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DECEMBER 2025													
26	Biannual Performance Report	Cabinet will receive its biannual report performance report for the current year, looking back on how the Council is delivering on key service metrics and the Council Strategy - and looking ahead at planned actions.	N/A		23 December				Cllr Eddie Lavery / All Cabinet Members	All	Ian Kavanagh	Matthew Wallbridge	Public
34	Consideration of setting a licensed deficit budget for any schools in the Borough	A standard report each year, where Cabinet may consider whether it is required to set any licensed deficit budget for any schools that have applied.	N/A		23 December				Cllr Susan O'Brien - Children, Families & Education / Cllr Eddie Lavery - Finance & Transformation	Children, Families & Education	Luisa Hansen	Steve Muldoon / Julie Kelly	Public
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SI	2026/27 Budget and Future Medium-Term Financial Strategy (BUDGET FRAMEWORK)	This report will set out the Medium Term Financial Strategy (MTFS), which includes the draft General Fund reserve budget and capital programme for 2026/27 for consultation, along with indicative projections for the following four years. This will also include the HRA rents for consideration and may include Council Tax Reduction Scheme proposals. Cabinet may also consider the outcome of consultation on proposed mid-year changes to fees and charges.	All		23 December			26 February 2026 - adoption	Cllr Eddie Lavery - Finance & Transformation	All	Andy Goodwin	Steve Muldoon	Public
92	Care Strategy for Children and Care Experienced Young People	The Cabinet Member will consider approval of a strategy for improving outcomes for children in care and care experienced young people in Hillingdon. It will set out the Council's statutory responsibilities, local priorities, and proposed actions to strengthen support, stability, and transition pathways, demonstrating the Council's commitment to providing the highest level of care, support, and opportunities for young individuals who have experienced the care system.	N/A			December			Cllr Susan O'Brien - Children, Families & Education	Children, Families & Education	Poppy Reddy	Julie Kelly	Public
47	Pathways for Young People	Cabinet Members will consider procurement decisions regarding existing arrangements for Staying Close and Supported Accommodation Provision for young people.	N/A			December			Cllr Susan O'Brien - Children, Families & Education	Children, Families & Education	Alex Coman / Sally Offin	Julie Kelly	Private (3)
JANUARY 2026													
103	Provision of Vouchers including Food and Essential Goods Support Scheme	Cabinet will be asked to consider the award of a contract to continue the provision of vouchers (including food and essential goods) designed to support low-income households and eligible households within Hillingdon, which is fully Government funded.	N/A	NEW ITEM	15 January				Cllr Susan O'Brien - Children, Families & Education	Children, Families & Education	Tracie Bushell / Allison Mayo	Dan Kennedy	Private (3)

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102	Consultation on lowering the age range of Whiteheath Infant School	This relates to a decision on whether to approve the proposal that the age range of Whiteheath Infant School can be lowered, so that they are able to offer places for two year olds. Should there be no representations, this matter can be determined by the Cabinet Member instead.	Ruislip		15 January				Cllr Susan O'Brien - Children, Families & Education	Children, Families & Education	Kathryn Angelini / Philip Ryan	Julie Kelly	Public
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SI	Reports from Select Committees	Reports, findings and recommendations for consideration by the Cabinet, when referred from the appropriate Committee.	All		15 January				TBC	TBC	Democratic Services		Public
84	Local Development Scheme	The Council is required to update its Local Development Scheme (LDS). A LDS is required under section 15 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004. This must specify the development plan documents (incl. Local Plan) which, when prepared, will comprise part of the development plan for the area. Full Council will receive an updated plan for consideration after Cabinet's recommendation.	All		15 January			22 January 2026	Cllr Steve Tuckwell - Planning, Housing & Growth	N/A	Gavin Polkinghorne	Dan Kennedy	Public
SI	Audit Committee Annual Report	The Audit Committee is required to submit an annual report to Council outlining the Committee's activities over the previous year. This report summarises the work of the Audit Committee and how it has undertaken its responsibilities in respect of: Internal Audit, External Audit, Counter Fraud, Risk Management and the Financial reporting process of the Statement of Accounts.	N/A					22 January 2026	N/A	N/A	Democratic Services / Claire Baker	Steve Muldoon	Public

