



# CABINET

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**Monday, 23 November 2020**

**10.00 a.m.**

**Virtual Meeting via Microsoft Teams**

**Cabinet Members:-**

Leader of the Council  
Deputy Leader of the Council,  
Children's Services and Neighbourhood Working Portfolio  
Adult Social Care and Health Portfolio  
Cleaner, Greener Communities  
Corporate Services and Finance Portfolio  
Housing Portfolio  
Jobs and the Local Economy Portfolio  
Waste, Roads and Community Safety Portfolio

Councillor Chris Read  
Councillor Gordon Watson  
  
Councillor David Roche  
Councillor Sarah Allen  
Councillor Saghir Alam  
Councillor Dominic Beck  
Councillor Denise Lelliott  
Councillor Emma Hoddinott

Rotherham  
Metropolitan  
Borough Council 

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**Venue:** Virtual Meeting - viewable through  
<https://rotherham.public-i.tv>

**Date and Time:** Monday, 23rd November, 2020 at 10.00 a.m.

**Agenda Contact** Governance Unit – [governance@rotherham.gov.uk](mailto:governance@rotherham.gov.uk)

This meeting will be webcast live and will be available to view via the [Council's website](#). The items which will be discussed are described on the agenda below and there are reports attached which give more details.

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## **A G E N D A**

### **11. Recommendations from Overview and Scrutiny Management Board (Pages 1 - 3)**

To receive a report detailing the recommendations of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board in respect of the above items that were subject to pre-decision scrutiny on 18<sup>th</sup> November, 2020.

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**Name of Committee and Date of Committee Meeting**

Cabinet – 23 November 2020

**Report Title**

Recommendations from Overview and Scrutiny Management Board

**Is this a Key Decision and has it been included on the Forward Plan?**

No

**Strategic Director Approving Submission of the Report**

Sharon Kemp, Chief Executive

**Report Author(s)**

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**Ward(s) Affected**

Borough-wide

**Summary**

- 1.1 Overview and Scrutiny Management Board met on 18 November 2020 to scrutinise the following three reports that would be considered at the Cabinet meeting on 23 November 2020.
  - Medium Term Financial Strategy
  - September Financial Monitoring
  - Equalities Review - going for “Excellent” accreditation
  - SEND Sufficiency Development Phase 3
  
- 1.2 Having reviewed the papers and the recommendations, the Board resolved as follows in respect of each item: -

Item	Recommendations
Medium Term Financial Strategy Sufficiency Development Phase	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That Cabinet be advised that the recommendations be supported.</li> <li>2. That if the assumptions that have been used in the development of the Medium-Term Financial Strategy change substantially before the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board is consulted on the Council's Budget proposals, then a further report be presented to the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board.</li> </ol>
September Financial Monitoring	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That Cabinet be advised that the recommendations be supported.</li> <li>2. That if the financial monitoring situation worsens before the next scheduled Financial Monitoring Report is scheduled to be received, then a further report be presented to the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board.</li> </ol>
Equalities Review - going for "Excellent" accreditation	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That Cabinet be advised that the recommendations be supported.</li> <li>2. That an agenda item pertaining to Equalities be added to the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board agenda on a two-monthly basis.</li> <li>3. That a fact-finding Equalities sub-group convene on a monthly or as-needed basis to discuss Equalities workstreams and lines of inquiry with a view to bringing outcomes to present at Overview and Scrutiny Management Board for further scrutiny.</li> <li>4. That the Equalities sub-group be comprised of a core group of Members with at least one member representing each of the scrutiny commissions, and that Members be invited to submit to this sub-group their questions or topics for discussion related to Equalities.</li> </ol>
SEND Sufficiency Development Phase 3	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That Cabinet be advised that the recommendations be supported.</li> <li>2. That the Improving Lives Select Commission continues to monitor the implementation of the SEND Sufficiency Strategy</li> </ol>

**Recommendation**

That Cabinet has regard to the views of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Board when making decisions in respect of the above matters.

**List of Appendices Included**

None

**Background Papers**

None

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