

# **FORWARD PLAN**

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## THE FORWARD PLAN

#### Introduction

The Forward Plan sets out information about future Council decisions. It also gives the public the opportunity to have their say on these decisions before they are taken.

## **Publication and inspection of the Plan**

The Plan is published monthly. It is available for inspection, free of charge, at the reception desk at the Civic Centre, Dagenham. It is also available on the Council's website (<a href="www.lbbd.gov.uk">www.lbbd.gov.uk</a>).

The Plan will be published on the following dates during the Council year 2004 / 2005:

Edition	Publication date
May edition	20 April 2004
June edition	18 May 2004
July edition	22 June 2004
August edition	19 July 2004
September edition	17 August 2004
October edition	21 September 2004
November edition	19 October 2004
December edition	18 November 2004
January edition	22 December 2004
February edition	4 January 2005
March edition	15 February 2005
April edition	8 March 2005

#### Contents of the Plan

By law, councils have to publish a monthly Forward Plan. This has to contain available details of all "Key Decisions" the Council is aware will be taken by councillors or staff during the forthcoming four-month period. The term "Key Decision" is explained below.

Barking and Dagenham Council is committed to open government. It is encouraging local people to have their say on the decisions that affect them, their families and the community as a whole. It recognises that is therefore important to provide as much information about these decisions as possible. As a result, Barking and Dagenham's Forward Plan lists all decisions, not just "Key Decisions", and looks as far ahead as possible, not just at the coming few months.

### Key Decisions

A "Key Decision" is a decision that is likely to:

- (a) involve significant spending or savings and/or
- (b) have a significant effect on the community

In relation to (a), councils have to define which financial decisions are "significant" and, therefore, "Key." Barking and Dagenham's definition is spending or savings of £200,000 or more that is not in the Council's Budget (the setting of the Budget is itself a Key Decision).

In relation to (b), a decision is, by law, "Key" if it is likely to have a significant impact on the community in two or more wards. In line with Government guidance, this Council treats a decision as "Key" if it is likely to have a significant impact on one or more ward.

#### Information included in the Plan

In relation to each Key Decision, the Plan includes as much of the following information as is available when it is published:

- the subject matter
- the Member meeting/employee taking the decision
- the estimated date when a decision will be taken
- any groups/persons to be consulted before the decision is taken
- how any such consultation will be carried out
- a list of relevant documents to be submitted to the decision-taker in connection with the decision

## How you can have your say

If you would like to comment on any decision included in the Plan please let me know as soon as you can. I will then ensure your comments are considered by those taking the decision.

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## Key to the table

Column 1 shows the estimated date when the decision will be taken and who will be taking the decision.

Column 2 sets out the title of the report or subject matter, the nature of the decision being sought and a list of supporting papers (if any) to be presented with the report.

Key Decisions are listed in bold type. Other decisions are listed in normal type.

Column 2 also shows, in brackets, the initials of the Chief Officer proposing the decision as follows:

DEAL = Director of Education, Arts and Libraries

DHH = Director of Housing and Health

DLES = Director of Leisure and Environmental Services

DSS = Director of Social Services

DCS = Director of Corporate Strategy

DF = Director of Finance

Columns 3 and 4 provide information available at the time the Plan was published on, respectively, any groups to be consulted by the Council before the decision is taken and how any such consultation will be carried out.

Column 5 specifies which Wards (if any) will be affected by the proposal.

The Plan also lists the Members involved in taking Key Decisions (see Appendix A)

## **MEETING DATES 2003/04**

Executive
4 May 2004
11 May 2004
18 May 2004 (Performance Monitoring)
1 June 2004
15 June 2004
22 June 2004
29 June 2004
20 July 2004
27 July 2004 (Provisional)
3 August 2004 (Provisional)
17 August 2004 (Performance Monitoring)
7 September 2004
14 September 2004
21 September 2004
28 September 2004
19 October 2004
26 October 2004
9 November 2004
16 November 2004 (Performance Monitoring)
23 November 2004
14 December 2004
21 December 2004 (Provisional)
11 January 2005
25 January 2005
8 February 2005
22 February 2005 (Performance Monitoring)
8 March 2005
15 March 2005
22 March 2005
29 March 2005
12 April 2005
19 April 2005
3 May 2005
10 May 2005

Assembly
19 May (Annual Assembly) 2004
9 June 2004
7 July 2004
25 August 2004
6 October 2004
3 November 2004
1 December 2004
5 January 2005
2 February 2005
2 March 2005
6 April 2005
18 May (Annual Assembly) 2005

Decision taker/ Estimated date (Draft report deadline)	Subject Matter (relevant Chief Officer)  Nature of Decision  Additional documents to be submitted	Consultees	Consultation Process	Wards Affected by the Proposals
Executive: 27.4.04	Schemes for Primary and Secondary Admissions (DEAL)  Under the Education Act 2002 LEAs are required to develop Admission Schemes for the annual process of admitting pupils to Reception classes in infant and primary schools and to Year 7 in secondary schools  These schemes are to show how the Local Education Authority will co-ordinate their admissions processes and ensure that all parents within the Borough apply for primary and secondary schools using one common application form and are sent one offer of a place at a school on the same day  The should be consulted upon and formulated by 16 April 2004 in preparation for admission to schools in September 2005  The Executive will be asked to approve the publication of these schemes in line with the requirements of the Education Act 2002 None.	Internal:  Members of the Barking and Dagenham Admissions Forum - Cllrs Bramley, Curtis and Jones  Headteachers and Governing Bodies of schools within Barking and Dagenham  External:  The Barking and Dagenham Admissions Forum Local and neighbouring Admissions Authorities Catholic and Church of England Diocesan Boards Governing Bodies of schools within Barking and Dagenham	Meetings and documents	All Wards

