

Finance and Economic Overview and Scrutiny Committee



SOUTH
KESTEVEN
DISTRICT
COUNCIL

Thursday, 24 July 2025 at 2.00 pm
Council Chamber – South Kesteven House,
St. Peter's Hill, Grantham, NG31 6PZ

Committee Members: Councillor Bridget Ley (Chairman)
Councillor Gareth Knight (Vice-Chairman)

Councillor Graham Jeal, Councillor Gloria Johnson, Councillor Max Sawyer,
Councillor Ian Selby, Councillor Lee Steptoe, Councillor Murray Turner and
Councillor Mark Whittington

Agenda

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1. **Public Speaking**
The Council welcomes engagement from members of the public. To speak at this meeting please register no later than 24 hours prior to the date of the meeting via democracy@southkesteven.gov.uk
2. **Apologies for Absence**
3. **Disclosure of Interests**
Members are asked to disclose any interests in matters for consideration at the meeting.
4. **Minutes from the previous meeting** (Pages 3 - 14)
To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 13 May 2025.

5. **Updates from previous meeting** (Page 15)
6. **Announcements or updates from the Leader of the Council, Cabinet Members or the Head of Paid Service**
7. **Turnpike Depot Update - July 2025** (Pages 17 - 21)

This report provides an update on the construction of the new Waste Depot at Turnpike Close, Grantham.
8. **Grantham Future High Street Fund Programme Update** (Pages 23 - 42)

To provide the Finance and Economic Overview and Scrutiny Committee with an update on the delivery of the Grantham Future High Street Fund.
9. **General Fund Provisional Outturn** (Pages 43 - 63)

To provide details of the General Fund provisional outturn position for the Financial Year 2024/25. The report covers the following areas Revenue Budget, Capital Programmes and Reserves Overview.
10. **Housing Revenue Account Provisional Outturn Report 2024/25** (Pages 65 - 76)

This report provides details of the Housing Revenue Account (HRA) outturn position for the financial year 2024/25. The report covers the Revenue Budget, Capital Programmes and Reserves overview.
11. **Local Council Tax Support Scheme Proposals 2026/27** (Pages 77 - 86)

This report outlines the Council's proposed Local Council Tax Support Scheme for 2026/27 ahead of public consultation.
12. **Discretionary Council Tax Payment Policy 2026/27** (Pages 87 - 100)

This report provides an update on Discretionary Council Tax Payment (DCTP) expenditure and reviews the scheme in advance of the 2026/27 financial year, seeking comments from this Committee regarding the scheme for public consultation.
13. **Discretionary Housing Payment Policy 2026/27** (Pages 101 - 117)

This report provides an update on Discretionary Housing Payment (DHP) expenditure and reviews the scheme in advance of the 2026/27 financial year, seeking comments from this Committee regarding the scheme for public consultation.
14. **Corporate Plan 2024-27: Key Performance Indicators Report - End-Year (Q4) 2024/25** (Pages 119 - 128)

To present the Council's performance against the Corporate Plan 2024-27 Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) for quarter 4 2024/25.
15. **Work Programme 2025/26** (Pages 129 - 132)
16. **Any other business, which the Chairman, by reason of special circumstance decides is urgent**