

Political Management Arrangements - June 2008 - Counties

| Authority | Recent Changes to Structure | Leader's Working Hours | Cabinet Working hours | O&S Structure |
|-------------|--|------------------------|---|---|
| East Sussex | None | Full time | The Cabinet Members are considered to be Full time, but the hours will vary between Cabinet Member and level of work. Their hours of work are not contracted. | We have 6 O&Scrutiny Cttees all of which have 7 Mbrs bar one that has 9 Mbrs and 4 co-opted Mbrs. |
| Oxfordshire | There have been three by-elections so far in 2008 – the only political change arising from these by-elections was an independent councillor (political composition is Conservative - 44; Labour – 8; Liberal Democrat – 15; Green – 5; Independent – 2). | N/A | N/A | Children's Services: 17 mbrs – 8 Cons, 1 Green, 1 Lab, 2 Lib Dem, 1 Indep & 4 voting co-optees representing parent governors (2), CofE (1), and Roman Catholic Church (1). Community Safety: 10 mbrs – 6 Cons, 1 Lab, 2 Lib Dem; 1 Independent. Corporate Governance: 10 mbrs – 6 Cons, 1 Labour, 2 Lib Dem, 1 Independent. Environment & Economy: 10 mbrs – 6 Cons, 1 Green, 1 Lab, 2 Lib Dem. Social & Community Services: 10 mbrs – 6 Cons, 1 Green, 1 Lab, 2 Lib Dem. Joint Scrutiny Cttee: Oxfordshire Joint Health O&S Cttee: 15 mbrs – 4 Cons, 1 Lab, 2 Lib Dem, 5 District Council Representatives, 3 Co-optees |
| Surrey | None | Full time | Varies | 7 select comms, generally 11 mbrs on each plus chr and vice chr of council ex officio. Schools and learning select cttee has 5 co-opted mbrs and Health Scrutiny has 3. |
| West Sussex | None | Full time | Full time | - |