Executive: 27.4.04	Procurement of Catering Supplies: Financial (DEAL)  The current agreements for various catering suppliers, including food and beverage, will terminate during 2004. It will be necessary to re-tender through EU Directives  None.	Internal:  Members  DEAL - Schools DEAL - Parents and children DEAL - Equalities and diversity routes  DSS  DLES  External:  Local and national suppliers	Meetings Surveys Tasting sessions	All Wards
Executive: 27.4.04	Name Change for Dagenham Priory School: Community (DEAL)  Dagenham Priory Secondary School and Arts College is looking to change its name and to reflect its role as a community based school None.	Internal:  DEAL - Dagenham Priory School, in particular the children and Governors  External:  Local people	By a competition with the pupils in the school to suggest names	River

Executive: 27.4.04	Climate Change Strategy (DLES)	Internal:	The strategy document sets out the framework for	All Wards
21.4.04	The Executive will be asked to agree the draft Climate Change Strategy, which deals with the reduction of Greenhouse gases by 2010 in line with Central Government Policy, for London Borough of Barking and Dagenham None.	Overall consultation on principle design and layouts  DHH - Health and Consumer Services  DLES - Technical and Operational Services  All other departments represented via the Environmental Sustainability Steering Group	sets out the framework for consultation within the local community, Council departments and specialist interest groups	
		External:		
		ADSM (Engineering Sustainability Consultancy) working with the Council on the development of the draft strategy		

Executive: 27.4.04	Term Contract for Catering Equipment Servicing and Repairs (DLES)  The Executive will be asked to approve a new five-year term contract  None.	Internal:  DLES DLES - Finance  DEAL  DSS  DCS - Corporate Procurement Officer	Circulation of draft reports	Not Applicable
Executive: 27.4.04	Fees and Charges: Births, Deaths and Marriage Registration Service (DLES)  Report reviewing changes in charges in accordance with Executive minute 329, 11 March 2003 and setting of charges for 2004/05 onwards  None.	Internal:  DLES - Finance	Circulation of draft report	All Wards
Executive: 27.4.04	Fees and Charges: Review of On / Off Street Parking Charges (DLES)  The Executive will receive a report reviewing changes in the charges  None.	Internal:  DLES - Finance	Circulation of draft report	All Wards

Executive:	Children's Centre Strategy : Community	Internal:	Meetings	Not Applicable
27.4.04	The Executive will be asked to agree the proposals for the Borough's Children Centre Plan which is due to be submitted to DfES on October 15 2003  Five children's centres need to be created by 2006 in order to meet the Government's requirements. The Aim is to bring together all the key public and voluntary services that promote the well being of young children, and to make them as accessible as possible through taking a locally based, integrated, child focused approach to service delivery  None.	External:  EYDCP Early Years Providers Children's Centres Strategy Group		
Executive: 27.4.04	Parking - Barking Town Centre (DLES)  To report to the Executive on the impact on parking revenue of the various redevelopments occurring in Barking Town Centre  To seek the Executive's instructions, particularly with regard to the financial issues  To consider the actions needed and funding issues as a result of reduction in parking provision in Barking Town Centre  None.	Internal:  DLES - Finance DLES - Planning	Circulation of draft report	Abbey

Executive: 27.4.04	Safeguarding Children: A Multi Agency Review of Child Protection Service (DSS)  The Area Child Protection Committee (ACPC) has conducted a wide-ranging multi agency review of service to safeguard children. The report sets out the main findings and recommendations of the Review of Social Services, together with the action plans to implement the key changes  The Executive is asked to agree the action plans arising from the Safeguarding of Children report for Social Services. As lead agency for the Area Child Protection Committee  None.	External  All agencies on the Area Child Protection Committee	Direct meetings/briefings with agencies involved	All Wards
Executive: 27.4.04	Budget Monitoring Reports (DF)  Budget Monitoring  None.	Internal:  The Management Team Divisional Management Teams Performance Monitoring Contact Officers	Report performance monitoring process	Not Applicable
Executive: 27.4.04	Award of Contract to Supply Call Centre Technology (DCS)  The Executive will be asked to approve the product supplier and implementation of call centre technology  None.	Internal:  Customer First Board Procurement Steering Group Project Steering Group	Via briefings	All Wards

Executive: 27.4.04	Emergency Planning - Local Government Gold Resolution (DLES)  The Executive will be asked to the agree the request from the Minister for London that in the event of a Catastrophic Incident that the Borough's resources can be allocated for use by the appointed London Authority Chief Executive Gold  None.	Internal  All Chief Officers Solicitor to the Council All Portfolio Holders	Circulation of draft report	Not Applicable
Executive: 27.4.04	Section 16 Tenant Empowerment Fund (DHH)  The Section 16 Tenant Empowerment Grant is designed to promote and help raise the quality of local authority tenant participation through independent training and advice. The grant aims include increasing community self help through developing tenants skills, knowledge and capacity to carry out local community projects and encourage new ideas  Working with First Call consultants, the Chadwell Heath/Whalebone wards (excluding Marks Gate) has been recommended as the first area to pilot this approach  The Executive will be asked to agree the approach and the pilot area for the Section 16 Tenant Empowerment Fund Grant  None.	Internal:  Ward Members: Cllrs Curtis, Jeyes, Justice, Denyer, Gibbs and Mrs West  External:  Wellgate Community Housing Partnership Chair of the Tenants Federation	Via meetings	Chadwell Heath; Whalebone;

