



To be submitted to the Council at its meeting on 25th September 2025

CABINET

16th July 2025 at 5.00pm

Present: Councillor Jackson (in the Chair)
Councillors Cracknell, Harness, Hudson, Shepherd, Shreeve and S. Swinburn.

Officers in attendance:

- Katie Brown (Director of Adult Social Care)
- Zoe Campbell (Senior Scrutiny and Committee Advisor)
- Royce Coates (Lead Communications Officer – People, Health and Wellbeing)
- Damien Jaines-White (Assistant Director Regeneration)
- Simon Jones (Assistant Director Law and Governance)
- Diane Lee (Director of Public Health)
- Guy Lonsdale (Interim Section 151 Officer)

Also in attendance :

- Councillor K Swinburn

There were no members of the press and one member of the public present.

CB.1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received for this meeting from Councillor Dawkins.

CB.2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interests made from Members regarding items on the agenda for this meeting.

CB.3 MINUTES

The minutes of the Cabinet meeting held on the 11th June 2025 were agreed as a correct record.

CB.4 MARMOT TOWN PROPOSAL

Cabinet considered a report from Portfolio Holder for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care seeking support for the principle of the full implementation of the Marmot framework.

RESOLVED –

1. That the principle of the full implementation of “Marmot”, as set out in the report now submitted, be supported.
2. That the Director for Public Health, in consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Health, Wellbeing and Adult Social Care, be delegated authority and responsibility to begin to implement and mobilise in accordance with the phased activity set out, and report back to Cabinet in accordance with the expectations laid out in the implementation plan.

CB.5 RESPONSE TO GOVERNMENT CONSULTATION ON REFORM OF PLANNING COMMITTEES

Cabinet considered a report from the Portfolio Holder for Housing, Infrastructure and Transport in response to the Government consultation on reform of Planning Committees.

RESOLVED – That the Director for Economy, Environment and Infrastructure in consultation with the Portfolio Holder Housing Infrastructure and Transport be delegated responsibility to submit the Council’s response to the Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government before the consultation closing date of 23 July 2025.

CB.6 WEED CONTROL

Cabinet considered a report from the Portfolio Holder for Environment and Net Zero in response to a petition received by Full Council requesting the cessation of glyphosate.

RESOLVED –

1. That the principle of carrying out a range of low cost or no cost trials, including the cessation of spraying altogether in identified locations in wards across North East Lincolnshire, be approved.
2. That the Director of Economy, Environment and Infrastructure, in consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Environment and Net Zero, be delegated authority to consult with all ward members to identify any suitable area to conduct a trial, thereafter, implement such trial and carry out appropriate levels of monitoring.
3. That the outcome of the trial be reported back to scrutiny by the Director of Economy, Environment and Infrastructure with an invitation that scrutiny makes recommendations to Cabinet in a further report.

CB.7 PROCUREMENT OF DESKTOPS, MONITORS, AND LAPTOPS

Cabinet considered a report from the Portfolio Holder for Finance, Resources, Assets seeking approval to procure a replacement contract for purchasing desktops, monitors, and laptops.

RESOLVED –

1. That the commencement of a procurement exercise for IT Hardware, being Laptops, Monitors and Desktops, be approved.
2. That the Assistant Director Policy Strategy and Resources, in consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Finance, Resources and Assets and the Section 151 Officer, be delegated authority to award the contract for the Procurement of IT Hardware and thereafter to deal with all ancillary matters reasonable arising.
3. That the Assistant Director Law and Governance (Monitoring Officer) be authorised to complete and execute all legal documentation in connection with the exercise.

There being no further business, the Chairman declared the meeting closed at 5.24 p.m.