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190.20	Deputy Leader (Environment and Housing)	To approve the demolition of the public conveniences at Whitehall Close, Kingstone	In 2012, due to very low usage figures, the Council took a decision to close the public conveniences at Whitehall Close, Kingstone. They have remained closed since this date and the building structure, whilst structurally sound, has slowly dilapidated. In March 2020, the Council received a letter from Kingston Parish Council requesting that the toilet block be demolished. Following a Parish consultation, they stated that the toilets "served no purpose to the parish or the wider community". They also raised concerns about the appearance of the building and its negative impact on the local environment.	No	No	16/10/2020

192.20	Leader of the Council	To approve the criteria for the Council's Test and Trace Support Payments Discretionary Scheme.	Test and Trace Support Payments were announced by the Government on 20th September 2020 as a response to the Covid-19 pandemic. With effect from 28th September 2020 there is a legal requirement for Local Authorities (LAs) to make lump sum payments of £500 to individuals who meet relevant criteria. There are two schemes: the Standard 'Main' Scheme and a Discretionary Scheme. The Government has issued guidance stating the criteria for each scheme, and have allowed LAs to add other criteria to their Discretionary Scheme. The Government has allocated funding to each LA and the initial allocation for East Staffordshire is £48,500 for the Standard 'Main' Scheme, although this is subject to reconciliation based on demand and £29,264.14 for the Discretionary Scheme, which is a fixed amount. Main points of both schemes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applications to be made by an online application, with an alternative system for non-digital users. • Payments to be issued within 3 working days of the successful application being verified for payment. • Eligibility effective from 28th September 2020. • LAs should have arrangements to administer payments by 12th October 2020. • Scheme due to close 31st January 2021. Standard 'Main' Scheme criteria: Eligibility for a £500 Test and Trace Support Payment is restricted to people who: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. have been told to stay at home and self-isolate by NHS Test and Trace, either because they have tested positive for coronavirus or have recently been in close contact with someone who has tested positive; 2. are employed or self-employed; 3. are unable to work from home and will lose income as a result; and 4. are currently receiving Universal Credit, Working Tax Credit, 	No	No	09/10/2020
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238.20	Deputy Leader (Regeneration and Planning Policy)	To release the money from a S106 contribution to Yoxall Parish Council for a pathway which has been built at Goose Green, a community recreational site owned and managed by Yoxall Parish Council. The S106 agreement includes a clause relating to the National Forest solely for to the provision of landscaping and or the planting of trees within the forest area. National Forest are in agreement that the S106 monies can be spent towards this landscaping project. All monies have been provided by the relevant developer to the Borough Council, Totalling £8335.00 and is to be used as a contribution towards the cost of the project.	The public open space is owned and managed by the Parish Council for informal recreation. However due to its location the site is often very wet which limits peoples use. The path provided by the monies will improve the overall site and allow more people to visit and use the site for recreational purposes.	No	No	26/10/2020
241.20	Deputy Leader (Regeneration and Planning Policy)	To adopt the Parking SPD and the Brewery Building Conservation Design Guidance SPD	The adoption of the revised Parking Standards SPD will meet the corporate plan objective 'New and Refreshing Planning Policies' under Corporate Target CR19 (Revise and adopt Car Parking SPD by October 2020). The adoption of the revised Brewery Building Conversion Design Guidance SPD will meet the corporate plan objective 'New and Refreshing Planning Policies' under Corporate Target CR16 (Finalise and adopt Brewery Building Conversion Design Guidance SPD by October 2020). Providing clear guidance for applicants will meet the value for money and community regeneration corporate priorities.	No	No	29/10/2020

243.20	Deputy Leader (Leisure, Culture and Tourism)	Introduction of a Memorial bench leasing scheme at Stapenhill & Rolleston Cemetery.	There have been a number of requests for memorial benches in the Cemeteries at Stapenhill and Rolleston. Previously, families have been allowed to purchase benches, but these have been left for the Council to maintain, which has proven costly. In addition, as these benches were in the ownership of a particular family the Council have been unable to remove them. Under this new scheme, the Council will purchase the benches to give uniformity to the designs and enable maintenance to take place and/or removal if required. Furthermore, this approach enables the council to select bench locations to ensure they are in the best available position. Families will lease a plaque on the bench and the bench will be designated 'their bench' for 5 years. At the end of that period they can renew or alternatively it can be offered to another family. The cost of this scheme is £100 per annum (£500 or 5 years). Introducing the scheme will also enable the Cemetery to replace benches throughout the estate, some of which have been removed due to damage and/or age. Memorial trees will work as above, but families will have the option of having a plaque next to a tree. This is anticipated to cost £250 for 5 years.	No	No	20/10/2020
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