POLITICAL DECISION-MAKING STRUCTURE

COUNCIL

meets monthly

- **Agrees budget**
- **Agrees corporate policy framework**
- **Decides political management framework**
- **Appoints Leader**
- **Appoints Chief Executive**
- **All other identified non-executive functions**

CABINET
(10 members inc. Leader)

- Appointed by Leader
- Each Cabinet Member will be assigned a thematic portfolio to cover
- Proposes policy & budget to the Council
- Implements Council policies under the political guidance of the Leader
- Takes delegated executive decisions, in accordance with Council policy & budget.

SCRUTINY COMMITTEES (5)

- 5 Scrutiny Committees which monitor and review Cabinet responsibilities
- Scrutinise the executive
- Examine performance and policy delivery
- Scrutinise Business Plans
- Undertake Service Reviews in conjunction with the Cabinet

COUNCIL COMMITTEES & PANELS

- **Appeals**
- **Appointments A&B**
- **Democratic Services**
- **Governance & Audit**
- **Housing Review Panel**
- **Investment Panel**
- **Licensing**
- **Members' Appointments**
- **Planning**
- **Standards**
- **Dyfed Pension Fund Committee & Pension Board**

ADVISORY PANELS

(establishment and membership determined by Cabinet)
meet as required by brief

- Examine and advise on policy development either through standing panels or task & finish panels
- Comprise non-executive members and external partners as appropriate

Chaired by the relevant Cabinet Member

TASK & FINISH GROUPS

Established by individual Scrutiny Committees

meet as required by brief

- Examine and review specific service areas

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