

To: Councillor Terry (Chair)
Councillors Leng, Barnett-Ward, Eden,
Emberson, Ennis, Gittings, Griffith, Nikulina,
Rowland, R Singh, Thompson, White and
Yeo

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NOTICE OF MEETING - POLICY COMMITTEE 17 DECEMBER 2025

A meeting of the Policy Committee will be held on Wednesday, 17 December 2025 at 6.30 pm in the Council Chamber, Civic Offices, Reading, RG1 2LU. The Agenda for the meeting is set out below.

1. **CHAIR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS**
2. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**
3. **MINUTES** **5 - 12**
4. **DELEGATED DECISIONS** **13 - 14**
5. **PUBLIC PETITIONS AND QUESTIONS**

To receive any petitions from the public and any questions from the public.
6. **QUESTIONS FROM COUNCILLORS**

To receive any questions from Councillors.
7. **SIMPLER RECYCLING - INTRODUCTION OF GLASS COLLECTIONS FROM KERBSIDE** **BOROUGH WIDE** **15 - 22**

This report sets out the design, mobilisation, and go live plan for introducing kerbside glass collections.
8. **READING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK** **BOROUGH WIDE** **23 - 90**

This report sets out the draft Reading Economic Development Framework 2025-35.

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| 9. | LAND & PROPERTY ASSET DISPOSAL POLICY | BOROUGH
WIDE | 91 - 128 |
| | This report seeks approval to adopt and implement a new Policy and procedure framework for the disposal of the Council's land and property assets. | | |
| 10. | HEALTH IN ALL POLICIES FRAMEWORK | BOROUGH
WIDE | 129 - 152 |
| | This report introduces the principle of a Health in All Policies approach across the Council and outlines a proposed framework and actions for embedding the approach. | | |
| 11. | 2025/26 QUARTER 2 PERFORMANCE & MONITORING REPORT | BOROUGH
WIDE | 153 - 218 |
| | The report sets out the provisional revenue and capital outturn positions for the Council's General Fund and Housing Revenue Account as at the end of Quarter 2 2025/26 as well as performance against the measures of success published in the Council Plan. | | |
| 12. | MEDIUM TERM FINANCIAL STRATEGY 2026/27- 2028/29 UPDATE | BOROUGH
WIDE | 219 - 254 |
| | This report provides an update on the development of the Council's Medium Term Financial Strategy 2026/27- 2028/29. | | |

ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION IN CLOSED SESSION

13. EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

The following motion will be moved by the Chair:

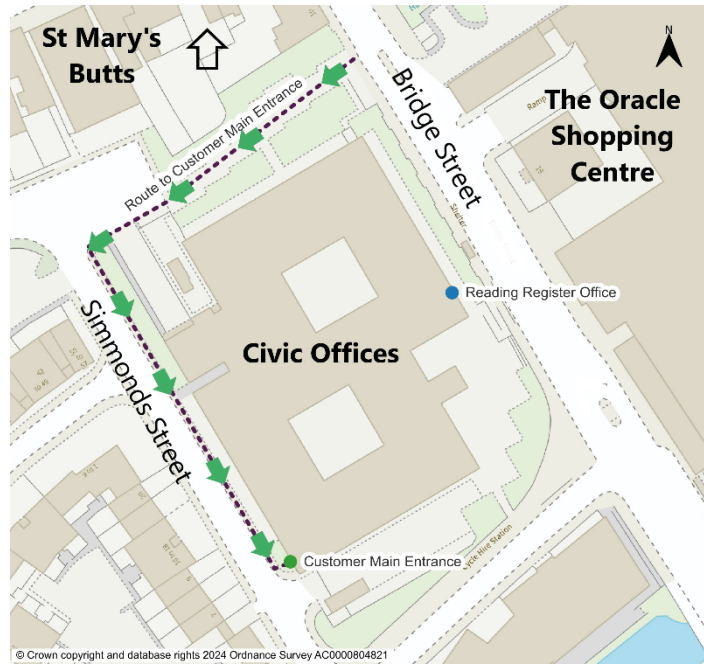
“That, pursuant to Section 100A of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) members of the press and public be excluded during consideration of the following items on the agenda, as it is likely that there would be disclosure of exempt information as defined in the relevant Paragraphs of Part 1 of Schedule 12A (as amended) of that Act”

14. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST FOR CLOSED SESSION ITEMS

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| 15. | 160 -163 FRIAR STREET READING | ABBEY | 255 - 438 |
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