

Environment and Green Investment Committee Decision Statement

Meeting: 16 January 2024
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Each decision set out below will come into force and may then be implemented on the expiry of three full working days after the publication of the decision statement and may then be implemented, unless subject to a decision review.

1. Apologies for Absence and Declarations of Interest

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Anna Bradnam who was substituted by Councillor Philippa Slatter, as well as Councillor Ferguson.

2. Minutes of the Environment and Green Investment Committee meeting held on 28 November 2024 and Action Log

The minutes of the meeting held on 28 November 2024 were agreed as correct records and signed.

Updates to the Action Log were noted.

3. Petitions and Public Questions

No petitions or public questions were received.

4. Business Plan and Budget 2025-25 – 2029-30

It was resolved to:

- a) Consider and scrutinise the proposals relevant to this Committee within the Business Plan and Budget 2025-26 – 2029-30 put forward by the Strategy, Resources and Performance Committee on 17 December 2024.
- b) Recommend changes and /or actions for consideration by the Strategy, Resources and Performance Committee at its meeting on 28 January 2025 to enable a Business Plan and Budget to be proposed to Full Council on 11 February 2025.
- c) Note the proposed schedule of fees and charges relevant to this Committee included at Appendix 2.

5. North East Cambridge – Transport Position

It was resolved to:

- a) Approve the approach to the assessment and consideration of traffic and transport impacts, and the associated transport Position Statement as set out in Appendix 1.
- b) Delegate authority to the Executive Director of Place and Sustainability in consultation with the Chair and Vice Chair of the Environment and Green Investment Committee to update the position statement to take account of minor changes, Counsel advice, and mitigation measures in line with the recently updated National Planning Policy Framework (published December 2024).

6. Fens Reservoir and Lincs Reservoir NSIP Proposals

It was resolved to:

- a) Delegate authority to the Executive Director of Place and Sustainability and the Service Director for Environment, Planning, and Economy to submit Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project (NSIP) related responses as part of the NSIP process on behalf of Cambridgeshire County Council and its regulatory functions, in consultation with the Chair and Vice Chair of the Environment and Green Investment Committee, on occasions where there is not enough time for a report to be delivered to the Environment and Green Investment Committee.
- b) Note that where delegated powers are used, draft responses will be sent to Local Members and the members of the Environment and Green Investment Committee ahead of submission to the Planning Inspectorate.

7. Agenda Plan

It was resolved to note the Agenda Plan.

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