

PORTFOLIO RESPONSIBILITIES 2026/27

PORTFOLIO	SCOPE	KEY MEETINGS/ PARTNERSHIPS
<p>LEADER</p> <p>CLLR BEN TAYLOR</p> <p>Lead Officers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chief Executive • Executive Directors • Corporate Services Group Manager • Neighbourhood Services Group Manager • Planning & Strategic Growth Group Manager 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Delivery of the Blaby District Plan • Governance & Information Management • Democratic Services and Scrutiny • Electoral Services • Legal Services • Strategic Planning • Strategic Communications • Safeguarding • Corporate Health & Safety • Emergency Planning and Business Continuity • Web Development • Local Government Reorganisation and Devolution • Corporate Performance • Building Control 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • East Midlands Councils • District Council Leaders • District Council Network (DCN) • Planning Members Advisory Group • Building Control Partnership
<p>FINANCE, PEOPLE & TRANSFORMATION</p> <p>CLLR CHERYL CASHMORE (Deputy Leader)</p> <p>Lead Officers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Executive Director S.151 • Finance Group Manager • Transformation and ICT Group Manager 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Finance, including Treasury Management, Capital Programme and Financial Planning • Audit and Fraud • Risk Management • Procurement • Revenues, Benefits and Recovery • Human Resources • Major Corporate Projects • Customer Services • Transformation • ICT • Armed Forces Support (Cllr Appointment) • Equalities, Diversity and Inclusion Lead (Cllr Appointment) 	
<p>HEALTH, COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT</p> <p>CLLR NICK CHAPMAN</p> <p>Lead Officers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assets and Major Projects Group Manager 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health and Leisure • External Funding • Parish and Voluntary Sector Liaison • Tourism • Economic Development, including Work & Skills and Community Grants • Youth Council Lead (Cllr Appointment) 	

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<p>HOMELESSNESS, HOUSING & COMMUNITY SAFETY</p> <p>CLLR SUSAN FINDLAY</p> <p>Lead Officer:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environmental Health, Housing & Community Safety Group Manager 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community Safety • Housing and Homelessness • Community Services • Private Sector Housing Enforcement • Lightbulb and Hospital Enablement Team • Community Safety Lead (Cllr Appointment) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community Safety Partnership • Police and Crime Panel (Outside Body Appointment to Community Safety Lead Member) • Housing Member Advisory Group
<p>NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES & ASSETS</p> <p>CLLR NIGEL GRUNDY</p> <p>Lead Officers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Executive Directors • Neighbourhood Services Group Manager • Assets and Major Projects Group Manager 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open Space Maintenance • Parks and Open Spaces • Refuse and Recycling • District Cleansing • Fleet Management • Car Parks (Assets) • Management of Strategic Sites • Assets and Facilities Management 	
<p>PLANNING, STRATEGIC GROWTH AND ENVIRONMENT</p> <p>CLLR MIKE SHIRLEY</p> <p>Lead Officers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planning & Strategic Growth Group Manager • Environmental Health, Housing & Community Safety Group Manager 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local Plan • Blaby District Growth Plan • Planning Policy and S106 • Planning Enforcement • Development Control • Environmental Services • Environmental Health • Car Parks (Management) • Net Zero • Net Zero Lead (Cllr Appointment) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rural lead • A46 Partnership Meeting • A5 Partnership Meeting