

ITEM 8: DATES AND TIMES OF FUTURE MEETINGS

To consider a request from Councillor Peter Jones to potentially amend the dates of future meetings of the Policy Development Committee for 2024/25 owing to a clash of dates and times with other commitments that he has.

From looking at the calendar of scheduled meetings for the forthcoming year for 2024/25, there are a few options that the Committee could consider:

Meeting date currently:	Option to consider changing to:
Thursday 6 th June 2024	Thursday 13 th June 2024.
Thursday 4 th July 2024	Tuesday 2 nd July 2024.
Thursday 5 th September 2024	Thursday 12 th September 2024.
Thursday 3 rd October 2024	Thursday 10 th October 2024.
Thursday 7 th November 2024	Difficult to move owing to deadlines for other Committees within the cycle.
Thursday 5 th December 2024	Thursday 12 th December 2024.
Thursday 9 th January 2025	Difficult to move owing to deadlines for other Committees within the cycle and the Christmas break.
Thursday 6 th February 2025	Thursday 13 th February 2025.
Thursday 13 th March 2025	Thursday 20 th March 2025.

The only meetings that would be **difficult to reschedule were:**

- **Thursday 7th November 2024**, which was due to deadlines for other committees within the cycle.
- **Thursday 9th January 2025**, which was due to deadlines for other committees within the cycle and the Christmas break.

Another alternative option to accommodate this request would be for the Committee to consider keeping the dates as scheduled but with perhaps an earlier start time of 5:00pm or 5:30pm. However, this might cause issues for working Members?