## **Principles for Programme of Meetings 2024/25**

### Council

- 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of month (except December, the Budget meeting in February and where it clashes with LCC or Planning)
- Jul/Sep/Dec/Feb/Mar/May
- **Budget** 12 February 2025
- Council Tax 27 Feb 2025 (must be after LCC Budget Council on 19 Feb 2025)
- Annual Council 15 May 2025

## **Cabinet**

- 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of month except July and February. Jun/Jul/Sep/Oct/Nov/Dec/Jan/Feb/Mar/Apr
- Quarterly Reports

Q2 - Nov

Q3 - Feb

Q4 – May

• **Budget** – 6 Feb 2025

# **Audit & Standards Committee**

- 5 meetings (Tuesday).
- Jul/Sep/Nov/Jan/Mar
- September meeting needs to be held during the last 2 weeks of September, due to sign off the final accounts and auditor's opinion.
- Statement of Accounts Possibly July

### **Employment Committee**

As required

### Licensing Committees (Taxi & General and Alcohol & Gambling)

- 4 meetings (2 Taxi & General and 2 Alcohol & Gambling)
- Jun/Feb
- Licensing Committee (Alcohol & Gambling) will take place on the same evening after the meeting for the Licensing Committee (Taxi & General).

#### **Planning Committee**

• Every 4 weeks.

#### **Scrutiny Committee**

- 3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month except Sep when it is the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday due to Planning Committee, Council and Public Inquiry and Apr when it is on last Tuesday to avoid Easter.
- Scrutiny Work Programme Workshop on 3 June.
- Jun/Jul/Sep/Oct/Nov/Jan/Mar/Apr
- **Budget** 23 Jan 2025
- Budget Scrutiny Workshop 10 Dec 2024

#### **Other Factors**

- Every attempt will be made to avoid Leicestershire school holidays.
- Every attempt will be made to avoid meeting in the first week of January.
- Avoid conferences.