


THE BULLETIN

Member information



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The Bulletin contains information about decisions by Cabinet Members and County Local Committees plus key officer decisions, topics to be discussed at virtual meetings in the next week and information about the County Council

Decisions



Urgent action

The following urgent action, taken by the Director of Law and Assurance, in consultation with the Chairman of the County Council, the relevant Cabinet Member and Scrutiny Committee Chairman or the Chairman of a non-Executive or County Local Committee as appropriate, has been approved in the last week

[Yapton: Bilsham Road, Proposed Waiting Restrictions](#) WA1(20/21)

Committee News



Forthcoming virtual committee meetings

In accordance with regulations in response to the current public health emergency the County Council will, until further notice, hold virtual committee meetings for essential business only. Councillors will attend and participate remotely via conference calls (audio only) and there will be press and public access via audio webcasting.

20 May, 10.30 am - [Governance Committee](#) (additional date)

[Listen to meetings online:](#) You can listen to the meetings live online via our webcasting website. Our webcasts are also available in the webcast library for six years after the meeting.

Meeting cancellations

Planning Committee - 9 June

Please note that, in consultation with the Chairman, the meeting of the Planning Committee due to take place at 10.30 am on Tuesday, 9 June has been cancelled because there is no substantive business nor any applications that are in a position to be decided by Committee at this time.

The next meeting of Planning Committee is scheduled to take place at 10.30 am on Tuesday, 7 July. If this meeting is required councillors will attend and participate remotely via conference calls (audio only) and there will be press and public access via audio webcasting.

Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Committee – 10 June

Please note that, in consultation with the Chairman and Vice-Chairman, the meeting of Health and Adult Social Care Scrutiny Committee due to be held at 10.30 am on Wednesday, 10 June has been cancelled as there are currently no time critical items to be considered and given the context of significant operational pressure on the health and adult social care sector at this time.

News

Environment

Household Waste Recycling Sites

Household Waste Recycling Sites across West Sussex reopened on Monday with sites running their usual summer hours. Residents have been reminded to consider whether their journey is essential, as they should only visit a site if their waste is not suitable to be picked up in their kerbside collection and presents a risk of injury or harm to health.

Only garden waste and general waste is being accepted at this time and cars are the only vehicles allowed on site.

Pollination and Single Use Plastics Annual Reports

Set out below are links to some short clips, each about two minutes' long, which use an alternative visual presentation to illustrate the work that has been undertaken across the County Council, the county and with partners and communities. They may give members some ideas about how they could work with their communities.

- The [Pollination](#) report highlights how officers and communities have worked together to create pollinator friendly habitats across the county
- The [Single Use Plastics](#) report demonstrates some of the work going on across the County Council and beyond in the last 12 months

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Adults and Health

Sussex confirmed as an Integrated Care System

NHS England and Improvement have confirmed that the Sussex Health and Care Partnership has successfully achieved Integrated Care System status. In an integrated care system, NHS organisations, in partnership with local councils and others, take collective responsibility for managing resources, delivering NHS standards, and improving the health of the population they serve. Further details can be found in a [letter](#) from Bob Alexander, Independent Chair of the Sussex Health and Care Partnership, and Adam Doyle, Senior Responsible Officer for the Sussex Health and Care Partnership.

Councillors' expenses April 2019 to March 2020

The annual [table of allowances and expenses](#) paid to West Sussex County Councillors is now available for 2019/20.

South Downs National Park Authority

The [May edition](#) of the South Downs National Park Authority newsletter has been published.

Press releases

County Council press releases up to 13 May

7 May - [Celebrating our 'unsung heroes' this Foster Care Fortnight](#)

7 May - [Careline gives crews early warning of fire](#)

7 May - [Strawberry gateau for Meals on Wheels customers to celebrate VE Day](#)

11 May - [Highway improvements total more than £1.7m](#)

11 My - [Dog rescued after getting trapped under bus](#)

13 May - [There is #NoExcuseForAbuse - support for victims of domestic abuse now available 7 days a week](#)

Applications

Planning applications

[Applications](#) registered in the last week

Planning applications: highways

[Applications](#) received from borough and district councils where comments on highways, ecology, landscaping and archaeology have been requested

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