Executive: 27.4.04	Internal Refurbishment Programme to Low Rise Dwellings (Kitchen / Rewire Works) -	Internal:	Meetings	All Wards
21.4.04	Appointment of Constructor Partners for Pre- Construction Phase (DHH)	Lead Member for Housing, Health and Social Care: Cllr Osborn		
	Explanation of the process to date; intended outcome of entering into the first stage agreement (project partnering agreement); basis for recommending appointment.	Chair of Scrutiny Management Board: Cllr Mrs Twomey		
	The Executive will be asked to agree the appointment of constructor partners for preconstruction phase of the project and continued Member involvement in project	DHH - Head of Finance DHH - Head of Landlord Services		
	development; authorisation to negotiate financial aspects of contract	DCS - Corporate Procurement Officer		
	None.	DF - Head of Audit		
Executive: 27.4.04	New Dagenham Library / Contact Centre : Financial (DCS)	Internal: Ward Members: Clirs	Working Party for Ward Members	Alibon; Goresbrook; Heath;
	To approve expenditure on a feasibility study and preparatory work for the provision of a new library and Contact Centre on or near the Heathway	Davis, McCarthy, Wade, Fairbrass, Kallar, B Osborn, H Collins, Jones, O'Brien, Huggins, Porter, Thomas, Jamu, Smith, Mrs	Reports submitted to relevant Boards/appraisals	Parsloes; River; Village;
	The Executive will be asked to agree to approve expenditure on a feasibility study/business case and design works for a	Twomey, Best, Dale and Waker		
	new library and Contact Centre in Dagenham  None.	Regeneration Board Customer First Board		
	TVOTO.	DLES - Capital Programme Monitoring Office		

Executive: 27.4.04	The LBBD Council's response to the consultation on the Mayor for London's Draft Economic Development Strategy "Sustaining Success": Financial (DLES)  The Executive will be asked to agree the Borough's response to the Draft Economic Development Strategy prepared by the London Development Agency on behalf of the Mayor for London. The deadline for the receipt of comments is 30 April 2004  None.	Internal:  Regeneration Board  DLES Group Manager Urban Design Planning and Transportation  DEAL Head of Lifelong Learning	Regeneration Board of 30 March 2004 Direct contact with key officers	All Wards
Executive: 27.4.04	Land Disposal Sites: St Ann's Development Naming of Affordable Blocks (DSS)  The St Ann's development will provide a total of 125 new units for the Borough made up of 37 units for sale, 32 shared ownership, 20 community bonus units and 36 units for rent. The first affordable units are due to be available in June  The Executive will be asked to decide and approve names for 3 new blocks of affordable flats on the St Ann's development  None.	External: Local Residents Assocation	Via meetings	Gascoigne

Executive: 27.4.04	Members' Allowances (DF)	Internal:	Not applicable	Not Applicable
	Annual review of Members' Allowances is reviewed by the Independent Remuneration Panel, this includes interviewing Members in the different bandings and considering their annual reports regarding their work in the proceeding year and recommending any changes  The Executive/Assembly is asked to recommend to the Assembly that they approve the scheme for the new municipal year	The Management Team Heads of Service  External:  Members' Remuneration Panel		
	None.			
Executive: 27.4.04	Thames View Sports Pitch (DHH)  A need to provide a youth play area on the Thames View Estate has been identified by local Councillors and Estate Management staff. This is a result of continuing reports of anti-social behaviour from youths on the Estate  The Executive will be asked to agree the request to fund this project from the security budget  None.	Internal: The Management Team Heads of Service  External: CHP2 Board	Via the Community Housing Partnership Board Local Tenants and Residents Association	Thames

Executive:	Provision of Capacity to Receive Digital TV	Internal:	Briefing notes and reports	All Wards
27.4.04	Signals - Flatted Accommodation (DHH)		to internal consultees and	
		The Management Team	business plans and	
	The Government has well documented plans		interviews with external	
	to switch off the analogue TV transmitters by 2010. Many residents would like to be able	Heads of Service	providers	
	to pick up the free to air digital TV stations	DHH - The Housing	There are no plans to	
	already available, but the current communal	Management Team	consult with residents, as	
	aerial systems are 20 years old and need	DHH - Home Ownership	initial findings do not	
	replacing	and Leasehold Section	indicate a significant	
			increase in the current	
	Officers will report on the various options	External:	charges per annum per	
	open to the Council as landlord and		resident	
	recommend the most cost effective solution	Various providers of		
		suitable systems to provide		
	The Executive will be asked to	the required service		
	consider/approve the most suitable means of			
	providing residents in flatted accommodation			
	the means to receive the free to air digital TV			
	signals			
	None.			

Executive: 11.5.04	London 2012 Olympic Bid (DLES)	Internal:	Circulation of report	All Wards
	The Executive will be asked to support the Pan London bid to host the 2012 Olympic Games and ensure that the London Borough of Barking and Dagenham benefit directly from the bid process The Executive will be asked to support the Plan London bid to host the 2012 Olympic Garmes and ensure that the London Borough of Barking and Dagenham benefit directly from the bid process None.	DLES - Finance DLES - Regeneration Implementation, Planning and Transportation  External: None		
Executive: 11.5.04	Housing Strategy Division: Adjustment to Structure and Regarding of Post (DHH)  The report advises the Executive of a change in responsibilities within the Housing Strategy Division and of consequent proposals for changes to the structure. The report also indicates that all of the changes can be contained within existing resources  The Executive will be asked to agree to proposed adjustments to the structure of the Housing Strategy Division and to the amended point within the LSMR grade for one post  None.	Internal:  DF The Management Team Heads of Service Trade Unions Staff affected	Sounding Board arrangements for Trade Unions individual meetings with staff	Not Applicable

