



**South Tyneside Council**

## Key Decision List

This front sheet lists the key decisions planned to be taken by the Council over the next four-month period. Further details in relation to these decisions are contained in the separate sheets, which are attached to the front sheet.

**April 2014- July 2014**

<b>Directorate</b>	<b>April</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>June</b>	<b>July</b>
<b>Children, Adults and Families</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Children and Families Plan and Early Help Strategy</li></ul>			
<b>Business and Resources</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Community Safety Partnership Plan 2014-17</li><li>• Changes to Procurement Policy</li><li>• Discretionary Rate Relief Policy</li></ul>			
<b>Economic Regeneration</b>				
<b>Strategy and Performance</b>				

**Cllr Iain Malcolm (Leader of the Council) 6 March 2014**

**Key Decision Sheet**  
**Title of Report**

**Children & Families Plan and Early Help Strategy**

<b>Who is responsible for taking the decision</b>	<b>Cabinet – Councillors Iain Malcolm; Alan Kerr; Joan Atkinson; Michael Clare; Tracey Dixon; Fay Cunningham, James Foreman; Edward Malcolm and Allan West.</b>
<b>Type of Decision</b>	<b>Key decision</b>
<b>When will the decision be taken</b>	<b>23<sup>rd</sup> April 2014</b>
<b>Purpose of the report</b>	To seek final approval of the 2014-17 Children and Families Strategic Plan and Child Poverty Strategy for the borough
<b>Documents to be submitted to the decision maker</b>	<b>Children &amp; Families Plan and Early Help Strategy</b>
<b>Will the meeting be open to the public or private, and if private for what reason(s)</b>	Open to the public
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**Community Safety Partnership Plan 2014-2017**

<b>Who is responsible for taking the decision</b>	<b>Council</b>
<b>Type of Decision</b>	<b>Key decision</b>
<b>When will the decision be taken</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup> April 2014</b>
<b>Purpose of the report</b>	<b>To improve community safety through a multi agency plan that identifies key priorities and actions.</b>
<b>Documents to be submitted to the decision maker</b>	<b>Community Safety Partnership Plan 2014-2017</b>
<b>Will the meeting be open to the public or private, and if private for what reason(s)</b>	<b><i>Open to the public</i></b>
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**Changes to Procurement Policy**

<b>Who is responsible for taking the decision</b>	<b>Cabinet</b> (Cllr Iain Malcolm, Cllr Alan Kerr, Cllr Joan Atkinson, Cllr Michael Clare, Cllr Tracey Dixon, Cllr Jim Foreman, Cllr Emma Lewell-Buck, Cllr Ed Malcolm, Cllr Alan West)
<b>Type of Decision</b>	<b>Key decision</b>
<b>When will the decision be taken</b>	<b>23<sup>rd</sup> April 2014</b>
<b>Purpose of the report</b>	To amend the pre qualification questionnaire for tender exercises to identify any issues with supplier practices on blacklisting employees
<b>Documents to be submitted to the decision maker</b>	<b>Changes to Procurement Policy</b>
<b>Will the meeting be open to the public or private, and if private for what reason(s)</b>	<b><i>Private – exempt report</i></b>  This report is not for publication for the following reasons: <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. It contains “exempt” information which falls within paragraph 3 of part 1 of schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972</li><li>2. It has been determined that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information because of the potential damage to the commercial interests of the persons named in the report if the information was published.</li></ol>
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**Discretionary Rate Relief Policy**

<b>Who is responsible for taking the decision</b>	<b>Cabinet</b> (Cllr Iain Malcolm, Cllr Alan Kerr, Cllr Joan Atkinson, Cllr Michael Clare, Cllr Tracey Dixon, Cllr Jim Foreman, Cllr Emma Lewell-Buck, Cllr Ed Malcolm, Cllr Alan West)
<b>Type of Decision</b>	<b>Key decision</b>
<b>When will the decision be taken</b>	<b>23<sup>rd</sup> April 2014</b>
<b>Purpose of the report</b>	<b>To amend the policy to take account of recent changes to Government legislation</b>
<b>Documents to be submitted to the decision maker</b>	<b>Discretionary Rate Relief Policy</b>
<b>Will the meeting be open to the public or private, and if private for what reason(s)</b>	<b><i>Open to the Public</i></b>
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