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SI	Programme of Meetings for the next Municipal Year	Each year the full Council agrees the programme of meetings for the ensuing Municipal Year, setting out the dates and times of Council, Cabinet and Committee meetings.	N/A					22 January 2026	N/A	N/A	Lloyd White		Public
SI	Council Tax-Base and Business Rates Forecast 2026/27	This report sets out the proposed Council Taxbase and Business Rates Forecast for the forthcoming financial year and in accordance with the legislation for approval by the full Council. The Council is required to calculate both its Council Taxbase as at 30 November 2023 and the Business Rates forecast for the forthcoming year by the end of January.	All					22 January 2026	NA	N/A	Andy Goodwin	Steve Muldoon	Public
FEBRUARY 2026													
108	Outcomes of the proposal to reduce the Published Admissions Number of Field End Infant School	Cabinet will receive a report to determine whether to approve the proposal to reduce the Published Admissions Number (PAN) for Field End Infant School from 90 (three-form entry) to 60 (two-form entry), in order to better align with local demand. Cabinet will also be updated on consultations of non-community Schools, including Field End Junior School's own consultation as an academy, regarding their proposal to reduce PAN from 90 to 60, for September 2027. If there are no objections to this proposal, the Cabinet Member instead may determine this under delegated authority.	South Ruislip	NEW ITEM	19 February				Cllr Susan O'Brien - Children, Families & Education	Children, Families & Education	James Rogers / Abi Preston	Julie Kelly	Public
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93	Stronger Families / Family Help Strategy	The Cabinet Member will consider a strategy which aligns with national reforms and aims to enhance operational effectiveness, modernise practices, and ensure the service remains responsive to the needs of children and families across the borough. A significant part of this transformation is the redesign of the Stronger Families Early Help service, driven by the introduction of the Family Help model. This model promotes early and effective intervention, seamless multi-agency collaboration, empowerment of families, improved access to support services, and a child-centred approach.	N/A			February			Cllr Susan O'Brien - Children, Families & Education	Children, Families & Education	Antony Madden / Vali Danciu	Julie Kelly	
23	Biannual Performance Report	Following Cabinet's recommendation, Council will receive for information, the Council's annual report performance report which will have also been scrutinised by select committees.	N/A					26 February 2026	Cllr Eddie Lavery / All Cabinet Members	All	Ian Kavanagh	Matthew Wallbridge	Public
SI	Members' Allowances 2026/27	The Council is required to undertake an annual re-adoption of its Allowances Scheme and, in doing so give due regard to the recommendations made by the report of the Independent Panel on the Remuneration of Councillors in London.	All					26 February 2026	N/A	N/A	Lloyd White		Public
MARCH 2026													
SI	Public Preview of matters to be considered in private	A report to Cabinet to provide maximum transparency to residents on the private and confidential matters to be considered later in Part 2 of the Cabinet meeting and agenda.	TBC		19 March				TBC	TBC	Democratic Services		Public

