

## Individual Member Decision Record



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Decision Maker:	Councillor Mark Crane, Leader of the Council
Lead Officer:	Janet Waggott, Chief Executive
Title of Decision:	Cancellation of Meetings due to Coronavirus (COVID-19)
Ward(s) Affected:	All
Type of Decision:	Key decision
	□Non key decision discharging (or connected to the discharge of) an Executive function
	Specific delegation from Council or Committee
	□ Grant of permission / licence
	Affecting the rights of an individual
	Awarding a contract or incurring expenditure which materially affects the financial position of the Council
	⊠ Decision under urgency
Details of decision:	To cancel all Member meetings until Friday 15 May 2020 and that consideration to be given to making decisions under the urgency process as outlined in the Council's constitution.
Reason for decision:	Government guidance issued in response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) to avoid mass gatherings and for 'at risk' people to remain at home.
Alternative options considered and rejected:	Due to the guidance issued by the Government, having regular meetings would place people at risk.

Member Interests: (Name of any Member who has declared a conflict of interest in relation to the decision and details of any dispensation granted by the Head of Paid Service if appropriate)	None.
Legal, Financial or other implications:	Decisions will be made through the urgency process as outlined in the Council's constitution.
Background papers:	None.
Contact details for further information:	Janet Waggott, Chief Executive
Signed:	Signature redacted
	Councillor Mark Crane, Leader of the Council
Date of Decision:	23 March 2020