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## Report to Wexham and Ivers Local Area Forum

Title: Local Transport Plan 3 Development

FOR INFORMATION

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LAF members were sent a memo on 3<sup>rd</sup> August indicating that the consultation due to take place in August would be delayed until later in the year. Further clarity has now been realised and the LTP3 Consultation Document will be taken to Cabinet in early November, allowing the Full 12 week public consultation to take place in mid November. As before, the consultation will be mostly online, but paper copies of the booklet will be sent to Parishes and put in libraries and Council offices.

Transport for Buckinghamshire would also be most grateful for Parishes' support during the consultation. If Parish Councils could include a short article in their Parish Newsletter informing their residents that the Consultation is taking place TfB would be most grateful.

In the time leading up to the consultation in November, the Transport Policy Team in TfB is working on re-drafting the strategy, in line with latest guidance, to make the document more relevant to local communities. This document is truly a 'Plan for Buckinghamshire' and now the main emphasis, as driven by 'the Big Society' and Local Area Planning, is on strategic local needs; the national agenda plays a much smaller role.

We hope to reflect the needs of the local community in the Plan and we hope you will take an active part in our consultation in November.

An outline of our timetable is as follows:

LTP Document development and Consultation draft	Now – 25 <sup>th</sup> October
Cabinet Approval of Consultation document	8 <sup>th</sup> November
12 Week Full Public Consultation	15/11/10 – 18/02/11
Final document approval by Cabinet	21 <sup>st</sup> March 2010

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