

MEETING	The Full Council
DATE	6 March 2025
SUBJECT	Committees Calendar 2025/26
PURPOSE	To adopt the Committees Calendar for 2025/26
AUTHOR	Ian Jones Head of Democracy Services

THE DECISION SOUGHT

To adopt the Committees Calendar for 2025/26

1. BACKGROUND

- 1.1 The calendar of the Council's committee dates for 2025/26 is submitted. The Calendar assists the Council, its Members and the public to plan ahead for the dates and times of the Council's principal meetings.
- 1.2 Note that these are the dates we have currently scheduled, but situations can arise where additional meetings may need to be arranged in order to carry out Council business.
- 1.3 While every effort is made to avoid conducting meetings during school holidays, this is not possible on all occasions if the continuation of Council services is to be ensured.
- 1.4 Relevant officers and Eryri National Park Authority were consulted regarding the draft version of the committees' calendar to ensure, as far as practicable, that there were no clashes with other meetings. In addition, we have sought to ensure that there is no clash with the dates of regional meetings such as the North Wales Corporate Joint Committee meetings, although not all dates for 2025/26 are known yet.
- 1.5 In addition this year, we have noted a date for the Members' Briefing session every month as well as a monthly Training Day, so that Councillors are given adequate notice of the dates. We will make every effort to try to arrange the Briefings or Training sessions on those dates where possible, noting that there is a possibility of having to change to other dates should key trainers or officers not be available.
- 1.6 Following a discussion about the Committees Calendar at the Democracy Services Committee on 18 February 2025, a suggestion was made to highlight

on the Calendar which meetings are held as hybrid or multi-location meetings. Following this recommendation we have marked *(H)* next to the hybrid meetings. We note that the rest of the meetings (with the exception of the Employments Appeals Committee) are held virtually.

2 COMMITTEES CALENDAR 2025/26

2.1 Please see the appendix for the dates of Council Meetings 2025/26.

VIEWS OF STATUTORY OFFICERS

THE MONITORING OFFICER

No observations to add in relation to propriety.

THE HEAD OF FINANCE DEPARTMENT

I support the decision sought. In relation to financial matters, the proposed dates for the relevant meetings allow the Council to comply with statutory timetables wherever possible.

APPENDIX

Appendix 1 – Calendar of Council Meeting dates 2025/26.