



Portfolio responsibilities

My portfolio is focused on the support and strategic services which underpin the council's ability to deliver for the local community. I am also the lead for the Joint Transformation Programme (JTP) with Lewes District Council.

The JTP is now well underway. I will work to ensure staff and Members engage with this ambitious programme, which will result in significant savings as well as sustainable service for our residents into the future. Eastbourne Borough Council will remain distinct from Lewes District in terms of their respective political leadership and elected representation.

I look to ensure council services perform at a consistent level to meet our communities' needs and that we maintain a clear view about our strategic objectives and priorities.

I will ensure that our support services, such as human resources, legal, IT and Property are efficiently and effectively run and support the councils' aims and objectives.

I also have responsibility within the Cabinet for championing youth issues.

Key Priorities and Projects

- Introduction of a new performance management framework to support the Joint Transformation Programme
- Carry out a pay and grading review across the joint workforce
- Implement absence management and other HR policies across the joint workforce
- Implement a new combined IT recovery plan
- Continue the merging of functions across the new joint teams

Representing the Council

I am the Council's representative on:

- Cultural Involvement Group
- Neighbourhood Management Partnership Groups
- Neighbourhood Panels

Key strategies and plans

- IT strategy
- HR strategies and policies
- Transparency agenda

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