

New Submission for the Forward Plan of Decisions

All proposed Key Decisions must be published on the Forward Plan for 28 days before the decision can be made.

Complete all fields and return to the relevant Cabinet Office for Cabinet Member approval.

Title of Decision	Essex County Council Communications & Marketing Framework 2: Decision to authorise a competitive tender process
Brief summary of the issue to be decided	To seek approval to commence a competitive tender process to procure suppliers to provide Essex County Council with Communications & Marketing services on a framework agreement for a period of up to four years.
Cabinet Member	Cllr Kevin Bentley
Lead Officer	Andy Allsopp, Head of Profession Communications & Marketing
Consultation (who has been or will be consulted, including the public)	Consultation has taken place with employees who use the current framework
Who will take the decision	Cllr Kevin Bentley
Date on which or period within which we expect the decision to be taken	no sooner than 28 days after publication
List of documents (submitted to the decision maker for consideration, this must include an Equality Comprehensive Impact Assessment)	CMA EQIA

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