in order to allow the setting of Council Tax in a timely manner, and</p> <p>(e) confirms that it has read, understood and taken account of the Well-being Impact Assessment (Appendix 5 to the report)</p>
8	FINANCE REPORT	<p>RESOLVED that Cabinet –</p> <p>(a) note the budgets set for 2022/23 and progress against the agreed budget strategy, and</p> <p>(b) approve the plans to spend a capital grant (£1.107m) to implement a homelessness leasing scheme to achieve additional private rented sector properties as detailed in Section 6.9 of the report and Appendix 5 to the report.</p>
9	CABINET FORWARD WORK PROGRAMME	<p>RESOLVED that Cabinet’s forward work programme be noted.</p>