

**Written statement of a non-key decision  
Leader of the Council (Section 9E)**

<b>Title</b>	<b>Executive response to General Scrutiny Recommendations regarding Herefordshire Council's response to the Covid pandemic</b>
Decision maker	Leader of the Council (Section 9E) Information about cabinet, including the names and contact details of the cabinet members, can be found here: <a href="http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgCommitteeDetails.aspx?ID=251">http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgCommitteeDetails.aspx?ID=251</a>
Date of decision	14 September 2021
Report exemption class	Open
Purpose	To approve the executive response to recommendations made by general scrutiny committee regarding the council's response to the Covid pandemic.
<b>Decision</b>	<b>That:</b>  <b>a) The response to the General Scrutiny committee's recommendations as attached at appendix 1 is approved.</b>
Reason for the decision	As set out in the report. Documents relating to this decision are available at <a href="http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgIssueHistoryHome.aspx?Id=50038681">http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgIssueHistoryHome.aspx?Id=50038681</a>
Options considered	1. None proposed; it is a statutory requirement to provide a response to recommendations made by general scrutiny committee. It is open to the executive to accept, partially accept or reject a recommendation from scrutiny committee, should a recommendation not be accepted an explanation should be provided.
Declarations of interest (see below)	
Call-in expiry date (decisions are not subject to call-in where special urgency provisions apply)	20 September 2021

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Councillor: .....

Date 14 September 2021

Leader of the Council (Councillor David Hitchiner)

- a record of any conflict of interest declared by any executive member who is consulted by the member which relates to the decision;

and

- in respect of any declared conflict of interest, a note of dispensation granted.