

## Epsom & Ewell Borough Council – Decisions taken by the Community and Wellbeing Committee on Tuesday, 6 October 2026

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Decisions will come into force, and may be implemented, on the expiry of 5 clear working days from the date of this notice unless called in by the Audit and Scrutiny Committee.

NOTE: The following represents a summary of the decisions taken by the Committee. It is not intended to represent the formal record of the meeting (for which reference should be made to the minutes) but to facilitate the call-in process.

| Agenda Item No | Topic                                    | Decision                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| 1.             | Questions and Statements from the Public | No questions or statements were received from members of the public.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| 2.             | Declarations of Interest                 | No declarations of any disclosable pecuniary interests or other registrable or non-registrable interests were made by Members in respect of any items considered at the meeting.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 3.             | Minutes of Previous Meetings             | The Committee confirmed as a true record the minutes of the special meeting of the Committee held on 25th February 2026, the meeting held on 5th March 2026, and the special meeting held on 9th June 2026, and authorised the Chair to sign them.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| 4.             | Homelessness Expenditure Update          | <p>The Committee unanimously resolved to:</p> <p>(1) <b>Note the priority actions points which have been taken to manage homelessness over the past 6 months.</b></p> <p>(2) <b>Note the use of the Homelessness, Rough Sleeping and Domestic Abuse Grant, the recently announced Rough Sleeper Programme funding and a 4% inflationary uplift in the nightly paid budget, to meet the increase in expenditure, during 2026/27, to enable the Council to meet its duties under</b></p> |

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| <b>Agenda<br/>Item No</b> | <b>Report Title</b> | <b>Decision</b>                                                                                                 |
|---------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                           |                     | <b>the Housing Act 1996 and Homelessness Reduction Act 2017.</b>                                                |
| <b>5.</b>                 | Urgent Decisions    | The Committee unanimously resolved to:<br><b>(1) Note the urgent decision and the reason for that decision.</b> |