

If you would like to know more about any items in this newsletter please contact the officer shown (✉ address is the name shown with a stop between followed by @westsussex.gov.uk) or access the links via the [County Council's website](#). Significant decisions to be taken in the next four months are included in a [Forward Plan](#) of key decisions. If you would like to receive free [e-mail alerts](#) for the Forward Plan, please register via the [County Council's website](#).

Decisions Published in the Past Week

The following proposed decisions have been published during the past week and will come into effect at the end of the call-in period unless the call-in procedure is activated

Call-in Deadline	Decision-Maker	No.	Proposal	Officer Contact
18/12/15	Cabinet Member for Highways and Transport	HT12(15/16)	A259 Littlehampton Improvements	Matthew Evans 033022 22538
21/12/15	Cabinet Member for Corporate Relations	CR6(15/16)	Corporate Sustainability Strategy 2015-19	Rosemary Pugh 033022 22548
22/12/15	Joint Downland Area Committee	DA6(15/16)	Community Initiative Funding	Monique Smart 033022 22540
22/12/15	North Horsham County Local Committee	NH8A(15/16) NH9(15/16)	Community Initiative Funding Nominations for Local Authority Governors to Maintained Schools and Academy Governing Bodies	Paul Matthews 033022 25409

Decisions Confirmed

The following decisions have been confirmed in the last week

Decision-Maker	No.	Decision	Officer Contact
Leader	LDR15(15/16)	Strategic Site Acquisition	Matthew Evans 033022 22538
Joint Eastern Arun Area Committee	EA5(15/16) EA6(15/16)	Community Initiative Funding Nominations for Local Authority Governors to Maintained School and Academy Governing Bodies	Monique Smart 033022 22540

Decision-Maker	No.	Decision	Officer Contact
South Mid Sussex County Local Committee	SMS6(15/16)	Community Initiative Funding	Rachel Allan 033022 28966
Worthing County Local Committee	W8(15/16) W9(15/16)	Signalised pedestrian crossing A24 Broadwater Community Initiative Funding	Rachel Allan 033022 28966

Cabinet Members

The Leader has given notice of changes to Cabinet Member posts as set out below with effect from 11 December 2015:

- Mr Brown has stood down as the Cabinet Member for Finance
- Mr Hunt has been appointed as the Cabinet Member for Finance
- Mr Burrett has been appointed as the Cabinet Member for Education and Skills

Committee News - Committee Meetings

Electoral Division	Item	Subject	Committee Officer
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		East and West Crawley County Local Committees (March 2016)	Monique Smart (033022 22540)

Please note that, in consultation with both Chairmen, the dates of meetings of the East and West Crawley County Local Committees due to be held on 2 and 16 March 2016 respectively have been swapped. The meetings will therefore now be held on the following dates:

West Crawley County Local Committee	7.00 p.m.	2 March 2016
East Crawley County Local Committee	7.00 p.m.	16 March 2016

Weekly News

Electoral Division	No.	Subject	Officer Contact
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Leader			
All	1	Crawley Home and Central Sussex College Photovoltaic Installations	Siobhan Walker (033022 26456)

In accordance with the proposals for governance of the capital programme approved by the County Council on 11 December 2015, please note that business cases relating to two projects, the installation of Photovoltaic Cells on

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Crawley Homes and Central Sussex College, were considered by Strategic Capital Investment Board on 9 December 2015 and shared with members of Performance and Finance and Environmental and Community Services Select Committees for comment on 8 December 2015. In accordance with the earlier inclusion of the business cases in the Capital Programme, the projects will now be implemented. The business cases are available to members on the Members' Information Network.