Executive: 11.5.04	Award of Customer Relationship Management Contract (DCS)  The Executive will be asked to approve the preferred supplier for Customer Relationship Management (CRM) for the Council  None.	Internal: The Management Team Lead Member	Verbally Through Customer First Board	Not Applicable
Executive: 11.5.04	Improving the Reception Areas at 2 and 90 Stour Road: Financial (DF)  On 8 January 2003 the Assembly agreed the recommendations of the Stour Road Accommodation (Finance) Scrutiny Panel. One of the recommendations was to undertake a design review of 90 Stour Road and report back to the Executive with costings  In July 2003 the Executive approved £300K be earmarked for the cost of the refurbishment activity. On 23 December 2003 The Management Team considered a report outlining the options being considered for 2 and 90 Stour Road and agreed that a report be forwarded to the Executive outlining the preferred option for approval  The Executive will be asked to agree recommendations for proposed structural changes to the Reception Areas for 2 and 90 Stour Road  None.	Internal  DF DHH Head of Customer First Head of Landlord Services Architects	Internal meetings and opportunity to comment on draft report	Not Applicable

Executive: 11.5.04	Progress on the Reorganisation of the Leisure and Environmental Services Department (DLES)	Internal:  LESD Human Resources	Meetings and circulation of draft report	Not Applicable
	The Executive will be asked to note the progress made since agreeing to the proposals to refocus the Leisure and Environmental Services Department			
	None.			

Executive:	Draft Final Report of the Erkenwald Centre	Internal:	Circulated report for	Becontree;
11.5.04	<b>Development Scrutiny Panel</b> : Community		comment and invited to	Mayesbrook;
	(DCS)	The Management Team	attend Panel meeting	
	The Panel was set up in June 2001 to	DCS - The Panel's		
	monitor the development of the former	Independent Scrutiny		
	Erkenwald Youth Centre as a Pupil Referral	Support Officer - Head of		
	Unit for primary children who are excluded from school. The Centre will open in January	Democratic Support		
	2004	DCS - Democratic and		
		Electoral Services		
	The Panel's report sets out how the Centre	Manager		
	has been developed and its			
	recommendations for future developments of	DEAL - Head of Lifelong		
	this kind	Learning		
	The Executive will be asked to comment on	DEAL - Assets Manager		
	the report.	DEAL - Projects Officer,		
	the report.	Assets Team		
	None.	DEAL - Principal Inspector,		
	TVOTIC.	Community Inspection and		
		Advisory Service		
		DEAL - Head of Children's		
		Support		
		Support		
		DLES - Group Manager,		
		Technical and Operational		
		Services		
		External:		
		Chief Executive, North		
		East London Mental Health		
		Trust		
		Chair of Erkenwald		
		Tenants and Residents		
		Association		
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Executive:	Performance Monitoring - End of Year	Internal:	The Performance	Not Applicable
18.5.04	2003/04 Actuals (DCS)		Monitoring process	
		The Management Team		
	Outturn performance for 2003/04 against			
	Statutory Best Value Performance Indicators	Departmental Management		
	(BVPIs), Council Scorecard PIs and PSA	Teams		
	targets			
	The Executive is asked to discuss			
	performance as highlighted by the			
	performance indicators presented			
	None.			

The following policies and procedures have been reviewed, as part of the ODP and Balanced Scorecard objectives, to bring them up to date with changing legislation and "best practice"  Annual Leave and Special Leave Provisions Disciplinary Procedure Family Friendly Provisions  - Maternity, Paternity, Adoption and Parental Leave  Grievance Procedure  Managing Attendance – Sickness Absence  The Management Team Departmental Management Teams  Trade Unions  Staff Representative  Groups  Members - Employee Joint  Consultative Committee on 19 April 2004 (after extensive consultation with managers, departments and the trade unions over a period of time)	Not Applicable
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Parental Leave Grievance Procedure Managing Attendance – Sickness Absence	
Grievance Procedure  Managing Attendance – Sickness Absence	
Managing Attendance – Sickness Absence	
Procedure	
Market Supplements	
Bicycle Allowance	
The Executive will be asked to agree the adoption of the new/revised HR policies and	
procedures, as recommended by the Employee Joint Consultative Committee and	
the proposed implementation plan	
None.	

Executive:	Thames View Soil Investigation Contract	Internal:	Internal circulation	Thames
18.5.04	Extension (DLES)			
		DHH - Finance		
	The current planned work for site	Health and Consumer		
	investigation at Thames View Estate has	Services		
	been completed. The work has identified that	Housing Services		
	further works to clarify the areas that should			
	be identified as contaminated need to be			
	carried out. This report asks for approval to			
	extend the existing contracts for site			
	investigation and project management to			
	enable these works to be carried out			
	The Executive will be asked to agree to the			
	extension of existing contracts for both site			
	investigation and project management to			
	continue investigative works at the Thames			
	View Estate			
	None.			

Executive: 18.5.04	Dagenham Dock Infrastructure Project (DLES)  The upgrading of Dagenham Dock's infrastructure has long been identified as a key objective in regenerating the local economy. The poorly maintained private roads have prevented physical development and job creation. The problems have often been identified as a classic example of the scale of the transformation which is needed in the Thames Gateway. The report lays out the details of the project and the need for a legal agreement with the LDA  The Executive will be asked to support the Dagenham Dock infrastructure project and:  • Agree to the Council entering into a legal agreement regarding funding (to secure the EtsP funding and relate Section 106 contributions)  • Support sustainable construction/materials  • Agree not to seek commuted sums	External:  Dagenham Dock Occupiers Forum	Via the planning application consultation process and regular meetings	Thames
	None.			

