

NOTIFICATION OF DECISIONS

1 JULY 2026 TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2026

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SLOUGH BOROUGH COUNCIL

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Slough Borough Council has a decision making process involving an Executive (Cabinet) and a Scrutiny Function.

As part of the process, the Council will publish a Notification of Decisions which sets out the decisions which the Cabinet intends to take over the following 3 months. The Notice includes both Key and non Key decisions. Key decisions are those which are financially significant or have a significant impact on 2 or more Wards in the Town. This Notice supersedes all previous editions.

Whilst the majority of the Cabinet's business at the meetings listed in this document will be open to the public and media organisations to attend, there will inevitably be some business to be considered that contains, for example, confidential, commercially sensitive or personal information.

This is formal notice under The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012 that part of the Cabinet meetings listed in this Notice will/may be held in private because the agenda and reports for the meeting will contain exempt information under Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985 (as amended) and that the public interest in withholding the information outweighs the public interest in disclosing it.

This document provides a summary of the reason why a matter is likely to be considered in private / Part II. The full reasons are listed alongside the report on the Council's website.

If you have any queries, or wish to make any representations in relation to the meeting being held in private for the consideration of the Part II items, please email nicholas.pontone@slough.gov.uk (no later than 15 calendar days before the meeting date listed).

What will you find in the Notice?

For each decision, the plan will give:

- The subject of the report.
- Who will make the decision.
- The date on which or the period in which the decision will be made.
- Contact details of the officer preparing the report.
- A list of those documents considered in the preparation of the report (if not published elsewhere).
- The likelihood the report would contain confidential or exempt information.

What is a Key Decision?

An executive decision which is likely either:

- To result in the Council Incurring expenditure which is, or the making of savings which are, significant having regard to the Council's budget for the service or function to which the decision relates; or
- To be significant in terms of its effects on communities living or working in an area comprising two or more wards within the borough.

Who will make the Decision?

Decisions set out in this Notice will be taken by the Cabinet, unless otherwise specified. All decisions (unless otherwise stated) included in this Notice will be taken on the basis of a written report and will be published on the Council's website before the meeting.

The members of the Cabinet are as follows:

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| • Leader of the Council – Improvement, Transformation, Strategic Planning & Governance | Councillor Chahal |
| • Deputy Leader – Corporate Resources | Councillor E Ahmed |
| • Housing, Homelessness & Communities | Councillor I Ahmed |
| • Children's Services and Lifelong Learning | Councillor Bedi |
| • Environment & Public Realm | Councillor Khawar |
| • Customer Experience & Access | Councillor Manku |
| • Public Protection & Regulatory Services | Councillor Satti |
| • Public Health, Wellbeing and Equalities | Councillor Shah |
| • Highways, Transport & Parking | Councillor Shaik |
| • Adult Social Care | Councillor Wright |

Where can you find a copy of the Notification of Decisions?

The Plan will be updated and republished monthly. A copy can be obtained from Democratic Services at Observatory House, 25 Windsor Road on weekdays between 9.00 a.m. and 4.45 p.m., or Tel: (01753) 875120, email: nicholas.pontone@slough.gov.uk. Copies will be available in the Borough's libraries and a copy will be published on Slough Borough Council's Website.

How can you have your say on Cabinet reports?

Each Report has a contact officer. If you want to comment or make representations, notify the contact officer before the deadline given.

What about the Papers considered when the decision is made?

Reports relied on to make key decisions will be available before the meeting on the Council's website or are available from Democratic Services.

Can you attend the meeting at which the decision will be taken?

Where decisions are made by the Cabinet, the majority of these will be made in open meetings. Some decisions have to be taken in private, where they are exempt or confidential as detailed in the Local Government Act 1972. You will be able to attend the discussions on all other decisions.

When will the decision come into force?

Implementation of decisions will be delayed for 5 working days after Members are notified of the decisions to allow Members to refer the decisions to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee, unless the decision is urgent, in which case it may be implemented immediately.

What about key decisions taken by officers?

Many of the Council's decisions are taken by officers under delegated authority. Key decisions will be listed with those to be taken by the Cabinet. Key and Significant Decisions taken under delegated authority are reported monthly and published on the Council's website.

Are there exceptions to the above arrangements?

