

WYRE FOREST DISTRICT COUNCIL

CABINET
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Best Value Performance Plan 2008

OPEN	
COMMUNITY STRATEGY THEME	Internal
CORPORATE PLAN THEME:	Improving Corporacy and Performance
KEY PRIORITY:	Organisational Performance
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APPENDICES	Best Value Performance Plan 2008

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 To approve the Council's Best Value Performance Plan (BVPP) for 2008.

2. RECOMMENDATION

The Cabinet is asked to RECOMMEND to Council that:

- 2.1 The Best Value Performance Plan for 2008 be approved.

3. BACKGROUND

- 3.1 The Local Government Act 1999 required Councils to produce and publish an annual Best Value Performance Plan (BVPP) by 30 June.
- 3.2 This requirement ceased with the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007, but there is still a requirement to report the results of the 2007/08 Best Value Performance Indicators (BVPIs). The BVPIs have been replaced with a new set of 198 national indicators, the results for which will be reported in 2009.
- 3.3 Best Value authorities are therefore required to compile a streamlined final BVPP by 30 June 2008. The contents are restricted to:
- a. the reporting of authorities' outturn performance against the 2007/08 BVPIs; and
 - b. certification that individual contracts entered into in 2007/08, which involve a transfer of staff, comply with the requirements of the Code of Practice on Workforce matters in Local Authority Service Contracts.

4. KEY ISSUES

4.1 The BVPP is attached as an Appendix to this report.

5. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

5.1 There are no direct financial implications arising from this report.

6. LEGAL AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS

6.1 The BVPP is a statutory requirement for Best Value authorities.

7. CONSULTEES

7.1 Cabinet & Corporate Management Team

8. BACKGROUND PAPERS

8.1 Local Government Act 1999

8.2 Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007