Council - 23 May 2022

Members appointed to Executive – Portfolio Responsibilities including Council Plan Vision and Outcomes Leads 2022/23-25

The Council has 5 Corporate Priorities – Economic Growth, People, Internal Focus, Children and Communities. These are underpinned by 10 Outcomes.

The Leader oversees the Council Plan Vision and each Portfolio Holder has been designated as Lead for at least one Outcome (shown in italics). It is recognised however, that each of the outcomes are cross-cutting in nature and therefore linkages will be made with all portfolios to deliver these outcomes.

Description of portfolio	Names of portfolio holder
Leader of the Council Council Plan Vision: Inequalities are reduced and all potential is maximised. Together we are committed to developing a healthier, cleaner and safer Walsall and creating an environment that provides opportunities for all residents, communities and businesses to fulfil their potential and thrive.	CIIr Mike Bird
Overall responsibility for Council strategy, the Council Plan, Proud Way of Working, communications and public relations, emergency planning, government relations and liaison with local MPs and West Midlands leaders. West Midlands Combined Authority, Association of Black Country Authorities and Black Country Joint Committee. Transformation and digital (incl. Information Governance). Financial vision and strategy. Finance including payroll and pensions, insurance, risk management, financial reporting, policy led budgeting and MTFO. Financial Regulations, Audit, Counter Fraud and Corruption, Treasury Management, financial systems, external funding Legal and Democratic Services, Performance. Member Development. Governance, Business Insights (intelligence), Policy and Strategy Unit.	
Deputy Leader and Regeneration Supporting a dynamic, resilient and diverse economy where businesses invest and everyone has the right jobs and the right housing in the right place. Statutory Deputy Leader as required by Schedule A1 of	Cllr Adrian Andrew
Local Government Act 2000	

Black Country Consortium, sub regional regeneration issues. Town and district centres, planning policy and local development framework. Strategic housing role. Traffic and transportation, car parks, strategic transport	
and highways. Business liaison. Programme Delivery.	
Deputy Leader and Resilient Communities	Clir Garry Perry
Children and young people grow up in connected communities and feel safe everywhere	
Our communities will be more resilient and supportive of each other	
Oversight role for all Cabinet portfolios;	
Resilient Communities including Locality co-ordination, community development, engagement and consultation, community associations, voluntary and community sectors, Community Safety, community cohesion, Safer Walsall Partnership, public protection. Leisure and culture services including the New Art Gallery, libraries, sports and museums. Cemeteries and crematoria.	
Education and Skills	Cllr Mark Statham
Education, training and skills enable people to contribute to their community and our economy	
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Clean and Green	Councillor Kerry Murphy
The people of Walsall feel safe in a cleaner, greener Borough	
Gateways and corridors, pollution control, waste strategy, refuse collection, recycling, street cleaning, parks (maintenance) and the Council's vehicle fleet.	
Children's	Cllr Tim Wilson
Children and young people thrive emotionally, physical, mentally and feel they are achieving their potential	
Statutory role as Lead Member for Children's Services	
Services for children in need of help and protection, children looked after and care leavers, early help, involvement of children and young people, transition arrangements between Children's and Adult Social Care and Walsall children's Safeguarding board, Chair of Corporate Parenting Board	
Customer	Cllr Gaz Ali
The Council will deliver trusted, customer focused, and enabling services which are recognised by customers and our partners for the value they bring	
Customer Experience Centre, Customer Access Management, Revenues and Benefits, Housing and Welfare, Housing Standards and Improvement, Migrant Support	
Internal Services	Cllr Ken Ferguson
We get things right, first time and make all services accessible and easy to use.	
HR, Organisation Development. Learning and development, workforce equalities, procurement, Corporate Landlord including facilities and general asset management, catering, cleaning, caretaking. Admin and Business Support. Workforce.	
Health and Wellbeing	Cllr Gary Flint
People are supported to maintain or improve their health, wellbeing and quality of life	
Public Health functions and activities including commissioning services that affect the long term health	

of residents. Health protection for local outbreak management, infection prevention and control, immunisation. Healthy Spaces. Mental and emotional wellbeing.	
Chair of Health & Wellbeing Board.	