

## **North Devon Council**

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Topic: Summary of the Risks Identified under the Corporate Risk Register

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

1.1. To improve transparency of the management of our corporate risks, the current risk items from the Corporate Risk Register will be provided in Part A of the agenda, although the full register and discussion around current actions and mitigations will continue under Part B of the agenda.

## 2. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 2.1. To note the risks below from the December 2023 Corporate Risk Register:
  - Failure to make decisions for a robust budget and Medium Term Financial Plan
  - Defined and costed programme not in place to meet net zero carbon targets
  - Failure to plan and respond to a Business Continuity incident
  - Failure to adequately plan and respond to crisis/civil emergency
  - Cyber and/or data security breach
  - Unable to meet the temporary accommodation need / increased homelessness
  - Inability to recruit and retain sufficient workforce with appropriate skills and experience
  - Failure of supply chain partner / Third party risks
  - Impact of respiratory infections (including Covid-19)
  - Failure to prioritise and build sufficient capacity to deliver
  - Health & Safety
  - Failure to secure the Data Centres from fire and flood
  - Impacts of a change in political direction