

OUR COVID-19 RESPONSE

CORONAVIRUS HAS HAD AN UNPRECEDENTED IMPACT ON LIFE AS WE KNOW IT. We're here to help Powys through these difficult times. As an open and enterprising council, we have embraced new ways of working and delivering services. **WE ARE WORKING WITH COMMUNITIES, RESIDENTS AND BUSINESSES TO HELP GET POWYS ON THE ROAD TO RECOVERY.**

For more information please visit www.powys.gov.uk/coronavirus

1 RESPONDING TO COVID-19

ADULT SOCIAL CARE

working with the health board to support those with the virus, providing care at home and residential care.

CHILD CARE establishing safe child care for key workers and vulnerable children.

CONTINUITY OF LEARNING ensuring pupils continue to learn and have access to educational resources and support.

Reopening our **SCHOOLS**

HOMELESSNESS people who are homeless (sofa surfing or rough sleeping) need to be brought indoors and adequately housed.

PUBLIC PROTECTION

maintaining public health which includes enforcing closures of premises where necessary, and managing regional contact tracing.

2 KEEPING OUR COMMUNITIES SAFE AND RESILIENT

Providing care and support for **EXTREMELY VULNERABLE RESIDENTS**

SUPPORTING BUSINESSES and the self-employed in line with Welsh Government guidance.

Providing **REFUSE AND RECYCLING** services including Household Waste Recycling Centres.

Maintaining an emergency **HOUSING REPAIRS** and maintenance service.

HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE ensuring essential repairs are carried out and an emergency response is available.

CHILDREN'S SERVICES ensuring children are protected and safeguarded.

LIBRARIES re-opening in a phased manner.

THESE ARE POWYS COUNTY COUNCIL'S BUSINESS CRITICAL ACTIVITIES DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC. WE ARE FOCUSING ON THREE MAIN AREAS:

3 RUNNING THE COUNCIL

FINANCIAL Management and Reporting.

CUSTOMER SERVICES AND COMMUNICATIONS ensuring that the public, our councillors and our staff are regularly updated and informed.

Maintaining our essential **CORPORATE SUPPORT SERVICES** including workforce, finance and ICT.

OUR VALUES



Whatever role we play in the council, we act with professionalism and integrity



Positive

We take a positive attitude in all we do



Progressive

We take a proactive and responsible approach to planning for the future



Open

We keep each other informed, share knowledge and act with honesty and integrity



Collaborative

We work constructively and willingly on joint initiatives