



CABINET

Monday 19 May 2025

10.00 a.m.

**Council Chamber, Rotherham Town Hall,
Moorgate Street, Rotherham. S60 2TH**

Cabinet Members:-

Leader of the Council
Deputy Leader & Children and Young People Portfolio
Housing Portfolio
Adult Social Care and Health Portfolio
Transport, Jobs and the Local Economy Portfolio
Finance & Safe and Clean Communities Portfolio

Councillor Chris Read
Councillor Victoria Cusworth
Councillor Sarah Allen
Councillor Joanna Baker-Rogers
Councillor Robert Taylor
Councillor Saghir Alam

Rotherham
Metropolitan
Borough Council 

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Venue: The Town Hall, The Crofts, Moorgate Street, Rotherham.
S60 2TH

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Agenda Contact Governance Unit – 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

1. Apologies for Absence

To receive apologies from any Member who is unable to attend the meeting.

2. Declarations of Interest

To invite Councillors to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests or personal interests they may have in any matter which is to be considered at this meeting, to confirm the nature of those interests and whether they intend to leave the meeting for the consideration of the item.

3. Questions from Members of the Public

To receive questions from members of the public who wish to ask a general question in respect of matters within the Council's area of responsibility or influence.

Subject to the Chair's discretion, members of the public may ask one question and one supplementary question, which should relate to the original question and answer received.

Councillors may also ask questions under this agenda item.

4. Minutes of the Previous Meeting (Pages 5 - 13)

To receive the record of proceedings of the Cabinet meeting held on 14 April 2025.

5. Exclusion of the Press and Public

There are no exempt agenda items.

ADULT SOCIAL CARE AND HEALTH

6. Review of the Non-Residential Charging Policy (Pages 15 - 29)

Report from the Strategic Director of Adult Care, Housing and Public Health.

Recommendations:

That approval is given to consult on a new Adult Care Charging Policy, that includes both non-residential and residential charging and will include consideration of the following areas:

1. The removal of the maximum charge for non-residential care, while maintaining the minimum charge of £1. **Recommended.**
2. The introduction of an administrative charge for organising care for people who fund their own care. **Recommended.**
3. The inclusion of all disability benefits when carrying out non-residential financial assessments for services. **Not Recommended.**

LEADER OF THE COUNCIL

7. New Council Plan and Year Ahead Delivery Plan (Pages 31 - 171)

Report from the Assistant Chief Executive.

Recommendations:

That Cabinet:

1. Recommend to Council that the Council Plan 2025-30 be approved.
2. Agree the Year Ahead Delivery Plan for 2025-26.
3. Note that future progress reports will be presented to Cabinet in January and July 2026.

TRANSPORT, JOBS AND THE LOCAL ECONOMY

8. Rotherham Roads Programme 2025/26 (Pages 173 - 203)

Report from the Strategic Director of Regeneration and Environment.

Recommendations:

That Cabinet:-

1. Agree the strategic approach to the management and maintenance of Rotherham's Highways and approve the Indicative Highway Repair

programme.

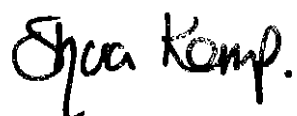
2. Agree that a delegation be provided to the Strategic Director of Regeneration and Environment to approve - in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Transport, Jobs and the Local Economy - any further amendments required to the Indicative Highway Repair programme.
3. Agree that for any additional in year funding provided to deliver highways repairs, the Strategic Director for Regeneration and Environment, in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Transport, Jobs and the Local Economy, may utilise that funding in accordance with the strategic approach to the Management and Maintenance of Rotherham's Highways as laid out in this report.

9. Recommendations from Overview and Scrutiny Management Board (To Follow)

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 14 May 2025.

10. Date and Time of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Cabinet will be held on Monday 9 June 2025 commencing at 10.00am in Rotherham Town Hall.



SHARON KEMP OBE,
Chief Executive.