Executive: 18.5.04	Licensing Act 2003 - Licensing Committee Arrangements (DHH)  Under the Licensing Act 2003 the Council must set up a Licensing Committee and establish a licensing policy  The Executive will be asked to agree that the Regulatory and General Matters Board should become the Council's Licensing Committee for the purposes of the Licensing Act 2003 and to approve a draft licensing policy to go out for consultation with stakeholders  None.	Internal:  Executive Lead Member - Councillor McKenzie  The Management Team	Report to The Management Team  Draft Executive report to Councillor McKenzie	All Wards
Executive: 18.5.04	BVIP - School Admissions (DEAL)  To provide details of changes with and around the Admissions Section and summarise the actions undertaken since BVR, indicating where legislation or departmental reorganisation has impacted the action plan  The Executive will be asked to approve 'signoff' of BVIP for School Admissions as it has now either been superseded or incorporated into other monitoring arrangements  None.	Internal:  Scrutiny Panel - In line with BVIP procedures	Via meetings	All Wards

Executive: 18.5.04	Waste and Recycling Performance 2003 / 2004 and Proposed Future Initiatives to	Internal:	Meetings and correspondence	All Wards
10.3.04	Comply with DEFRA Proposals 2004 / 2007	Lead Member: Cllr	Correspondence	
	(DLES)	McKenzie	Circulation of draft report	
	This report covers the current performance in Environmental Management and endeavours to offer a vision for LBBD to aspire to in theses areas	DLES - Finance DLES - Planning DLES - Highways and Traffic		
	The Executive will be asked to	DLES - Transport and Waste		
	<ul> <li>consider the performance of the recycling initiatives initiated in 2003</li> </ul>	External:		
	<ul> <li>consider future initiatives, measures and systems both Borough-wide and internal to boost the Council's 'Reduce, Reuse and Recycle' performance. Set out the likely costs of meeting Government requirements over the medium-term to achieve our Statutory recycling and bio-waste reduction targets and</li> </ul>	ELWA Shanks Waste Services Ltd		
	<ul> <li>agree the strategy to meet the Council's Cleaner Greener Safer Community Priorities in the waste area</li> </ul>			
	None.			

Executive: 18.5.04	Fees and Charges: Planning Post Search and Other Enquiry Charges (DLES)  The Executive will receive a report reviewing the changes in the charges  None.	Internal:  DLES - Finance	Circulation of draft report	All Wards
Executive: 18.5.04	Capital Programme 2004 / 2005 Additional Scheme Expansion of the Borough's CCTV coverage (DLES)  To report to the Executive on the result of crime data analysis to determine the priority for CCTV expansion and utilise a capital receipt for this purpose. This arose from the report agreeing to the retention of a capital receipt for the sale of land adjoining St Albans Church, Urswick Road, Dagenham  The Executive will be asked if it wishes to amend the 2004 / 2005 Capital Programme to include a scheme to expand CCTV coverage of Barking Town Centre	Internal:  DLES - Finance. DLES - Capital Programme Management Office  DCS - Community Safety  DF - Management Accountant	Circulation of draft report	Abbey; Longbridge;

Executive: 18.5.04	Extension of Joint LCSG Contract for Computer Consumables 2002/2004: Pre Tender Packaging (DLES)  The Executive will be asked to approve a recommendation to award the contract to the recommended supplier / suppliers for the Supply of Computer Consumables which is operated as a joint contract with the London Contracts and Supplies Group, lead by the London Borough of Ealing  None.	Internal:  DLES - Finance  DCS - Corporate  Procurement Officer	Circulation of draft report	Not Applicable
Executive: 18.5.04	Development Control Performance Indicators (DLES)  The Executive is asked to note improvements made in Development Control performance since the implementation of the improvement plan  This report covers progress made in delivering Development Control Performance Indicator BVPI 109 a-c since the Executive agreed the improvement plan  None.	Internal: Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

Executive: 18.5.04	Performance Indicators Environmental Management - Waste, Transportation and Street Cleansing (DLES)  This report covers the current performance indicators in Environmental Management and	Internal:  Lead Member: Cllr McKenzie  DLES - Finance	Meetings and correspondence  Circulation of draft report	All Wards
	endeavours to offer explanations of those which LBBD although judged by are not directly in our control  The Executive will be asked to consider the performance and agree to alternative measures of performance in a number of areas and consent to a challenge of the Audit Commission Performance Indicators in these areas as they are not an accurate measure of LBBD's performance  None.	DLES - Planning DLES - Highways and Traffic DLES - Transport and Waste		

Assembly: 19.5.04	Petition - Requesting A Community Hall for Valence Area (DLES)  To report, in accordance with the Constitution, to the Assembly on the receipt of a petition in requesting a community hall for the Valence Ward  The Assembly will be asked to agree the recommendations following discussions held in accordance with Article Two (paragraph 16) of the Constitution  None.	Internal:  Lead Member - Councillor Wade Valance Ward Members: Cllrs Mrs Bruce, Mrs Cridland and Mrs C Osborn  DLES DLES - Finance DLES - Head of Regeneration  External: Lead Petitioner	Meetings (as required by Article Two (paragraph 16) of the Constitution)  Circulation of draft report	Valence
Assembly: 19.5.04	Petition - Requesting BMX Track in Old Dagenham Park (DLES)  To report, in accordance with the Constitution, to the Assembly on the receipt of a petition in requesting that the Arena in Old Dagenham Park is turned into a BMX track  The Assembly will be asked to agree the recommendations following discussions held in accordance with Article Two (paragraph 16) of the Constitution  None.	Internal:  Lead Member: Councillor Porter Village Ward Members - Clirs Best, Dale and Waker  External:  Lead petitioner  London Riverside	Meetings (as required by Article Two (paragraph 16) of the Constitution)  Circulation of draft report	Village

Assembly: 19.5.04	Petition - Recycling and Reuse Centre at Frizlands Depot (DLES)	Internal:	Meetings (as required by Article Two (paragraph 16)	Heath
	Concerns the redevelopment/reorganisation of the Civic Amenities Site – Waste Disposal Management Rainham Road North, Dagenham	Executive Lead Member - Councillor McKenzie Heath Ward Members: Cllrs Fairbrass, B Osborn and Kallar	of the Constitution	
	None.	DLES - Planning and Transportation DLES - Health and Consumer		
		DHH		
		External:		
		East London Waste Authority Lead Petitioner		

