

November Report: EHDC

EHDC news

EHDC detailed the local organisations that received grants totalling over £100,000 from the Grow Up fund to support rural businesses. There were 34 applications for over £700,000 of grants. 7 organisations were successful. Full details are here:

[**£100,000 in Government funding boosts tourism and community | East Hampshire District Council**](#)

The district council put out 12 press releases in October to keep residents informed about what the council does, and how council tax is spent. There is a focus on councillor grants and on local projects that EHDC is helping with.

[**Latest news | East Hampshire District Council**](#)

EHDC cabinet

The EHDC is looking at a series of issues in the next month. These include the Community development strategy, looking at the quarterly performance report, expanding the Bordon swimming pool, and a report on the council's property portfolio. A full link to the forward plan is here:

[**Cabinet, Cabinet Forward Plan 2025/26 - October 2025 Plan Document 02/10/2025**](#)

Scrutiny of the council

All important decisions of the district council can be scrutinised by the overview and scrutiny committee, which met on 6th November. The committee had a detailed report on the new community development strategy:

[**Appendix 1- Building Thriving Communities.pdf**](#)

They also considered the expansion of the Bordon swimming pool (some financial details were restricted due to commercial confidentiality) and the performance of the Council's commercial property strategy (again some details are restricted for commercial reasons).

The full agenda for the committee is here;

[**Agenda for Overview and Scrutiny Committee on Thursday, 6th November, 2025, 6.30 pm | East Hampshire District Council**](#)

Finally, there will be a full council meeting of EHDC on 27th November. The link to this meeting is here:

[**Agenda for Council on Thursday, 27th November, 2025, 6.30 pm | East Hampshire District Council**](#)