

## Forward plan of forthcoming decisions at 18 December 2020

Report title and purpose	Decision Maker and Due date	Lead officer and lead cabinet member	Directorate	Notice of decision first published / ID	Issue Type and exemptions
<p><b>Independent Living Demonstration &amp; Assessment Centre</b></p> <p>To agree for the project to spend up to the budget of £199,000.00, and to award and sign a build contract for the works, and awarding a contract for a small number of equipment items not available from the Council's equipment provider.</p> <p>The project aim is to develop an area within the Hillside building, to be used as a facility for demonstration and showcasing of equipment and adaptations, including technology, and also to support the provision of advice and Occupational Therapy assessment. The Centre will be designed to provide an environment that reflects a domestic house setting, giving a more realistic representation of how the equipment will feel and work within the customer's own home. The Centre will provide opportunities to support our operational offer and approach to the Prevention agenda, as well as providing advice and support self-funders, and also providing an outreach element to support the Care Homes run by Herefordshire Council.</p>	<p>Director of adults and communities 10 December 2020</p>	<p>Amy Swift, Senior Project Manager <a href="mailto:amyswift@herefordshire.gov.uk">amyswift@herefordshire.gov.uk</a></p> <p>Cabinet member health and adult wellbeing</p>	<p>Adults and Communities</p>	<p>28 September 2020 150035299</p>	<p><b>Non Key</b> Open</p>

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<p><b>Capital grant for homelessness hub</b>            To approve a capital grant to Citizen Housing for improvement works to enable the launch of a homelessness hub in Hereford.</p> <p>It is proposed to make a grant of capital to Citizen Housing to enable redecoration and refreshment of the accommodation at 107a Whitecross Road. The grant for works to create a homelessness hub will funded be entirely from a capital grant awarded for the purpose to the council by the Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government (MHCLG)</p> <p>The hub will launch during April 2021 and provide drop-in advice and support, eight units of emergency accommodation and four self contained flats for transition.</p>	<p>Cabinet member health and adult wellbeing            16 December 2020</p>	<p>Ewen Archibald, Head of community commissioning and resources            Ewen.Archibald@herefordshire.gov.uk            Tel: 01432 261970</p> <p>Cabinet member health and adult wellbeing</p>	<p>Adults and Communities</p>	<p>2 December 2020            I50036097</p> <p>NEW</p>	<p><b>Non Key</b>            Open            Urgent</p>

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<p><b>Hillside - Review of technological opportunities</b>            To approve funding to undertake a comprehensive review of the current technology in Hillside Care Centre, Pentwyn Avenue, Hereford and to set-out the short, medium and long term technological opportunities so that focused improvements, and appropriate solutions can be integrated into services to enhance the quality of care and life, support independence and increase safety as set out in the Herefordshire’s 2020 – 2024 County Plan below:            “Technology is another key component for promoting and supporting wellbeing, particularly for those with high levels of need. Technology can be very liberating and empowering where it can improve independence without relying on formal and often intrusive levels of care. This includes such things as prompts to take medication, voice-activated response services when crisis occurs (such as a fall), health and wellbeing apps etc. Over the coming years, we will continue to develop our technology strategies and make further investments in this important, exciting and fast moving area of service transformation.”</p>	<p>Director of adults and communities            29 January 2021</p>	<p>Davinder Johal, Senior Project Manager  <small>Davinder.Johal@herefordshire.gov.uk</small></p> <p>Cabinet member health and adult wellbeing</p>	<p>Adults and Communities</p>	<p>18 November 2020            I50035831</p>	<p><b>Non Key</b>            Open</p>
<p><b>Procurement arrangements for Disabled Facilities Grants services and supplies</b>            To agree a new procurement process through a Dynamic Purchasing System (Adaptation, Repair, Maintenance and Improvement - ARMI) operated by Independence CIC, to fulfil the requirements for supplies and services associated with the provision of Disabled Facilities Grants.</p>	<p>Director of adults and communities            29 January 2021</p>	<p>Lisa Bedford, Senior Commissioning Officer  <small>lisa.bedford@herefordshire.gov.uk</small>  <small>Tel: 01432 260943</small></p> <p>Cabinet member health and adult wellbeing</p>	<p>Adults and Communities</p>	<p>23 October 2020            I50035599</p>	<p><b>Non Key</b>            Open</p>

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<b>Recommissioning of Independent Advocacy Services</b> To recommission services for the provision of independent advocacy for adults.	Cabinet member health and adult wellbeing 3 February 2021	Amy Whiles, Refugee and asylum seeker coordinator awhiles@herefordshire.gov.uk Tel: 01432 261920  Cabinet member health and adult wellbeing	Adults and Communities	27 November 2020 I50036010  NEW	<b>KEY</b> Open

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<b>Herefordshire Market Position Statement 2020-2025 for Adults and Communities</b> To approve the Herefordshire Market Position Statement 2020-2025 for Adults and Communities.	Cabinet 28 January 2021	Laura Tyler, Head of care commissioning ltyler@herefordshire.gov.uk Tel: 01432 260641  Cabinet member health and adult wellbeing	Adults and Communities	11 March 2020 I50033612	<b>KEY</b> Open