There will be occasions when it will not be possible to include a decision/report in this Notice. If a key decision is not in this Notice but cannot be delayed until the next Notice is published, it can still be taken if:

- The Head of Democratic Services has informed the Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee or relevant Scrutiny Panel in writing, of the proposed decision/action. (In the absence of the above, the Mayor and Deputy Mayor will be consulted);
- Copies of the Notice have been made available to the Public; and at least 5 working days have passed since public notice was given.
- If the decision is too urgent to comply with the above requirement, the agreement of the Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee has been obtained that the decision cannot be reasonably deferred.
- If the decision needs to be taken in the private part of a meeting (Part II) and Notice of this has not been published, the Head of Democratic Services will seek permission from the Chair of Overview & Scrutiny, and publish a Notice setting out how representations can be made in relation to the intention to consider the matter in Part II of the agenda. Urgent Notices are published on the Council's [website](#).

Cabinet Committee - 16th July 2026

Item	Port-folio	Ward	Priority	Contact Officer	Other Committee	Background Documents	New Item	Likely to be Part II
<u>Disposals Update 2025/26</u> To receive an update report on the progress of the Asset Disposal Programme in 2025/26.		All	All		-	None		Yes, p3 LGA

Cabinet - 20th July 2026

Item	Port-folio	Ward	Priority	Contact Officer	Other Committee	Background Documents	New Item	Likely to be Part II
<u>Fees and Charges</u> To approve any changes to fees and charges (relating to executive functions) as part of the first phase of a review.	CR	All	All	Ian O'Donnell, Interim Chief Operating Officer (Section 151 Officer)	-	None		
<u>Medium Term Financial Strategy Refresh 2027/28 to 2029/30</u> In accordance with the budget timetable approved by Cabinet in April 2026, to consider a report on the refresh of the Medium Term Financial Strategy (MTFS) setting out assumptions e.g. inflation, demand, pay award, scenarios and principles required to set the budget.	CR	All	All	Ian O'Donnell, Interim Chief Operating Officer (Section 151 Officer)	-	None	√	

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<u>Corporate Plan Annual Report and Performance Update</u> To receive an annual update on progress on delivery of the Council's Corporate Plan.	I&G	All	All	Sonia Khan, Director of Strategy, Communities and Resident Engagement	-	None		
<u>Pride In Place Impact Fund</u> To consider a report on the award of £1.5m for Slough from the Pride in Place Fund and to seek approval to make the necessary updates to the capital programme.	I&G	All	All	Patrick Hayes, Executive Director Regeneration, Environment and Planning	-	None		
<u>Pride in Place - Britwell and Foxborough</u> To consider a report on the Pride in Place programme for Slough, including funding, delivery requirements and mobilisation activity for the two identified neighbourhoods (Britwell and Langley Foxborough). It seeks approval to accept the funding and establish the governance and delivery arrangements required to implement a 10-year, community-led regeneration programme.	I&G	All	All	Sonia Khan, Director of Strategy, Communities and Resident Engagement	-	None	√	

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<u>Annual Report on Local Government and Social Care Ombudsman complaints</u> To receive the annual report on complaints to the Local Government and Social Care Ombudsman (LGSCO) for the period 1 April 2025 to 31 March 2026.	I&G	All	All	Hannan Sarwar, Leader and Cabinet Support Officer	-	None		
<u>Annual Housing Complaints Report 2025/26 and Self-Assessment against the Complaints Code</u> To consider the annual report on complaints for 2025/26 in relation to the Council's landlord function, alongside the Housing Ombudsman's review of the Council's complaints policy and the Council's self-assessment from 2025.	HH&C	All	All	Victoria Boateng, Director of Housing	-	None	√	
<u>Housing Allocations Policy</u> To approve the revised Housing Allocations Policy following public consultation.	HH&C	All	All	Will Tuckley, Chief Executive	-	None		

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<u>Local Authority Housing Fund (Round 4)</u> Notifies the award of LAHF4 funding to provide 49 temporary accommodation homes and 9 homes for the Afghan Resettlement Programme through a purchase scheme. Requests approval to release HRA match funding to the scheme.	HH&C	All	All	Karen Shaw, Director of Housing Needs and Support	-	None		Yes, p3 LGA
<u>Thames Valley Spatial Development Strategy (SDS) Development and Governance</u> To approve participation in a Thames Valley partnership to develop a statutory Spatial Development Strategy (SDS), including interim governance, funding, staffing, and data-sharing arrangements to support collaborative strategic planning across Oxfordshire, Berkshire and Swindon.	I&G	All	All	Patrick Hayes, Executive Director Regeneration, Environment and Planning	-	None		