Assembly:	Petition - Regarding Councils Decision on	Internal:	Meetings (as required by	Not Applicable
19.5.04	Community Halls (DLES)	Lead Member: Cllr Wade	Article Two (paragraph 16)	
	To report in accordance with the	Cllr Fairbrass.	of the Constitution)	
	To report, in accordance with the	Cili Faiibrass.	Circulation of droft report	
	Constitution, to the Assembly on the receipt	DIFC	Circulation of draft report	
	of a petition in relation to the future	DLES DLES - Finance		
	management of community halls. The	DLES - Finance DLES - Head of		
	petition is asking the Council to reconsider it's			
	decision on the future management of the halls	Regeneration		
		DCS		
	The Assembly will be asked to agree the recommendations following discussions held			
	in accordance with Article Two (paragraph	External:		
	16) of the Constitution	Lead Petitioner		
	None.	Load Folitionor		
Assembly:	Education Development Plan : Framework	Internal:	Annual update and input	Not Applicable
19.5.04	[Annual Item] (DEAL)		from schools via meetings	
		DEAL - Schools		
	This will be the annual update of the 2002 -	DEAL - Governors	Input from DfES via annual	
	2007 EDP for 2004 / 2005 and it outlines how		stock-take meeting	
	the Council will continue its drive for school improvement	DSS		
		External:		
	None.			
		Diocese		
		Other Education Providers		

Assembly: 19.5.04	East London Transit (DLES)	Internal:	The Citizens Panel and Community Forums will be	Abbey; Eastbury;
13.3.04	This report covers the East London Transit scheme that is aimed at increasing safety,	LESD – Finance	consulted	Gascoigne; River;
	capacity, reliability, comfort and accessibility of public transport in East London, while	External:	Circulation of draft report	Thames;
	reducing journey times and delays. Using high quality bus technology, the first phase of	The Greater London		
	East London Transit will run between Ilford, Barking, Barking Reach and Dagenham Dock Station. Phase 1 is expected to be	Partnership London Development Agency		
	completed by December 2006 and will cost £35m. It is expected to carry 6 million passengers a year. The total capital cost for	Greater London Authority English Partnership Other statutory undertakers		
	all phases of the ultimate 53 km scheme will be £215m. Later phases would serve Barkingside, Harold Hill, Rainham, Gallions Reach, Thames Gateway Bridge, Elm Park and Collier Row	in the area, residents and businesses		
	The Assembly will be asked to agree the East London Transit proposals being developed by Transport for London, linking Ilford to Barking to Barking Reach to Dagenham Dock. This will be in the form of a short presentation by Transport for London to the Executive. Transport for London will be taking the East London Transit to their Board for approval in June 2004			
	None.			

Assembly: 19.5.04	Petition: Rogers Gardens (DLES)	Internal:	Meetings (as required by Article Two (paragraph 16)	Alibon
	The Petition is asking the Council to agree the recommendations following the investigations made by officers and discussions held in accordance with Article Two (paragraph 16) of the Constitution	Executive Lead Member - Cllr McKenzie Ward Members: Wade, McCarthy and Davis	of the Constitution)  Meeting held on 5 March 2004 with Lead Petitioners, Council officers and Ward	
	Two (paragraph 10) of the constitution		Members	
	None.	External:		
		Lead Petitioners - Mrs Linda Terry, 15 Rogers Gardens Mr & Mrs Smith, 16 Rogers Gardens		
Executive: 1.6.04	Budget Monitoring Reports (DF)	Internal:	Report performance monitoring process	Not Applicable
	Budget Monitoring	The Management Team Divisional Management		
	None.	Teams Performance Monitoring Contact Officers		

Executive:	Barking Town Centre - Draft Interim Planning	Internal:	Via Community Forum	Abbey;
1.6.04	Guidance (DLES)	5. 50	meetings	Gascoigne;
		DLES - Head of Civil	Newsletters	
	This report seeks approval for the draft	Engineering	Letters and meetings	
	Interim Planning Guidance to be formally	DLES - Head of Planning	Public display in Library	
	consulted upon by the Council to ensure the	and Transportation		
	document takes into consideration the views	DLES - Finance		
	of the community and relevant stakeholders			
	and holds widespread support for the aims			
	and objectives stated in the Guidance for	External:		
	future development in Barking Town Centre			
		Residents		
	The Executive will be asked to:	Local businesses and		
		traders		
	<ul> <li>Endorse draft Interim Planning</li> </ul>	Landowners/occupiers		
	Guidance for public consultation	Statutory consultees		
	Approval of the Consultation Strategy			
	None.			

Executive: 1.6.04	Repairs to The Mall Shopping Areas Roof (DLES)  The Executive will be asked to agree Capital funding to meet shortfall in recharge to occupiers  This report covers the need to repair the roof and recharge the lessees occupying the premises to the front of The Mall, Heathway. Some of the lessees are non-profit making organisations/groups and will not be in a position to cover their portion of the cost from their funds  None.	Internal  LESD - Finance LESD - Leisure and Community	Meetings and correspondence Circulation of draft report	Alibon; River; Village;
Executive: 1.6.04	Fees and Charges: Bulky Household Collections (DLES)  The vast majority of bulky waste is collected free of charge. A collection authority is able to charge for bulky items of waste and mot other local authorities now impose a charge for this service  The Executive will be asked to agree to charging residents for the collection of bulky waste  The Executive will be asked to agree to charging residents for the collection of bulky waste  None.	Internal  Executive Lead Member – Cllr McKenzie  DLES – Finance  DHH  All Chief Officers (TMT)	Meetings Correspondence etc	All Wards

