

Scheme of Delegation

Puilding Control	
Building Contr Function	Delegation
Determination of Building Regulations applications	Service Manager Development & Estates
All enforcement matters including procedures concerning Dangerous Structures	Service Manager Development & Estates
Fee setting	Service Manager Development & Estates
Planning	
Function	Delegation
Screening and scoping opinions relating to Environmental Impact Assessment	Service Manager Development & Estates
¹ To offer professional planning advice under the local or national scheme for preliminary planning advice. Includes responding to pre-application (PAC) consultations for DNS.	Service Manager Development & Estates
² Consultation by neighbouring Local Planning Authority	Service Manager Development & Estates
Determination of all planning and related applications unless otherwise specified in the scheme of delegation. This shall include TPO, listed buildings, adverts, lawful development certificates, CAAD, CAC, s73, discharge of conditions, non-material amendments, prior notifications, reserved matters and hazardous substances consent. ³ To include cases where s106 obligations are applicable.	Service Manager Development & Estates
⁴ To decline to entertain an application when s70A of the Act applies	Service Manager Development & Estates
Major ⁵ residential applications of 10 or more units or site area 0.5ha or more.	Planning Committee
Approval of applications that are deemed to be a ⁶ material departure from the Local Development Plan.	Planning Committee
⁷ Applications for non-domestic renewable energy schemes (solar, hydro and wind) which give rise to concerns of noise, visual impact or other material concerns.	Planning Committee
⁸ Local Impact Report relating to Development of National Significance	Service Manager Development & Estates
(Note: Members wishing to express a view on the merits of a scheme to submit representations direct to the Inspector by the prescribed deadline)	

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Applications in the opinion of the Service Manager are of Planning Committee wider public interest.

Where a Member submits a written request (within 21 days of application appearing on the published weekly list) citing material planning reasons that an application be heard at Planning Committee.

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9 (Subject to call in request being approved by the Chair)

¹⁰ Applications submitted by an Officer of the Development & Estates team, an officer directly involved in the planning process or an elected Member of the Council (or on land/buildings in their ownership).

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¹¹ To agree extensions of time on planning and related applications are applications.

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¹² To respond to consultations from Welsh Government on changes to policy, regulations and primary legislation.

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Planning Enforcement

The service of a planning contravention notice (or other requisition for information), enforcement notice, breach of condition notice, s215 notice or enforcement under advertisement regulations.

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Determination that no further action be taken where it is considered no breach or that it is not expedient to take enforcement action.

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In emergencies, the service of a stop notice or injunction.

Service Manager Development & Estates (in consultation with Chair and Chief Legal Officer)

To instigate proceedings for non-return or non-compliance with a notice.

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Cases which in the opinion of the Service Manager are of wider public interest given the circumstances of the case.

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13 RIPA Authorisations

Appropriate authorised officer signatory

Note: where authority is delegated to the Service Manager, this may be cascaded to other officers within the Team commensurate with seniority and experience.

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