## Agenda item 3

For decision - To approve the FTC Council Plan 2025-27

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In November 2022, FTC agreed a <u>Council Plan for the period 2022-24 which can be viewed on the website here</u>. The new <u>Frome Town Council Plan for 2025 - 27 is at Appendix 3.1, can be viewed on the website here</u> and is recommended for approval. It will guide the Council's work over the final two years of the current administration.

It was developed by Cllrs and staff following extensive engagement with residents, businesses, and community groups to ensure our work reflects Frome's shared needs and aspirations. It dovetails with our Devolution Prospectus which can be viewed on the website <a href="here">here</a>, and together the two documents offer a clear articulation of our direction as a council and our vision for Frome.

This Council Plan is intentionally very high level and aims to balance flexibility and responsiveness, with strong governance and a cohesive overarching strategy. It articulates the golden thread running through all our work of building Frome's economic, social, and environmental resilience, and our overarching purpose of making Frome a better place for everyone who lives and works here. It states how we work, and our five aims along with specific priorities for each of these for the year ahead. These will be reviewed and changed, if necessary, next year.

## Recommendation

Approve the FTC Council Plan 2025 - 27