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South Cambridgeshire District Council

22 March 2022

To: Chair – Councillor Anna Bradnam

Vice-Chair - Councillor Peter Fane

All Members of the Council

Quorum: 15

Dear Councillor

This is a supplement to the previously-published agenda for the meeting of **Council** on **Wednesday, 23 March 2022**, containing those reports which had not been received by the original publication deadline.

Yours faithfully **Liz Watts** Chief Executive

Agenda

6. Questions From the Public

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To answer any questions asked by the public.

The deadline for receipt of public questions or statements is midnight on Thursday, 17 March 2022.

The Council's scheme for public speaking at remote meetings may be inspected here:

Public Speaking Scheme

11. Greater Cambridge Partnership

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To consider any reports of the work of the Greater Cambridge Partnership.



Agenda Item 6

Making Waterbeach Neighbourhood Plan 23/02/2022

Thankyou Chair and Council for allowing me to speak at what to the people of Water beach is a momentous occasion, as you make the WBNP.

It was 7 years ago that SCDC agreed that Waterbeach should develop a Neighbourhood Plan that would reflect the wishes of people living withing the boundaries of the Parish.

Those 7 years were spent in producing several iterations of the plan, each reflecting the views of Waterbeach People, Community Groups and Business's. Evidence for the plan was gathered using Drop-In sessions in community rooms and at the Village Feast.

Questionnaires were deployed online and in paper form and fed back though collection boxes in shops and community groups.

The consideration of the evidence collected led to the plan being developed as a document which was then tested and amended through the formal consultations in the Neighbourhood Plan Process. This included the whole of the SCDC Statutory Consultee list. So it can be seen that we consulted on a wide range of views and diverse interests.

The plan was reviewed against comments at each consultation and amended accordingly.

A Submission version was then produced and assessed by an independent Inspector to ensure planning policies such as NPPF and the SCDC Local Plan were properly respected, recommending changes to make it so.

I would like to thank Alison Talkington and her team for the work they put in to assist us an applying the Inspectors suggestions to the NP and getting it to point where it could be presented to the people in the form of a Referendum. This turned out a positive result on 3rd March 2022.

We now entrust our Neighbourhood Plan to you all in the hope it will made and be used as the basis for all Waterbeach planning decisions as the view of every Waterbeach resident without having to wait for comments to come in.

Finally for other Villages wishing to prepare a Neighbourhood Plan, it is hard but worthwhile. Don't be afraid but do get help.

Our Planning Advisor, Rachel Hogger from Cambridgeshire ACRE has been invaluable, embedding herself into the team and ensuring we properly applied the policies.

Brian Williams

Chair of WBNP Group and WPC Vice Chair



Greater Cambridge Partnership Executive Board

Thursday 17th March 2022 4:00 p.m. – 5:55 p.m.

Set out below is a summary of the decisions taken at the meeting.

The wording used does not necessarily reflect the actual wording that will appear in the formal minutes of the meeting.

1. Apologies for Absence

There were no apologies for absence.

2. Declarations of Interest

Councillor Baigent declared a general non-statutory disclosable interest as a member of the Cambridge Cycling Campaign (Camcycle).

3. Minutes

The minutes of the previous Executive Board meeting, held on 9th December 2021, were agreed as a correct record, and were signed by the Chairperson.

4. Membership

The Executive Board confirmed the appointment of Dr Kristin-Anne Rutter as a University Representative on the Joint Assembly.

5. Public Questions

Thirteen public questions had been accepted by the Chairperson, who had agreed that the questions would be received at the start of the relevant agenda item.

Feedback from the Joint Assembly

The Executive Board received a report from the Chairperson of the GCP Joint Assembly, Councillor Tim Bick, which summarised the discussions from the Joint Assembly meeting held on 17th February 2022.

7. Greater Cambridge Greenways Progress Update

The Executive Board resolved to:

- (a) Note the proposal to present the Outline Business Case and a delivery programme for Greenways to the September Board; and
- (b) Agree the proposed engagement with local communities.

8. Chisholm Trail: Phase 2

The Executive Board resolved to:

- (a) Endorse recommendations for public engagement on designs for Coldham's Lane Junction, and Cromwell Road in Summer 2022 to further inform the design;
- (b) Endorse recommendations for public engagement on designs for Great Eastern Street Car Park in Summer 2022 to further inform the design;
- (c) Approve the land acquisition at Clifton Road;
- (d) Approve plans for continued work in partnership with stakeholders and the landowners to develop a package of local mitigation to support the scheme;
- (e) Approve the negotiation of land and rights required for the early delivery of the scheme including Compulsory Purchase and Side Road Orders as appropriate;
- (f) Approve the further work on a Public Path Order to secure the links from Cromwell Road Shops into the Timber works development; and
- (g) Approve work for the further design of all other elements of the Chisholm Trail Phase 2.

9. Cambridge Road Network Hierarchy Review

The Executive Board resolved to:

- (a) Note the project objectives and outputs; and
- (b) Support the draft proposals set out in appendices 2-4, as a basis for public consultation.

10. Milton Road

The Executive Board resolved to:

- (a) Approve the construction and traffic management plan;
- (b) Approve the award of the construction contract to Milestone Infrastructure under the terms of Cambridgeshire County Council Highways Service Framework: and
- (c) Approve an increased budget of £24M for the Milton Road project that follows the target cost proposal developed by Milestone Infrastructure.

11. Quarterly Progress Report

The Executive Board resolved to:

- (a) Endorse the multi-year budget strategy as outlined in Section 14, including the detailed GCP budgets for 2022/23. The budget strategy will continue to be updated annually; and
- (b) Delegate authority to the Director of Transport to appoint a land agent to represent the GCP Programme as set out in Section 5.6 of this report.

12. Date of Next Meeting

The Executive Board noted that the next meeting was scheduled to be held on Thursday 30th June 2022.

