## **BUDGET 2009/10 to 2011/12 TIMETABLE**

Technical stages in *italics* 

Decision-making stages in **bold** 

	Date	
Cabinet	30 <sup>TH</sup> July 2008	Financial Review for the period 2009/10 to 2010/11 and Forecast Projection for 2011/12 and beyond  Report results of financial outlook, covering both revenue budget and Capital Programme. Agree budget strategy for 2009/10 and request officers to action.
Consultation	September 2008- January 2009	Period available for budget consultation, subject to decision
Corporate Directors	5 <sup>th</sup> September 2008	Deadline for return of detailed planning submissions as requested by Cabinet
Officer/Lead Member Review Process	September 2008	CMT Meeting to review submissions.
Officer/ Lead Member Review Process	Sept/ Nov. 2008	Challenge/ scrutiny of Directorate submissions.  Dates to be confirmed.
Cabinet	5 <sup>th</sup> November 2008	CAPITAL STRATEGY & ASSET MANAGEMENT PLAN  Agree Capital Strategy for 2009/10-2011/12 to provide strategic context for Capital Programme decisions.
FSMT	Sept/Oct 2008	Financial Services Management Team considers budget risks for 2009/10- 2011/12

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CMT	Oct/Nov 2008	Receives report of officer review group.
Government	Mid November 2008 onwards	Announcement by Government Departments of specific grants and capital allocations.
Strategic/ Service Planning	September- December 2008	Preparation of draft Strategic & Financial Plan.
Cabinet	14 <sup>th</sup> January 2009	Draft Strategic & Financial Plan  Provisional Budget considered and proposals referred to Overview & Scrutiny.  Service budget reports (including HRA)  Committed growth and savings  Directorate targets  Overall budget  Rent levels
January – February		Constitutional period for consultation of Overview & Scrutiny Committee under the Budget & Policy Framework.
Overview & Scrutiny	10 <sup>th</sup> February 2009	Considers Provisional Budget Proposals of Cabinet for Revenue Budget and Capital Programme 2009/10-2011/12
Cabinet	11 <sup>th</sup> February 2009	FINAL Strategic & Financial Plan  REVENUE BUDGET - Final budget report (including HRA)  Integrated capital and revenue report  Prudential Indicators  Single Capital Pot Allocations  Council tax for LBTH
Cabinet	11 <sup>th</sup> February 2009	CAPITAL PROGRAMME 2009/10 –2011/12  Agree capital programme and funding for 2009/10-2011/12

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Precept	Mid February 2009	GLA agrees its precept
Budget Council	4 <sup>th</sup> March 2009	Formally agrees budget and Council Tax