

<b>How we make decisions</b>			
Decision-making processes and records of decisions			
<b>Category</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Charge</b>	<b>Contact Information</b>
Timetable of council meetings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dates of Ordinary Council Meetings for 2011/2012 – <a href="#">diary of meetings</a>.</li> <li><a href="#">Committees, meetings and minutes</a></li> </ul>	No	<b>Democratic Services</b> Durham County Council County Hall Durham County Durham DH1 5UL email: <a href="mailto:democraticservices@durham.gov.uk">democraticservices@durham.gov.uk</a> Tel: 03000 269 714
Agendas', officers' reports, background papers and minutes of council committee, sub committee meetings	<a href="#">Durham County Council records and publishes all minutes, agendas and reports from Committee meetings</a>	No	<b>Democratic Services</b> Durham County Council County Hall Durham County Durham DH1 5UL email: <a href="mailto:democraticservices@durham.gov.uk">democraticservices@durham.gov.uk</a> Tel: 03000 269 714
Major policy proposals and decisions	Durham County Council's <a href="#">Key decisions</a> Sets out issues likely to be the subject of a key decision made by our <a href="#">Cabinet</a> during the four-month period from 1 September 2010 to 31 December 2010.  <a href="#">Constitution of the council</a>	No	<b>Democratic Services</b> Durham County Council County Hall Durham County Durham DH1 5UL email: <a href="mailto:democraticservices@durham.gov.uk">democraticservices@durham.gov.uk</a> Tel: 03000 269 714

<p>Facts and analyses of facts considered when framing major policies</p>	<p>Central Government requires local authorities and their partners to collect and publish a range of <a href="#">performance indicators</a> reflecting the services they provide.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p><b>Democratic Services</b>  Durham County Council  County Hall  Durham  County Durham  DH1 5UL</p> <p>Tel: 03000 269 714  Email:  <a href="mailto:democraticservices@durham.gov.uk">democraticservices@durham.gov.uk</a></p>
<p><a href="#">Public consultations</a></p>	<p>We run consultations on a range of issues. This page gives you details of the current and recent consultations we have run.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>Durham County Council (helpdesk)  County Hall  Durham City  County Durham  DH1 5UL  email:  <a href="mailto:help@durham.gov.uk">help@durham.gov.uk</a>  Tel: 0300 123 7070  Fax:  Minicom:  0191 383 3802</p>
<p>Internal communications guidance, criteria used for decision-making, internal instructions, manuals and guidance</p>	<p>The Council has corporate standards for providing information which should be adhered to in all or communications.</p>	<p>No</p>	<p>These are found on the Council's internal Intranet. Copies available on request from:  <a href="mailto:foi@durham.gov.uk">foi@durham.gov.uk</a> or Information Management Team, Assistant chief Executives, County Hall, County Durham DH1 5UF</p>