

Council Lead Members

The Leader of the Council has appointed the following Lead Members to support the work of individual cabinet members:

- **Lead Member for Young People-** [County Councillor Jayne Rear](#)
- **Lead Member for Health and Adult Services –** [County Councillor Cosima Towneley](#)
- **Lead Member for Highways and Transport –** [County Councillor Andrew Snowden](#)
- **Lead Member for Economic Development and Cultural Services –** [County Councillor Aidy Riggott](#)
- **Lead Member for HR and Property –** [County Councillor Alan Vincent](#)

The Lead Members cannot take decisions. They:

- lead on specific areas to be determined by the cabinet member;
- focus on information gathering and understanding key policy service delivery areas;
- assist with the development of options and policies for consideration by the cabinet member;
- brief and make recommendations to cabinet members and others on the relevant issues that affect the decision making; and
- represent or deputise for the cabinet member as necessary