

**WRITTEN STATEMENT OF A NON-KEY DECISION
CABINET**

ITEM:	YOUTH JUSTICE PLAN 2008/09
Members Present:	Councillors: RJ Phillips (Leader), LO Barnett, AJM Blackshaw, H Bramer, JP French (Deputy Leader), JA Hyde, JG Jarvis, PD Price, DB Wilcox.
Date of Decision:	11 September 2008
Exempt:	No
Confidential	No
Urgency/Special Urgency: (As defined in Constitution)	No
Purpose:	The Youth Justice Plan is prepared on an annual basis on behalf of Herefordshire Council and Worcestershire County Council. The basic preparation of the plan is undertaken by the Youth Offending Service (YOS) according to deadlines and strict guidance from the Youth Justice Board (YJB).
Decision:	THAT the Youth Justice Plan as prepared be endorsed and that it be recommended within the Policy Framework that the Plan be approved by Council at its meeting on 31 October 2008.
Reasons for the Decision:	
Options Considered:	There are no alternative options.
Declaration of Interest:	

COUNCILLOR RJ PHILLIPS Date: 11 September 2008
LEADER OF THE COUNCIL