North Somerset Council

Report to the Council

Date of Meeting: 14 May 2024

Subject of Report: Municipal Calendar 2024/25

Town or Parish: None

Officer/Member Presenting: Assistant Director Legal & Governance

Key Decision: N/A

Reason:

Not an Executive Decision.

Recommendation

- (1) that the Municipal Calendar for 2024/25 as attached to the report be approved; and
- (2) that the Leader of the Council be authorised to approve any amendments not dealt with elsewhere.

1. Summary of Report

The report sets out the dates for constitutional meetings for 2024/25 as agreed at Council on 14th November 2023.

2. Policy

None

3. Details

- 3.1 As required under the Constitution, the Municipal Calendar is approved each year at the Annual Council Meeting in May. To allow councillors and officers to plan ahead and to give members of the public as much notice as possible of forthcoming meetings, a revised draft municipal calendar for 2024/25 was considered and approved by Council at its meeting on 14th November 2023, subject to final adoption at the Annual meeting.
- 3.2 An updated Municipal Calendar is attached as Appendix 1 to the report.

4. Consultation

Chairpersons and senior officers have been consulted on proposed dates. The draft calendar was considered by the Executive on 18 October 2023, and by Council on 14th November 2023.

5. Financial Implications

None

6. Legal Powers and Implications

None

7. Climate Change and Environmental Implications

Holding virtual meetings under the Coronavirus Regulations 2020 avoided the need for members, officers and other participants to travel to and from meetings. Livestreaming physical meetings of the Executive and Council continues to provide for other interested parties to watch meetings online thereby avoiding the need to travel to the Town Hall. Active travel to and from physical meetings would reduce the environmental impact associated with journeys to and from the Town Hall.

8. Risk Management

Having a draft calendar in place well in advance reduces the risk of meeting clashes both within the Council and with partner organisations.

9. Equality Implications

Have you undertaken an Equality Impact Assessment? No The livestreaming of meetings has increased accessibility and opened up the decisionmaking process to a wider audience.

10. Corporate Implications

None

11. Options Considered

As contained within the report.

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Appendices:

Appendix 1 - Municipal Calendar 2024/25

Background Papers:

Municipal Calendar 2023/24 Minutes of the Executive 18 October 2023 Minutes of Council 14 November 2023



Municipal Calendar for 2024-25

May 2024

Tuesday 14 May at 6.00pm Council (Annual Meeting)

Wednesday 15 May at 2.30pm Planning and Regulatory Committee

June 2024

Tuesday 4 June at 10.00am Standards Sub-Committee

Tuesday 4 June at 2.00pm Licensing Sub-Committee

Wednesday 12 June at 2.30pm Planning and Regulatory Committee

Wednesday 19 June at 6.00 pm Executive

Thursday 27 June at 2pm Transport, Climate and Communities Policy

and Scrutiny Panel

July 2024

Tuesday 2 July at 10.00am Adult Services and Housing Policy &

Scrutiny Panel

Tuesday 2 July at 2.00pm Licensing Sub-Committee

Wednesday 3 July at 2.00pm Health and Wellbeing Board

Thursday 4 July at 10.00am Children and Young People's Services

Policy & Scrutiny Panel

Tuesday 9 July at 6.00 pm Council

Tuesday 16 July at 10.00am Placemaking, Economy and Planning Policy

& Scrutiny Panel

Wednesday 17 July at 2.30pm Planning and Regulatory Committee

Wednesday 17 July at 6.00pm Executive

Thursday 18 July at 2.00pm Health Overview and Scrutiny Panel

Monday 22 July at 3.00pm Public Rights of Way sub-Committee

August 2024

Tuesday 6 August at 2.00pm Licensing Sub-Committee

Wednesday 21 August at 2.30pm Planning and Regulatory Committee

September 2024

Tuesday 3 September at 2.00pm Licensing Sub-Committee

Wednesday 11 September at 2.30 pm Executive

Tuesday 17 September at 6.00 pm Council

Wednesday 18 September at 2.30pm Planning and Regulatory Committee

Thursday 26 September at 10.30am Audit Committee

October 2024

Tuesday 1 October at 10.00pm Standards Sub-Committee

Tuesday 1 October at 2.00pm Licensing Sub-Committee

Thursday 10 October at 2.00pm Health Overview and Scrutiny Panel

Wednesday 16 October at 2.30pm Executive

Thursday 17 October at 10.00am Children and Young People's Services

Policy & Scrutiny Panel

Wednesday 23 October at 2.30pm Planning and Regulatory Committee

Tuesday 29 October at 11.00am Licensing Committee

Wednesday 30 October at 2pm Health and Wellbeing Board

November 2024

Tuesday 5 November at 2.00pm Licensing Sub-Committee

Tuesday 5 November at 10.00am Adult Services and Housing Policy &

Scrutiny Panel

Tuesday 12 November at 6.00pm Council

Monday 18 November at 3.00pm Public Rights of Way sub-Committee

Tuesday 19 November at 2.00pm Placemaking, Economy and Planning Policy

& Scrutiny Panel

Wednesday 20 November at 2.30pm Planning and Regulatory Committee

Thursday 28 November at 10.30am Audit Committee

Thursday 28 November at 2.00pm Transport, Climate and Communities Policy

& Scrutiny Panel

December 2024

Tuesday 3 December at 2.00pm Licensing Sub-Committee

Wednesday 4 December at 2.30 pm Executive

Wednesday 18 December at 2.30pm Planning and Regulatory Committee

January 2025

Tuesday 7 January at 2.00pm Licensing Sub-Committee

Tuesday 14 January at 6.00 pm Council

Wednesday 15 January at 2.30pm Planning and Regulatory Committee

Thursday 23 January at 10.30am Audit Committee

February 2025

Tuesday 4 February at 10.00am Standards Sub-Committee

Tuesday 4 February at 2.00pm Licensing Sub-Committee

Wednesday 5 February at 2.30 pm Executive

Wednesday 12 February at 2.00pm Health and Well Being Board

Tuesday 18 February at 6.00 pm Council

Wednesday 19 February at 2.30pm Planning and Regulatory Committee

Tuesday 25 February at 6.00 pm Council (Reserve Budget Meeting)

Thursday 27 February at 10.00am Children and Young People's Services

Policy & Scrutiny Panel

March 2025

Tuesday 4 March at 11am Licensing Committee

Tuesday 4 March at 2.00pm Placemaking, Economy and Planning Policy

& Scrutiny Panel

Tuesday 11 March at 2.00pm Licensing Sub-Committee

Thursday 13 March at 2.00pm Transport, Climate and Communities Policy

and Scrutiny Panel

Tuesday 18 March at 10.00am Adult Services and Housing Policy &

Scrutiny Panel

Wednesday 19 March at 2.30pm Planning and Regulatory Committee

Thursday 20 March at 2.00pm Health Overview and Scrutiny Panel

Monday 24 March at 3.00pm Public Rights of Way sub-Committee

April 2025

Tuesday 01 April at 2.00pm Licensing Sub-Committee

Tuesday 01 April at 6.00 pm Council

Wednesday 16 April at 2.30pm Planning and Regulatory Committee

Thursday 24 April at 10.30am Audit Committee

Tuesday 29 April at 2.00pm Licensing Sub-Committee

Wednesday 30 April at 6.00 pm Executive