Budget timetable 2023/24

	October	November	December	January	February
Government (Chancellor) Autumn Spending Round Statement		17th			
Provisional local government settlement			19th		
Town/parish initial budget/precept meeting			15th		
Executive papers sent out - initial budget proposals			16th		
Start of formal six weeks consultation period			16th		
Budget survey emailed to businesses			16th		
Executive - agree initial financial plan proposals including council tax base				3rd	
Overview & Scrutiny 1 & 2 - consider Executive's financial plan				10th	
Council - approve council tax base				12th	
Town/parish follow up budget/precept meeting				19th	
Final settlement expected				31st	
Deadline for business rates retention estimate to government, county and fire				31st	
Police and Crime Panel consider precept and approve				27th	
Overview & Scrutiny 1 & 2 - consider Executive's final financial proposals					2nd
Executive - agree final financial plan proposals, including budget monitoring					7th
County Cabinet 10.30am budget meeting					10th
Devon County Council 2.15pm - set county precept and council tax					16th
Fire Authority - set fire precept and council tax					15th
Council meeting - consider financial proposals and council tax resolution					21st
Reserve county budget meeting 10.30 am if required					21st
Close council tax accounts and start bills print unless delayed if council tax not set					23rd
Reserve Council budget meeting if required					23rd