

# Cabinet



SOUTH  
KESTEVEN  
DISTRICT  
COUNCIL



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Tuesday, 5 December 2023 at 2.00 pm  
Council Chamber - South Kesteven House, St. Peter's  
Hill, Grantham. NG31 6PZ

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**Cabinet Members:** Councillor Richard Cleaver, The Leader of the Council (Chairman)  
Councillor Ashley Baxter, Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Finance and Economic Development (Vice-Chairman)

Councillor Rhys Baker, Cabinet Member for Environment and Waste (jobshare)  
Councillor Phil Dilks, Cabinet Member for Housing and Planning  
Councillor Patsy Ellis, Cabinet Member for Environment and Waste (jobshare)  
Councillor Philip Knowles, Cabinet Member for Corporate Governance and Licensing  
Councillor Rhea Rayside, Cabinet Member for People and Communities  
Councillor Paul Stokes, Cabinet Member for Leisure and Culture

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## Agenda

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1. **Apologies for absence**
2. **Minutes of the previous meeting** (Pages 3 - 14)  
Minutes of the meeting held on 7 November 2023.
3. **Disclosure of Interests**

## **Items for recommendation to Council**

- 4. Council Tax Base 2024/2025** (Pages 15 - 20)  
To recommend to Full Council the Council Tax Base for the financial year 2024/25.
- 5. Localised Council Tax Support Scheme 2024/25** (To Follow)  
This report reviews the Council's Localised Council Tax Support Scheme in advance of the 2024/25 financial year, as well as making proposals and recommendations to Full Council made in relation to the Council Tax exemption for care leavers, Council Tax discount for Special Constables and the outcome of the public consultation.

## **Items for Cabinet Decision: Non-Key**

- 6. Safer Streets Funding** (Pages 21 - 28)  
To accept the Safer Streets (Round 5) funding allocated via the Police and Crime Commissioner for Lincolnshire following a bid submitted by South Kesteven District Council.
- 7. Finance Update Report: April - September 2023** (Pages 29 - 53)  
To present the Council's forecast 2023/24 financial position as at end of September 2023. The report covers the following areas:
- General Fund Revenue Budget
  - Housing Revenue Account Budget
  - Capital Programmes – General Fund and Housing Revenue Account
  - Reserves overview – General Fund and Housing Revenue Account

## **Items for information**

- 8. Cabinet's Forward Plan** (Pages 55 - 61)  
This report highlights matters on the Cabinet's Forward Plan.