Other Matters

All	2	<u>Forward Plan – January to April 2016</u>	 Charles Gauntlett (033022 22524)
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The Forward Plan contains details of all key decisions to be taken by the County Council, the Cabinet, Cabinet Members, County Local Committees and officers in the following four months. Key decisions are those which involve expenditure or savings of £500,000 or more or which will have a significant effect on communities in two or more electoral divisions. An amended version of the Forward Plan of Key Decisions for January to April 2016 has been published in order to include a new decision for West Sussex Educational Psychology Service – Development of a Chargeable Element of the Service in the Education and Skills portfolio and a decision for the consultation on options for the 3in1 Card Scheme for Young People which was in the December 2015 to March 2016 edition of the Forward Plan but was omitted accidentally from the current edition.

Communications

County Council Press Releases up to 11 December

07/12/15 - [West Sussex provides help for homelessness](#)

Across the county, more than 1,200 young people have been prevented from being homeless since 2011

07/12/15 - [Day activities, classes and social care all under one roof](#)

The Haven has opened in Henfield offering day activities, classes and social care all under one roof

08/12/15 - [Further consultation to be held on Storrington schools](#)

A second consultation will run from 4 January until 12 February 2016

08/12/15 - [Working together to help communities](#)

Teams from West Sussex Fire & Rescue Service and UK Power Networks to identify households they might be able to help and support

09/12/15 - [Chance to talk with councillors at upcoming meeting](#)

East Crawley County Local Committee meeting to discuss local issues

10/12/15 - [Christmas shoppers warned of hoverboard horrors](#)

Be on your guard when buying the latest fashion craze, say Trading Standards

10/12/15 - [West Sussex Youth Cabinet makes its mark](#)

Issues voiced by more than 20,000 young people in consultation

11/12/15 - ['Get fire safety on your festive wish list' say firefighters](#)

Christmas is for celebrating with family and friends, but fire risks increase

11/12/15 - [Facebook faker receives Christmas curfew](#)

Bognor Regis resident punished for selling fake designer goods online

11/12/15 - [Advice, knowledge and support shared at Parent Carer event](#)

Workshops, one-to-one sessions and presentations took place throughout the day

For further information on or copies of the press releases listed please contact Philippa Eld in the Communications Unit on (033022 22418) or ✉ philippa.eld

Planning Applications registered in the week ending 11/12/15

COUNTY MATTER MINERALS AND WASTE PLANNING APPLICATIONS

Applications submitted under the Town & Country Planning
(Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2010

Application No Applicant Grid Ref	Proposal/Location	Date Registered	Provisional Decision Method	Local Member
WSCC/077/15/NH Britaniacrest Recycling Ltd GR: 517406 134152	Removal of Condition 28 (Vehicular Operations and Controls) from Planning Permission WSCC/021/15/NH. At Former Wealden Brickworks (Site HB), Langhurstwood Road, Horsham, West Sussex, RH12 4QD	08/12/15	Committee	Mr Catchpole

Comments on the above planning application should be made by 06/01/16 to planning.applications@westsussex.gov.uk or if you require further information, please contact County Planning on (01243) 642118

Strategic Planning Business Unit - Planning Applications

The attached [report](#) (pdf file) contains all the planning applications received by the County Highways Team from the seven borough and district councils over the past week where comments on highways, ecology, landscaping and archaeology have been requested. An Excel spreadsheet of this report is also available on request via the following email address: SU.Local.Development@westsussex.gov.uk. If you have any further questions or would like to enquire about an application that does not appear on the list or one on which you would like to be updated, please contact Dominic Smith on 033022 25711.

Proposals for Traffic Regulation Orders and Traffic Management Matters

TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDERS

Location	Proposal	County Local Committee	Provisional Decision Method	Local Member(s)
Chichester – Palmers Field Avenue and Kingsmead Avenue	Proposed Traffic Regulation Orders	South Chichester	Delegated	Mr Hunt

Comments on any of the above proposals should be made by 30/12/15 to tro.team@westsussex.gov.uk or if you require further information, please contact Neil Smith on (033022 25579)

For further information about the Members' Information Service please contact Clare Jones on 033022 22526 or ✉ clare.jones