

Highways and Transport Committee

Agenda

Date:	Thursday, 20th November, 2025
Time:	10.30 am
Venue:	The Capesthorne Room - Town Hall, Macclesfield, SK10 1EA

The agenda is divided into 2 parts. Part 1 is taken in the presence of the public and press. Part 2 items will be considered in the absence of the public and press for the reasons indicated on the agenda and at the foot of each report.

It should be noted that Part 1 items of Cheshire East Council decision making meetings are audio recorded, and the recordings will be uploaded to the Council's website.

PART 1 – MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED WITH THE PUBLIC AND PRESS PRESENT

1. Apologies for Absence

To note any apologies for absence from Members.

2. Declarations of Interest

To provide an opportunity for Members and Officers to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests, other registerable interests, and non-registerable interests in any item on the agenda.

3. Minutes of Previous Meeting (Pages 3 - 10)

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the previous meeting held on 18 September 2025.

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4. **Public Speaking/Open Session**

In accordance with paragraph 2.24 of the Council's Committee Procedure Rules and Appendix on Public Speaking, set out in the [Constitution](#), a total period of 15 minutes is allocated for members of the public to put questions to the committee on any matter relating to this agenda. Each member of the public will be allowed up to two minutes each to speak, and the Chair will have discretion to vary this where they consider it appropriate.

Members of the public wishing to speak are required to provide notice of this at least three clear working days in advance of the meeting.

Petitions - To receive any petitions which have met the criteria - [Petitions Scheme Criteria](#), and falls within the remit of the Committee. Petition organisers will be allowed up to three minutes to speak.

5. **Second Financial Review 25/26 (Pages 11 - 36)**

To consider a report which provides an update on the current forecast outturn for the financial year 2025/26.

6. **Medium Term Financial Strategy Consultation 2026/27 - 2029/30 (Pages 37 - 50)**

To consider the report on the Medium-Term Financial Strategy Consultation 2026/27-2029/30.

7. **Work Programme (Pages 51 - 52)**

To consider the Work Programme and determine any required amendments.

8. **Town & Country Planning Act 1990 section 257: Proposed Diversion of Public Footpath No. 2 in the Parish of Somerford (Part) (Pages 53 - 62)**

To consider an application to divert public footpath No.2 in the Parish of Somerford (Part).

THERE ARE NO PART 2 ITEMS

Membership: Councillors S Adams, L Braithwaite (Vice-Chair), C Browne, A Burton, R Chadwick, P Coan, A Coiley, H Faddes, R Fletcher, A Gage, M Goldsmith (Chair), M Muldoon and M Sewart