<u>South East End-to-End Fostering Hub – Strategic Alignment and Implementation of joining the Regional Care Co-operatives, Home and Future</u> To seek agreement for the Council/Slough Children First to become a member of the South East Regional Care Cooperative, which is being established to enable local authorities to work better together to plan and commission homes for looked after children.	CS&LL	All	All	Debbie Jones, Interim Director of Children's Services (DCS)	-	None	√	
<u>SEND Update - Local Area Reform Plan</u> To endorse the Local Area Reform Plan for Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND).	CS&LL	All	All	Debbie Jones, Interim Director of Children's Services (DCS)	-	None	√	
<u>Procurement - Replacement of Domestic Refuse Fleet</u> To seek approval to procure vehicles for the domestic refuse fleet.	E&PR		All	Patrick Hayes, Executive Director Regeneration, Environment and Planning	-	None	√	p3 LGA
<u>Procurement - Waste Disposal - Mattresses, Carpet and Plasterboard</u> To seek approval for the procurement arrangements for waste disposal, included mattresses, carpet and plasterboard, and secure best value pricing for the next contract term.	E&PR	All	All	Patrick Hayes, Executive Director Regeneration, Environment and Planning	-	None	√	Yes, p3 LGA

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<u>Procurement - Homecare Services</u> To seek approval for the procurement of the continued provision of homecare services in adult social care.	ASC	All	All	Jonathan Price, Interim Executive Direct, Adults (DASS)	-	None	√	Yes, p3 LGA
<u>References from Scrutiny</u>	I&G	All		Natalie Carr, Head of Democratic Services (Interim)				
<u>References from Council</u> To receive and consider any matters referred by full Council.	I&G	All	All	Natalie Carr, Head of Democratic Services (Interim)	-	None		

Cabinet - 21st September 2026

Item	Port- folio	Ward	Priority	Contact Officer	Other Committee	Background Documents	New Item	Likely to be Part II
<u>Quarter 1 2026/27 Budget Monitor</u> To receive the revenue and capital budget monitor for the 1 st quarter of the financial year to the end of June 2026.	CR	All	All	Ian O'Donnell, Interim Chief Operating Officer (Section 151 Officer)	-	None	√	
<u>Housing Benefit War Pension Disregard Policy (Modified Scheme)</u> To approve the Housing Benefit War Pension Disregard Policy (Modified Scheme).	CR	All	All	Andy Jeffs, Director of Revenues and Welfare Services	-	None	√	

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<u>Homelessness & Rough Sleeping Strategy</u> To approve the Homelessness and Rough Sleeping Strategy.	HH&C	All	All	Will Tuckley, Chief Executive	-	None	√	
<u>Discretionary Property Licensing</u> Further to the Cabinet report of 20 th April 2026, to consider the outcomes of the public consultation and take decision on the potential introduction of additional and/or selection licensing schemes for private sector housing.	PP&RS	All	All	Tessa Lindfield, Director of Public Health and Public Protection	-	None	√	
<u>Housing Succession Policy</u> To approve a succession policy for social housing.	HH&C	All	All	Will Tuckley, Chief Executive	-	None	√	
<u>Quarterly Update - Voluntary Undertaking with Regulator of Social Housing</u> Further to the Cabinet report of 28 th May 2026, to receive a quarterly update on the progress of delivering the actions and commitments made in the voluntary undertaking with the Regulator of Social Housing.	HH&C	All	All	Will Tuckley, Chief Executive	-	None	√	

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<u>SCF Business Plan Refresh</u> To agree the refreshed business plan for Slough Children First (SCF).	CS&LL	All	All	Will Tuckley, Chief Executive	-	None	√	
<u>Youth Justice Plan 2026/27</u> To recommend approval of the Youth Justice Plan 2026/27 to full Council.	CS&LL	All	All	Debbie Jones, Interim Director of Children's Services (DCS)	Council, 24th September 2026	None	√	
<u>Local Transport Delivery Plan</u> To seek approval of the Local Transport Delivery Plan.	HT&P	All	All	Patrick Hayes, Executive Director Regeneration, Environment and Planning	-	None		
<u>Annual Director of Public Health Report</u> To receive the annual report of the Director of Public Health.	PHW&E	All	All	Tessa Lindfield, Director of Public Health and Public Protection	-	None	√	
<u>Revised Corporate Complaints Policy and Compensation Policy</u> To seek approval of the revised Corporate Complaints Policy and Compensation Policy.	I&G	All	All	Sonia Khan, Director of Strategy, Communities and Resident Engagement	-	None	√	
<u>References from Scrutiny</u> To receive any references from the Corporate Improvement Scrutiny Committee.	I&G	All	All	Natalie Carr, Head of Democratic Services (Interim)	-	None	√	

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<u>References from Council</u> To receive and consider any matters referred by full Council.	I&G	All	All	Natalie Carr, Head of Democratic Services (Interim)	-	None	√	
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