

# Case Study



EXECVIEW

## Local Government

The local council is a large two-tier council with a population of over 500,000 people across 62 wards. In their case, good governance ultimately ensures taxpayer's money is distributed effectively.

The local council implemented Execview to provide effective governance over its transformation programmes. The goal was to reduce timescale, risk and cost. The solution provided visibility for executive decision makers. The council found Execview quick to configure and easy to learn.

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# The Golden Thread

The 'golden thread' theory describes the link between corporate strategy and execution; a shared vision unites staff on all levels in a bid to move the organisation forward. T-S, CIO at the council said: "Execview underpins our governance ethos. We decided to work with Execview to support the delivery of a number of programmes after a comprehensive tender process, and it's provided a golden thread which ensures everyone from project managers to board level sponsors are on the same level of understanding and can see how competing priorities contribute to the council's bigger picture".

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## Fast Setup, Fast Results

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"The on-hand consultancy programme meant that we could be self-sufficient whilst knowing that help is at hand should we need it. The combination of the two was something which worked really well for us".

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# Measurable outcomes

“We can clearly see the status of various aspects of specific programmes. Meetings have become more focussed in that a clear order is displayed. The option to drill-down as far as project level if we so wish is useful and reassuring; the board can make executive governance decisions based on unbiased and accurate data.”

Everyone from Project Managers to Board-level sponsors are now actively involved in the use of Execview at the council. High-level board members can make solid governance decisions based on reliable data which filters up through Execview from PMs, and sponsors can see how their projects are really doing. Perhaps the most significant change since the introduction of Execview, is that the council now has complete programme oversight, where previously visibility was a challenge. Executives can now easily see where dependencies lie on resources and take action where necessary.

Execview and the local council have worked together to bring the organisation forward, become more transparent, store unbiased data for key decisions and save money and resources, simply by implementing an exemplary governance structure

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