SAVINGS APPROVED IN MTFP (13)

Adult and Health Services

Savings Proposal	Description	2024/25	2025/26	2026/27	TOTAL
		£	£	£	£
Commissioned Services - Efficiencies	Review of contractual arrangements across Adult and Health Services	50,000	50,000	50,000	150,000
Market Shaping - Reablement & Direct Payments	Maximising use of reablement and direct payments to promote independence for service users	50,000	250,000	300,000	600,000
High Cost Learning Disability Care Packages	Review of specialist/high cost care provision across learning disability services	210,000	210,484	0	420,484
Review of Non-Assessed Community Based Services	Review of non-assessed community-based commissioned services	101,283	93,000	0	194,283
Extra Care Cleaning	Review of cleaning provision in extra care schemes	8,000	0	0	8,000
Total - A	Adult and Health Services	419,283	603,484	350,000	1,372,767

Children and Young People

Savings Proposal	Description	2024/25	2025/26	2026/27	TOTAL
		£	£	£	£
Review of Support Services	Delivering resource efficiencies in the provision of non frontline services through greater automation of tasks and simplifying systems.	0	210,000	0	210,000
New approach to delivering One Point activities	Planned reduction in physical activities held in centres with increased use of technology and virtual services for Families, which support the new work on development of Family Hubs	50,000	50,000	0	100,000
Early help, Inclusion and Vulnerable Children Services review	Achieving efficiencies within Early Help services through turnover of staff, reviewing deployment of staffing resources and use of non council funding to support activity	41,000	84,000	84,000	209,000
Cross Service Accommodation	Streamlining the use of Council staff accommodation to achieve savings in maintenance and running costs.	50,000	71,000	100,000	221,000
Restructure of Adult Learning Service	Changes to the Councils Adult Learning Service to align to the future direction of Education, Employment and Training opportunities for disadvantaged Young People	100,000	70,000	0	170,000
Reductions in Mileage	Efficiencies in staff mileage budgets as a result of the greater use of technology and new ways of working	100,000	0	0	100,000

Reduction in Historic FE Liabilities	Planned reduction in Service Pension liabilities	10,000	0	0	10,000
Total - Child	ren & Young People Services	351,000	485,000	184,000	1,020,000

Neighbourhood and Climate Change

Savings Proposal	Saving Description	2024/25	2025/26	2026/27	TOTAL
		£	£	£	£
Review of Community Protection Structure & Income Generation	A restructure of the service will deliver efficiency savings along with some income generation opportunities	110,000	145,000	0	255,000
Review of AAPs	Savings to be identified following a review of accommodation and running costs of Area Action Partnerships	61,250	0	0	61,250
	TOTAL - NCC		145,000	0	316,250

Regeneration, Economy and Growth

Savings Proposal	Saving Description	2024/25	2025/26	2026/27	TOTAL
		£	£	£	£
Strategic Car Park Review	A review of parking arrangements and tariffs across the county to allow a more equitable charging regime	279,000	0	0	279,000
Moving vehicle/Bus Lane enforcement income.	Introduction of camera enforcement intended to address moving traffic offences, and to increase compliance at existing Framwellgate Moor bus lane restrictions	0	0	30,000	30,000
Increase surplus rental income on commercial properties	Additional rental income generated from commercial properties managed by Business Durham	0	48,438	0	48,438
Theatre ticketing – introduce dynamic pricing	A revised approach to how and when tickets are sold to increase income and offer customers more choice	30,000	0	0	30,000
Theatre Marketing - contract out	Contracting out design, print and brochure production	7,000	0	0	7,000
Library Transformation including Sevenhills Lease	Review of built service offer with regard to co-location opportunities, delivery models and tech solutions	105,000	0	0	105,000
Library Transformation - Clayport Library Restructure & Remodel	Remodel and update the library to create a high quality environment to meet modern public requirements	200,000	0	0	200,000

Planning Income Volumes	Increase budget for planning fees income to reflect higher levels of planning applications in recent years	100,000	0	0	100,000
Service Review of Catering, Cleaning & Facilities Management	Service efficiencies from catering, cleaning and facilities management through strategic service review including commercial opportunities, opening hours, levels of service etc	0	90,000	95,000	185,000
Review of Office Accommodation - New HQ operating costs	Saving in running costs generated from the move from County Hall	0	0	275,000	275,000
TOTAL - REG		721,000	138,438	400,000	1,259,438

Resources

Savings Proposal	Description	2024/25	2025/26	2026/27	TOTAL
		£	£	£	£
Review of Corporate Policy Planning and Performance Team	Review and restructure of the Strategy Team	75,473	0	0	75,473
Review of HR and Employee Services and Training budgets	Review and restructure of the HR and Employee Services Team and Efficiencies in Training budgets through digitisation of learning	0	152,892	86,940	239,832
Review of Business Support (administration)	Review and restructuring of the Business Support service	150,000	0	517,000	667,000
Review of Internal Audit and Insurance	Review and restructure of Internal Audit and Risk, including a review of services to external clients to generate additional income	53,433	0	0	53,433
Review of Corporate Finance and Commercial Services	Review and restructure focussing on management posts	41,000	0	0	41,000
Review of Legal Services	Review and restructuring of Legal Services Team	0	0	127,640	127,640
Review of Legal and Democratic Services non employee budgets	Review / Reduction of Non Staffing Budgets	0	0	12,000	12,000
Review of Digital Services	Review and restructure of Digital Services Team	0	164,011	0	164,011
Review of Digital Services non employee budgets	Review / Reduction of Non Staffing Budgets	65,000	65,000	0	130,000
Review of Charging for Deputee and Appointee Team	Introduction of charging in line with arrangements in place in other authorities	80,275	0	0	80,275
Review of Transactional and Customer Services non employee budgets	Review / Reduction of Non Staffing Budgets (including income budgets)	0	0	102,120	102,120

Review of Customer Services	Review of Customer Access Point provision and service model in line with changing customer demands	68,500	0	0	68,500
Review of Transactional and Customer Services	Review and restructure of Transactional and Customer Services Team through Introduction of new systems, process review and new ways of working	28,813	119,558	0	148,371
TOTAL - RESOURCES		562,494	501,461	845,700	1,909,655
TOTAL COUNCIL SAVINGS FOR MTFP (13)		2,225,027	1,873,383	1,779,700	5,878,110