HEREFORDSHIRE COUNCIL

CABINET BULLETIN: Issue 55

INTRODUCTION

This Cabinet Bulletin reviews the agenda for the forthcoming meeting to be held on Thursday, 25th May, 2006. A report of the items on the agenda for the meeting held on 27th April, 2006 was submitted direct to the meeting of Council held on 12th May, 2006.

Please note that all meetings of Cabinet will start at 2.00 p.m. until further notice

FORTHCOMING CABINET MEETING – 25th May, 2006

Key Decisions

The following report contains a key decision. When the decision has been made, Members of the relevant Scrutiny Committee will be sent a copy of the decision notice and given the opportunity to call-in the decision.

Item No	Title	Portfolio Responsibility	Scrutiny Committee	Included in the Forward Plan Yes/No
6	Accommodation Strategy Update	Corporate Strategy and Finance	Strategic Monitoring Committee	No

(a) **Proposed Performance Improvement Cycle** - Cabinet will be asked to approve the immediate introduction of a performance improvement cycle for the Council that integrates fully corporate, service and financial planning and performance management.

(b) **Community Forums** - Cabinet will receive a report on the April - May 2006 round of Community Forum meetings.

(c) **Herefordshire Council - Children's Services - Annual Performance Assessment by Ofsted and Commission for Social Care Inspection Self-Assessment Report and Joint Area Review Improvement - Progress Update** - Cabinet will be asked to endorse the APA self-assessment and to note the JAR improvement progress.

(d) **Accommodation Strategy Update - Cabinet will receive an exempt report asking it to approve the purchase of the existing office building at Plough Lane and adjacent car parks with an option to purchase the warehouse and part of the remote car park within two years and to approve the necessary formal budget for implementing the Accommodation Strategy.**

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