

Highways and Transport Committee Agenda

Date: Tuesday, 21st September, 2021

Time: 10.30 am

Venue: The Assembly Room - Town Hall, Macclesfield SK10 1EA

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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 in the report.

It should be noted that Part 1 items of Cheshire East Council decision-making meetings are audio recorded and the recordings are 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

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pecuniary and non-pecuniary interests in any item on the agenda.

3. **Minutes of Previous Meeting** (Pages 5 - 10)

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the previous meeting held on 19 July 2021.

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 <u>Constitution</u>, 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.

5. Car Parking Review and Proposed Statutory Consultation (Pages 11 - 108)

To consider a report on the Car Parking Review and Proposed Statutory Consultation.

6. Cheshire East Bus Service Improvement Plan (Pages 109 - 168)

To consider a report on the progress made towards the Bus Service Improvement Plan including recommendations as to how this document would be completed to meet the timescales set out in the National Bus Strategy.

7. **Highways Service Improvement Plan - Update** (Pages 169 - 184)

To consider a report on the work done to date and the proposals for implementing the recommendations of the Highway Service Improvement Plan.

8. **Annual Road Safety Report** (Pages 185 - 250)

To consider a report on the activities and measures undertaken during the 2020/21 Financial year to address road safety issues in Cheshire East.

9. The Middlewich Eastern Bypass and Associated Orders

To consider a report on the Middlewich Eastern Bypass and Associated Orders.

Report-To Follow

10. Request for a Review of the Tranche 1 Active Travel Schemes submitted by Councillor M Benson (Pages 251 - 252)

In accordance with paragraph 2.41 of the Council's Constitution, the Committee are asked to consider a request from Councillor M Benson to undertake a review

of the Tranche 1 Active Travel Schemes.

11. **Work Programme** (Pages 253 - 262)

To consider the Work Programme and determine any required amendments.

Membership: Councillors Susie-Akers Smith, Mike Benson, Craig Browne (Chair), Liz Braithwaite, Barry Burkhill, Laura Crane (Vice Chair), Hazel Faddes, Allen Gage, Les Gilbert, Mike Hunter, Mike Sewart, Don Stockton and Phil Williams