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APRIL 2026													
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SI	Reports from Select Committees	Reports, findings and recommendations for consideration by the Cabinet, when referred from the appropriate Committee.	All		23 April				TBC	TBC	Democratic Services		Public
SI	School Organisation Plan annual update	The School Organisation Plan, originally approved by Cabinet in 2024, sets out how the London Borough of Hillingdon in accordance with its statutory duty, seeks to ensure there are sufficient primary. The Cabinet Member will consider the annual update to the Plan.	N/A			April			Cllr Susan O'Brien - Children, Families & Education	Children, Families & Education	Nav Minas / Abi Preston	Julie Kelly	Public
SI	Standards and quality of education in Hillingdon during 2024/25	The Cabinet Member will receive the Annual Report regarding children and young people's educational performance across Hillingdon schools, for publication.	N/A			April			Cllr Susan O'Brien - Children, Families & Education	Children, Families & Education	Abi Preston / Michael Hawkins	Julie Kelly	Public
BOROUGH LOCAL ELECTIONS - 7 MAY 2026													
Schedule of Individual Cabinet Member Decisions that may be taken each month (standard items non key-decisions)													
SI	Urgent Cabinet-level decisions & interim decision-making (including emergency decisions)	The Leader of the Council has the necessary authority to make decisions that would otherwise be reserved to the Cabinet, in the absence of a Cabinet meeting or in urgent circumstances. Any such decisions will be published in the usual way and reported to a subsequent Cabinet meeting for ratification. The Leader may also take emergency decisions without notice, in particular in relation to the COVID-19 pandemic, which will be ratified at a later Cabinet meeting.	Various			Cabinet Member Decision - date TBC			Cllr Ian Edwards - Leader of the Council	TBC	TBC		Public / Private

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SI	School Governing Bodies, Instruments of Government and Governors / Authorising Academy Appointments	To approve appointments, nominate appointments and make reappointments of local authority governors and to approve any changes to school governing body constitutions. To also authorise any Member to be a Governor or Director of an Academy.	N/A			Cabinet Member Decision - date TBC			Cllr Susan O'Brien - Children, Families & Education	Children, Families & Education	Helen Boundy		Public
SI	Release of Capital Funds	The release of all capital monies requires formal Member approval, unless otherwise determined either by the Cabinet or the Leader. Batches of monthly reports (as well as occasional individual reports) to determine the release of capital for any schemes already agreed in the capital budget and previously approved by Cabinet or Cabinet Members	TBC			Cabinet Member Decision - date TBC			Cllr Eddie Lavery - Finance & Transformation (in conjunction with relevant Cabinet Member)	All - TBC by decision made	various		Public but some Private (1,2,3)
SI	Petitions about matters under the control of the Cabinet	Cabinet Members will consider a number of petitions received by local residents and organisations and decide on future action. These will be arranged as Petition Hearings.	TBC			Cabinet Member Decision - date TBC			All	TBC	Democratic Services		Public
SI	To approve compensation payments	To approve compensation payments in relation to any complaint to the Council in excess of £1000.	n/a			Cabinet Member Decision - date TBC			All	TBC	various		Private (1,2,3)
SI	Acceptance of Tenders	To accept quotations, tenders, contract extensions and contract variations valued between £50k and £500k in their Portfolio Area where funding is previously included in Council budgets.	n/a			Cabinet Member Decision - date TBC			Cllr Ian Edwards - Leader of the Council OR Cllr Eddie Lavery - Finance & Transformation / in conjunction with relevant Cabinet Member	TBC	various		Private (3)

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SI	All Delegated Decisions by Cabinet to Cabinet Members, including tender and property decisions	Where previously delegated by Cabinet, to make any necessary decisions, accept tenders, bids and authorise property decisions / transactions in accordance with the Procurement and Contract Standing Orders.	TBC			Cabinet Member Decision - date TBC			All	TBC	various		Public / Private (1,2,3)
SI	School Redundancy Payments	To consider requests for School Redundancy Payments and decide whether to approve them on behalf of the Local Authority	TBC			Cabinet Member Decision - date TBC			Cllr Susan O'Brien - Children, Families & Education	Children, Families & Education	Abi Preston		Private (1,3,4)
SI	External funding bids	To authorise the making of bids for external funding where there is no requirement for a financial commitment from the Council.	n/a			Cabinet Member Decision - date TBC			All	TBC	various		Public
SI	Response to key consultations that may impact upon the Borough	A standard item to capture any emerging consultations from Government, the GLA or other public bodies and institutions that will impact upon the Borough. Where the deadline to respond cannot be met by the date of the Cabinet meeting, the Constitution allows the Cabinet Member to sign-off the response.	TBC			Cabinet Member Decision - date TBC			All	TBC	various		Public
SI = Standard Item that may be considered each month/regularly													

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