Executive: 1.6.04	Barking Football Club Lease (DLES)	Internal:	Circulation of draft report	Mayesbrook
	To report on the result of negotiations and the proposals for the wall and protection of the trees	Legal Services  DLES - Property Services		
	The Executive will be asked to agree the	DLES - Finance		
	alternative proposals and new lease terms  None.	DCS - Democratic and Electoral Services Manager		
Executive: 1.6.04	Selection of Barking and Dagenham's Panel of Registered Social Landlord Partners (DHH)	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not Applicable
	The report responds to the request of the Executive on 10 February 2004 to monitor the performance of Southern Housing Group (SHG) and report back to the Executive at the end of March 2004			
	The report contains monitoring information on local schemes and initiatives as well as details of assessments made by the Housing Corporation of SHG's performance			
	The Executive will be asked to agree to admit Southern Housing Group to the Council's panel of preferred Registered Social Landlord partners			
	None.			

1.6.04  Tuu a  TL b p a cc B cc b p L	Joint LCSG Contract for Supply of Copier Paper - Pre Tender Packaging (DLES)  The Executive will be asked for approval to use the joint contract for the supply of copier and other papers  This is a joint contract operated by the London Contracts & Supplies Group (LCSG peing an accredited procurement group for procurement officers from London Boroughs and similar public bodies in London). This contract was previously lead by the London Borough of Haringey who carried out the contracting with input from participating poroughs. They have not renewed the process and this will now probably be lead by LB Barking & Dagenham  This is a framework contract for call off for requently purchased items for stock at Central Stores as required	Internal:  DLES - Finance  DCS - Corporate Procurement Officer  DF - Head of IS & T  External:  London Contracts & Supplies Group members (All London Boroughs plus London based charities, universities and publicly funded bodies)	Contract meetings	Not Applicable
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Assembly:	Petition - Stanhope Road Traffic Issues	Internal:	Meetings (as required by	Heath;
9.6.04	(DLES)		Article Two (paragraph 16)	Valence;
		Lead Member: Cllr	of the Constitution)	
	The Petition is asking the Council to provide speed restrictions	McKenzie		
		Valence and Heath Ward		
	The Executive will be asked to agree the recommendations following the investigations	Members: Cllrs Mrs Bruce, Mrs Cridland, Fairbrass,		
	made by Officers and discussions held in accordance with Article Two (paragraph 16) of the Constitution	Kallar, B Osborn and Mrs C Osborn		
		DLES - Finance		
	None.			
		External:		
		Lead Petitioner		

**Executive:** 15.6.04

**Project Plan for the Urban Design** Framework and Public Realm Strategy for the Borough: Framework (DLES)

This report covers the content and working plan for two comprehensive pieces of work that will be carried out by the newly formed Urban Design Group over the next two financial years. The documents will be important in framing the overall vision for regeneration and sustainable planning and development in the Borough, and will look at areas for increasing density, creating landmark buildings and features, maintaining views and access to key area etc. The Public Realm Strategy adds further detail to the planning and design of all public areas aimed at raising standards and quality or design. materials and workmanship. Both documents will be important in relation to influencing developers and in providing consistency in the Council's own developments. The fencing design standards, which have been prepared, will be attached as an interim document until such time as the Boundary treatment in the Borough has been reviewed as part of this exercise

The Executive will be asked to agree the Project Plans for the Urban Design Framework and action plan for the Borough and the Project Plan for the Public Realm Strategy and action plan for the Borough. The Public Realm Strategy builds on the Urban Design Framework plan and the pilot Public Realm Strategy for the BTC. The two key documents are linked. The fencing Forward Plan - May Ediesign guidelines prepared earlier, will be appended to the report as an example of the type of issue that will be covered in both

studies, as will be used as interim guidance

Internal:

The Management Team

LESD - Finance Regeneration **Implementation Engineers** Street Scene Parks and Recreation **Asset Management** Sustainable Development Planning Policy **Development Control** 

None at this stage. However consultation will be carried out with the Citizens Panel, LSP and Community Forums on both pieces of work in due course. A consultation strategy for both will be part of the project plan for each piece of work and these will be subject of a further report

Not Applicable

**External:** 

None

Executive: 15.6.04	Provision of Accommodation for Church Youth and Community Worker (DHH)	Internal:	Consideration of draft report	Alibon; Heath; Parsloes:
15.6.04	Youth and Community Worker (DHH)  The report is about a request for provision of accommodation for a person working for a community based organisation  The Executive is asked to agree provision of accommodation in line with existing criteria.  If agreed, to delegate consideration of future	Head of Service	report	Parsloes;
	requests to extend to Director of Housing and Health  None.			

Executive:	Sites of Importance for Nature Conservation	Internal:	Circulation of draft report	Abbey; Alibon;
15.6.04	(DLES)	. 505 51		Cambell;
		LESD - Planning and		Chadwell
	Barking and Dagenham, in partnership with	Transport		Heath;
	the Greater London Authority, undertook a	LESD - Regeneration		Eastbrook;
	review of the Borough's Sites of Importance	LESD - Parks and		Goresbrook;
	for Nature Conservation in 2003. The revised	Countryside		River;
	designations are based on up to date ecological data. They have been subject to	DHH		Thames; Whalebone;
	wide internal and external consultation. In			,
	addition they respect and make way for	Property Services		
	current regeneration projects in the Borough			
	i.e. Barking Reach, the largest housing			
	development site in the Thames Gateway	External:		
	The Executive/Assembly will be asked to	Greater London Authority		
	agree to the proposed revisions to our	English Nature		
	designated Sites of Importance for Nature	London Natural History		
	Conservation	Society		
	The Executive will be asked to agree the	Becontree Organic		
	proposed revisions to the designated Sites of	Growers		
	Importance for Nature Conservation	Network Rail		
	None.	Cluttons		
		Scrattons Farm Residents		
		Association		
		Environment Agency		
		Ford Motor Company		

