

## ***Delegated Decisions by Cabinet Member for Police & Policy Co-ordination***

***Tuesday, 3 January 2012 at 10.00 am  
County Hall, New Road, Oxford***

### ***Items for Decision***

The items for decision under individual Cabinet Members' delegated powers are listed overleaf, with indicative timings, and the related reports are attached. Decisions taken will become effective at the end of the working day on Wednesday 11 January 2012 unless called in by that date for review by the appropriate Scrutiny Committee.

Copies of the reports are circulated (by e-mail) to all members of the County Council.

**These proceedings are open to the public**



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**Note:** *Date of next meeting: 17 April 2012*

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## Items for Decision

1. **Declarations of Interest**
2. **Questions from County Councillors**

Any county councillor may, by giving notice to the Proper Officer by 9 am two working days before the meeting, ask a question on any matter in respect of the Cabinet Member's delegated powers.

The number of questions which may be asked by any councillor at any one meeting is limited to two (or one question with notice and a supplementary question at the meeting) and the time for questions will be limited to 30 minutes in total. As with questions at Council, any questions which remain unanswered at the end of this item will receive a written response.

Questions submitted prior to the agenda being despatched are shown below and will be the subject of a response from the appropriate Cabinet Member or such other councillor or officer as is determined by the Cabinet Member, and shall not be the subject of further debate at this meeting. Questions received after the despatch of the agenda, but before the deadline, will be shown on the Schedule of Addenda circulated at the meeting, together with any written response which is available at that time.

3. **Petitions and Public Address**
4. **Big Society Fund - Extreme Weather Response**

*Forward Plan Ref:* 2011/218

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Report by Senior Performance & Improvement Manager (**CMDPPC4**).

In February 2011 Oxfordshire County Council launched the Big Society Fund. The Fund of £600,000 in 2011/12 is for communities to bid for start-up funding for community projects that would benefit their areas.

The third wave of applications closed on 30 November 2011, Cabinet will meet in February 2012 to consider the 20 applications received.

There have been two bids in this 'wave' for empowering communities to clear snow in the event of adverse weather. This report is intended to provide the applicants with an earlier decision on the success or otherwise of their bid given the likelihood of adverse weather in the coming months.

***The Cabinet Member for Police and Policy Co-ordination is RECOMMENDED to:***

- (a) ***approve those bids which meet the assessment criteria; and***
- (b) ***ensure a grant funding agreement that meets legal requirements is in place for all successful projects.***