

POLICY AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE

NOTICE AND AGENDA

For a meeting to be held in the Penn Chamber, Three Rivers House, Northway, Rickmansworth on Monday, 17 November 2025 at 7.30 pm

Members of the Policy and Resources Committee:-

Councillors:

Stephen Giles-Medhurst OBE (Chair)
Oliver Cooper
Stephen Cox
Steve Drury
Vicky Edwards
Rue Grewal
Philip Hearn

Sarah Nelmes (Vice-Chair) Chris Lloyd Chris Mitchell Louise Price Reena Ranger Jon Tankard

> Joanne Wagstaffe, Chief Executive Friday, 7 November 2025

The Council welcomes contributions from members of the public on agenda items at the Policy and Resources Committee meetings. Details of the procedure are provided below:

For those wishing to speak:

Members of the public are entitled to register and identify which item(s) they wish to speak on from the published agenda for the meeting. Those who wish to register to speak are asked to register on the night of the meeting from 7pm. Please note that contributions will be limited to one person speaking for and one against each item for not more than three minutes.

In the event of registering your interest to speak on an agenda item but not taking up that right because the item is deferred, you will be given the right to speak on that item at the next meeting of the Committee.

Those wishing to observe the meeting are requested to arrive from 7pm.

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1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To note any apologies for absence.

2. MINUTES (Pages 5 - 10)

To approve the minutes of the meeting held on 08 September 2025.

3. NOTICE OF OTHER BUSINESS

Items of other business notified under Council Procedure Rule 30 to be announced, together with the special circumstances that justify their consideration as a matter of urgency. The Chair to rule on the admission of such items.

4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive any declarations of interest.

5. LOCAL GOVERNMENT REORGANISATION

(Pages 11 - 478)

 That Policy and Resources Committee notes the indicative resolution of Full Council on 21 October 2025 and agrees the following:

Either:

- To submit the proposal and identify the two unitary option (2UA) as preferred option.
- To submit the proposal and identify modified three unitary option (3UA modified) as preferred and request that SoS formally modify the proposal by agreeing boundary changes as set out in the proposal.
- To submit the proposal and identify the modified four unitary option (4UA modified) as preferred and request that the SoS formally modify the proposal by boundary changes as set out in the proposal.

6. EAST LANE MEMORIAL CLEANING

(Pages

That:

479 -492)

The exemption form is noted.

7. BUDGET MONITORING REPORT TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2025

(Pages 493 -

That:

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- The revenue budget virements as set out in Appendices 1 to 3 and noted in paragraph 2.1.4 be approved and incorporated into the three-year medium-term financial plan.
- The revenue budget supplementary estimates of £0.067m as set out in appendices 1 to 3 and noted in paragraph 2.1.5 be approved and

incorporated into the three-year medium-term financial plan.

- The revenue variances to be managed of £0.001m as set out in appendices 1 to 3 and noted in paragraph 2.1.6 be noted.
- The capital budgets of £11.429m as set out in appendices 1 to 3 and noted in paragraph 2.4.2 be approved and incorporated into the threeyear medium-term financial plan.

8. COMMUNITY GOVERNANCE REVIEW

(Pages 547 -558)

- That Policy and Resources Committee determines whether to undertake a Community Governance Review relating to the specified unparished areas of the district.
- Should the Committee agree to undertake a Community Governance Review, to agree to the terms of reference attached at appendix A.

9. CIL SPENDING APPLICATIONS – JUNE 2025

(Pages 559 -

That:

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 Members approve CIL funding for the following schemes detailed in Table 1 of this report and summarised in the table below for 2025/2026:

Applicant & Project Name	Infrastructure
Beryl Bikes Smidsy LTD T/A Beryl	To provide 36 ebikes and 13 parking locations across Rickmansworth/ South Oxhey & Leavesden/ Abbots Langley Watford border.
Rickmansworth Sports Club & Rickmansworth Cricket Club Park Road Rickmansworth WD3 1HU	Infrastructure Improvements.

 The final funding and implementation of the 2 agreed projects is delegated to the Director of Finance, in consultation with the Lead Members for Resources and Planning Policy and Infrastructure, to determine to enable the agreed projects to be progressed and implemented.

10. WORK PROGRAMME

(Pages 633 -

To note the Work Programme.

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11. Other business - if approved under item 3 above

12. EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

If the Committee wishes to consider the remaining item in private, it will be appropriate for a resolution to be passed in the following terms:-

"that under Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972 the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined under paragraph X of Part I of Schedule 12A to the Act. It has been decided by the Council that in all the circumstances, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information."

(Note: If other confidential business is approved under item 3, it will also be necessary to specify the class of exempt or confidential information in the additional items.)

13. OTHER BUSINESS - IF APPROVED UNDER ITEM 3 ABOVE

To receive any declarations of interest.

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