

# Highways and Transport Committee

## Agenda

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**Date:** Tuesday, 16th November, 2021  
**Time:** 2.00 pm  
**Venue:** The Capesthorne 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 at the top 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**

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For requests for further information

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

3. **Minutes of Previous Meeting** (Pages 5 - 12)

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the previous meeting held on 21 September 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 [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.

5. **Speed Management Strategy** (Pages 13 - 82)

To consider a report on the draft Speed Management Strategy (The Strategy) which sets out a consistent approach the Council will take to managing speed on the highway network.

6. **Highways and Transport 2022-23 Programme Preparation** (Pages 83 - 98)

To consider a report on the allocation of highway revenue and capital funding to deliver day to day activities and programmes on the public highway to achieve the Council's Corporate Plan and the Local Transport Plan objectives and priorities.

7. **Parking Services Enforcement Policy** (Pages 99 - 120)

To consider a report on the Council's updated Parking Services Enforcement Policy.

8. **Local Cycling and Walking Infrastructure Plan (LCWIP) - Implementation Report** (Pages 121 - 132)

To consider a report on the Local Cycling and Walking Infrastructure Plan (LCWIP) - Implementation Report.

9. **HS2 Programme-Update** (Pages 133 - 144)

To provide an update on the HS2 programme, including Government programmes, Covid-19 impacts, planning policy, key actions and next steps.

10. **Closure of Mill Lane Level Crossing, Barthomley** (Pages 145 - 218)

To consider a report confirming the changes proposed to Barthomley Level Crossing (Mill Lane, Crewe) and to seek a resolution from the Council for an application to the Department for Transport to make a Section 249 Town and Country Planning Act 1990 Order on behalf of Network Rail to remove vehicular access and restrict the crossing to bridleway rights (for pedestrians, cyclists and horse riders).

11. **Infrastructure & Highways Department - Mid-year Performance Review** (Pages 219 - 252)

To consider a report on the performance across Infrastructure and Highways services for the first half of 2021-22.

12. **Work Programme** (Pages 253 - 258)

To consider the Work Programme and determine any required amendments.

13. **Minutes of the Public Rights of Way (PROW) Sub-Committee** (Pages 259 - 264)

To receive the minutes of the Public Rights of Way (PROW) Sub-Committee.

**Membership:** Councillors S Akers Smith, M Benson, C Browne (Chair), L Braithwaite, B Burkhill, L Crane (Vice-Chair), H Faddes, R Fletcher, A Gage, L Gilbert, M Hunter, M Sewart, D Stockton and P Williams