Executive: 15.6.04	Barking Rugby Club, Goresbrook Road and Land off Goresbrook Road: Financial (DLES)  Land in Goresbrook Road is presently unused and has been reviewed as a potential site for the Council's disposal programme. Advice from Planning Officers has made it very unlikely that a sale for residential development would be likely  The adjoining rugby club has asked that they be allowed to use the land for training and junior matches. The report explores the issues regarding this proposal and recommends terms upon which such a use may be approved  None.	Internal:  Lead Member: Cllr Porter  Ward Members: Cllrs Barns, Huggins, Miles, Porter, Mrs Rawlinson and Thomas  DLES DLES - Leisure and Community DLES - Finance  DCS - Legal Services	Circulation of draft report	Goresbrook; Thames;
Executive: 15.6.04	LIFT Programme: Financial (DSS)  Future level of engagement in Primary Health Care LIFT Programme to modernise National Health Service premises  To engage in Level 3 for LIFT Programme  None.	Internal: The Management Team  External: Primary Care Trust	Circulation of draft report	All Wards

Executive: 15.6.04	Disposal Programme (DLES)  To report the current position regarding the planned disposal (non-housing) programme and the effect on the Capital Programme  None.	Internal: The Management Team Appropriate Heads of Services in land holding departments	Circulation of draft report	All Wards
Executive: 15.6.04	Development of Barking Town Square: Progress Report and Authority to Use Compulsory Purchase Order Powers (DLES)  This report covers the current progress with regard to Barking Town Square redevelopment and Barking Lifelong Learning Centre  None.	Internal:  DLES - Finance DEAL - Finance DLES - Planning DLES - Property Services  External:  Barking College of Technology University of East London	Circulation of draft report  Meetings and correspondence	Not Applicable
Executive: 29.6.04	City Farm (DLES)  This issue involves potential long-term financial commitment and risks for the Council, for which finance has not been set aside. The Executive will be asked to decide on the Council's position and potential financial commitment  None.	Internal:  DCS - Legal Services  DLES - Finance	Circulation of draft report	Thames

Executive: 29.6.04	Estate Management and Parade Analysis (DLES)  Report back to Executive in accordance with Assembly Minute 53, 8 January 2003 Re: Report on Petition Arising from User Clause Dispute - Stansgate Road Dagenham  The Executive will be asked to approve a change in policy for letting of the Council's shops and other commercial properties  None.	Internal:  DLES - Finance  DHH	Circulation of draft report	All Wards
Executive: 29.6.04	Provision Outturn 2003/04 Revenue and Capital (DF)  The Authority needs to finalise its position on its total capital and revenue spending for the last financial year. The information in this report will support the production of the Council's Statement of Accounts, which are to be audited by our External Auditors. The report will also address any relevant carry forwards of budgets from the last financial year into the current financial year  The Executive will be asked to note the provisional outturn for 2003/04 for revenue and capital and to consider and approve the relevant carry forwards for revenue and capital  None.	Internal: The Management Team Heads of Service	Not applicable	Not Applicable

Executive: 29.6.04	Citizenship Ceremonies (DLES)  This report covers the review of the Citizenship Ceremonies and the proposed Fees and Charges for 2004/05 as required by Executive Minute of 13 April 2004  The Executive will be asked to consider the Fees and Charges in relation to Citizenship Ceremonies  None.	Internal:  Executive Lead Member - Councillor B Osborn  LESD - Bob Cooper, Interim Head of Finance	Circulation of draft report	Not Applicable
Executive: 20.7.04	Alcohol Advisory Service (DLES)  As required by Executive Minute 432, 29 April 2003, the Executive will be asked to agree  • Suitable alternative locations for the Alcohol Advisory Service  • The reasons for future support of the service  None.	Internal: DLES DSS DEAL	Circulation of draft report	Not Applicable
Executive: 27.7.04	Chadwell Heath Cemetery Extension - Tenders (DLES)  The Executive will be asked to agree the award of the contract for the works to develop The Field site north of Chadwell Heath Cemetery as a cemetery extension  None.	Internal:  DLES - Finance	Circulation of draft report	Chadwell Heath

## **APPENDIX A**

## MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

All 51 Councillors are Members of the Assembly. Councillors marked with an asterisk (\*) are also Members of the Executive.

Councillor Alexander\* Councillor Huggins Councillor Ms Baker Councillor Mrs Hunt **Councillor Barns** Councillor Jamu Councillor Best Councillor Jeyes Councillor Mrs Blake Councillor Jones Councillor Justice Councillor Mrs Bradley Councillor Kallar\* Councillor Bramley\* Councillor Mrs Bruce Councillor Little Councillor Mrs Challis Councillor McCarthy Councillor Clark Councillor McKenzie\* Councillor H. Collins Councillor Miles Councillor L. Collins Councillor O'Brien Councillor Osborn\* Councillor Mrs Convard Councillor Cook Councillor Mrs Osborn Councillor Cooper Councillor Parkin Councillor Mrs Cooper Councillor Porter\*

Councillor Mrs Cridland
Councillor Curtis
Councillor Dale
Councillor Davis
Councillor Denyer
Councillor Denyer
Councillor Fairbrass\*
Councillor Mrs Rawlinson
Councillor Mrs Rush
Councillor Smith\*
Councillor Thomas
Councillor Mrs Twomey
Councillor Wade\*

Councillor Fairbrass\*

Councillor Fani

Councillor Mrs Flint

Councillor Geddes\*

Councillor Gibbs

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