

THE WEST MERCIA ENERGY JOINT COMMITTEE FORWARD PLAN

This Notice, known as the West Mercia Energy Joint Committee Forward Plan, sets out the Decisions, including Key Decisions, which are likely to be taken during the period covered by the Plan by the Committee. The Plan is updated at least 28 clear days before a key decision is to be taken and is available from Council Offices and on the Council's Internet site (www.shropshire.gov.uk). This edition supersedes all previous editions.

Further Information:

The West Mercia Energy Joint Committee is a Local Purchasing Organisation jointly owned by Shropshire Council, Herefordshire Council, Borough of Telford & Wrekin Council and Worcestershire County Council.

The Joint Committee is comprised of the following members: Cllr Peter Stoddart, Cllr Graham Biggs, Cllr Roger Evans, Cllr Rob Wilson, Cllr Ollie Vickers, Cllr Zona Hannington, Cllr Ian Cresswell and Cllr Rob Wharton. To view more details, please click on the following link: [Committee details - West Mercia Energy Joint Committee — Shropshire Council](#)

A Key Decision is one which is likely to result in income, expenditure or savings of £500,000 or greater, or to have a significant effect, on, two or more Electoral Divisions.

Members of the public are welcome to attend meetings of the Joint Committee and ask a question and/or make a statement in accordance with the Committee Procedure Rules. If you would like further details please email shelley.davies@shropshire.gov.uk or telephone 01743 257718.

All Executive including individual member decisions (except in extreme urgency) are subject to call-in and Scrutiny.

Documents submitted for decision will be a formal report, which if public, will be available on this website at least 5 clear working days before the date the decision can be made. If you would like to request such a document, please email shelley.davies@shropshire.gov.uk or telephone 01743 257718.

Documents shown are listed at Shropshire Council, The Guildhall, Frankwell Quay, Shrewsbury, SY3 8HQ.

WEST MERCIA ENERGY JOINT COMMITTEE FORWARD PLAN FOR 1 MARCH 2026 ONWARDS

DECISION MAKER - Forward Plan - West Mercia Joint Committee - March 2026 Onwards

| Date of Meeting | Purpose and Report title | Key Decision | Portfolio Holder | Report Exempt / confidential | Contact for further information re documents / report to be submitted to decision maker | Date Uploaded onto Plan |
|-----------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 27 March 2026 | Supplier contracts | No | Peter Stoddart | Open | Nigel Evans, Director West Mercia Energy nevans@westmerciaenergy.co.uk | |
| 27 March 2026 | External Audit Plan 2025/26 | No | Peter Stoddart | Open | Jo Pugh, Head of Finance & Billing, West Mercia Energy jpugh@westmerciaenergy.co.uk | |
| 27 March 2026 | Internal Audit Performance Reports 2025/26 | No | Portfolio Holder for Children and Education, Peter Stoddart | Open | Barry Hanson barry.hanson@shropshire.gov.uk | |
| 27 March 2026 | Internal Audit Annual Report 2025/26 | No | Peter Stoddart | Open | Barry Hanson barry.hanson@shropshire.gov.uk | |
| 27 March 2026 | Internal Audit Strategic Plan 2026/27 | No | Peter Stoddart | Open | Barry Hanson barry.hanson@shropshire.gov.uk | |
| 27 March 2026 | Anti-Slavery and Human Trafficking Statement 2025/26 | No | Peter Stoddart | Open | Nigel Evans, Director West Mercia Energy nevans@westmerciaenergy.co.uk | |

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| 27 March 2026 | Risk Management Update | No | Peter Stoddart | Open | Nigel Evans, Director West Mercia Energy nevans@westmerciaenergy.co.uk | |
| 27 March 2026 | Annual Business Plan and Budget 2026/27 including review of 2025/26 | Yes | Peter Stoddart | Exempt | Nigel Evans, Director West Mercia Energy nevans@westmerciaenergy.co.uk | |
| 27 March 2026 | Energy Governance, Accountability, Risk and Reporting Policy | No | Peter Stoddart | Exempt | Nigel Evans, Director West Mercia Energy nevans@westmerciaenergy.co.uk | |

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