

## Environment, Transport and Locality Select Committee Proposed Work Programme

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| <b>Environment, Transport and Locality Services</b> | 13 May 2014  | Committee Work Programme 2014/15   | For the committee to receive a report outlining key issues/areas from the service areas to be included on the annual work programme.   | Committee information paper  |
|   | 13 May 2014  | Trading Standards Update   | Members will receive a briefing on the recent work, activity and approach of the service area. Members will also consider proposed plans to create a Joint Trading Standards Service with Surrey County Council providing the opportunity for the committee to provide its views and comments prior to a decision that may be made in October 2014.  | Amanda Poole, Trading Standards Manager.   |
|   | 13 May 2014  | Crime and Disorder   | Members will receive the statutory annual update from the county's crime and disorder reduction partnership; The Safer Stronger Bucks Partnership. They will review partnerships progress over the past year against the plans key priorities and consider the priorities for the coming year, providing their views and comments before the plan goes to Cabinet.   | James Sainsbury, Safer Bucks Partnership Manager   |
|   | 17 June 2014 | Public Transport Inquiry   | Members will begin their inquiry into public transport provision in Bucks. In this first evidence session members will consider the financial challenges and will examine the County Council's current policy and its ability to cope with the budgetary pressures.  | Andy Clarke, Passenger Transport Manager<br>Ryan Bunce – Psd Service Lead Officer, PLACE |
|   | 17 June 2014 | Committee research update: External Funding Opportunities (Transport Infrastructure) | Following previous committee discussions (LEPs, Transport, S106 etc.) an explorative piece of work has been undertaken by the chairman and supporting member on behalf of the committee examining the Council's role, processes and relationships with other bodies in seeking opportunities to bid for external funding, in particular, in relation to transport infrastructure and planning across the County. The committee will receive an update on the key themes and findings of the research and consider next steps and/or recommendations. | Update from Warren Whyte, Chairman and Tim Butcher, supporting Member.                   |

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|           | 02 September 2014                        | Transport for Bucks review progress update           | Members will be examining the progress towards the approved recommendations of the Transport for Bucks inquiry. As part of this they will be monitoring and reviewing the progress of the various improvement strands/reviews that have been undertaken over the past year (including: Committee recommendations, Customer Focus Review, LAT review, Value for Money review and Cabinet Member reviews). | Ruth Vigor-Hedderly, Cabinet Member for Transport.<br>Kim Hills – TfB<br>Mike Freestone, Contract performance Manager (BCC)<br>Sean Rooney, Contract Manager (BCC).<br>Joe Nethercoat, PLACE. |
|           | 02 September 2014                        | Flooding response in Buckinghamshire                 | For members to receive an update on the review of the county's response to the floods of 2013/14, lessons learnt, how we dealt with the floods, and how we are planning for future events.   | Susie Yapp, Service Director for Localities.<br>Stephen Walford senior manager PLACE<br>John Rippon – Senior Manager PLACE.   |
|           | 02 September 2014                        | Public Transport Inquiry Update                      | For members to receive an interim update from the inquiry working group following stage one of the public transport inquiry.   | Committee inquiry working Group Members.<br>Officers TBC if appropriate   |
|           | 14 October 2014                          | Local Enterprise Partnerships                        | For Members to receive 6 month update on the work of the Local Enterprise Partnerships and Strategic Economic Plans following briefing received in March.  | Stephen Walford, Senior Manager PLACE.<br>Richard Harrington, BCC<br>Martin Tett, Leader.   |
|           | 14 October 2014<br>( TBC may be earlier) | Section 106 Developer Contributions                  | For members to examine and review the Councils processes and procedures in relation to s106 negotiations and developer contributions following committee examination in November 2013.   | John Rippon, Senior Manager PLACE.  |
|           | 18 November 2014                         | Library Services in Bucks – A vision for the future. | For Members to receive an update and review the progress towards the committee's recommendations as agreed on 8 <sup>th</sup> April for the development of a clear vision of the future of library services in Bucks, including a strategy for how the budget challenges will be met and a proactive approach to seeking opportunities for closer working with partner organisations.                    | Martin Phillips, Cabinet Member for Community Engagement.<br>David Jones, Culture and Learning Manager.   |

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|           | 18 November 2014 | Fracking update | For members to receive written update on the progress towards the recommendations made to the Cabinet Member in Feb and any further updates in relation to the development of the new Minerals and Waste Policy. | Written update to be provided by Lesley Clarke, Cabinet Member for Environment and Lester Hannington Lead Officer for Minerals and Waste. |