

**ECONOMY AND
ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE****Minutes - Action Log**Cambridgeshire
County Council

This is the updated minutes action log as at 14th May 2019 and captures the actions arising from the most recent Economy and Environment Committee meetings and updates Members on the progress on compliance in delivering the necessary actions.

ACTIONS FROM THE 12TH APRIL 2018 COMMITTEE

MINUTE NO.	REPORT TITLE	ACTION TO BE TAKEN BY	ACTION	COMMENTS	STATUS
105.	ELY SOUTHERN BYPASS – COST AND ADDITIONAL FUNDING REQUIREMENT	Rob Sanderson Democratic Services / Mairead Claydon Internal Audit	a) To inform Internal Audit of the Committee's requirement that it should review the costs of the project and what lessons could be learnt and that their conclusions should be shared with this Committee.	<p>Internal Audit were contacted on 19th April and confirmed on 20th April that they had already agreed (at the March Audit and Accounts Committee) to look at the Ely Bypass project as part of a review of capital budgets overspends and variations. Due to the complexity of the investigation with regard to the above project, the high level review has been delayed and instead, Internal Audit have been concentrating on the Ely Bypass.</p> <p>The most recent update is that the report is scheduled to go to the 28th May 2019 meeting of Audit and Accounts Committee.</p>	ACTION ONGOING

SPECIFIC ACTIONS FROM THE 6th DECEMBER COMMITTEE MEETING 2018					
186.	TRANSPORT SCHEME DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME - REVIEW OF SIFTING CRITERIA	Karen Kitchener / Matthew Bowles Transport and Infrastructure	There was a request to consider within the new safety criteria air quality as part of the review.	Officers have confirmed that the further review would consider this request and include the conclusions. The update report is included on the current agenda.	ACTION ONGOING
SPECIFIC ACTIONS FROM THE 10th JANUARY COMMITTEE MEETING 2019					
202.	FINANCE AND PERFORMANCE REPORT – NOVEMBER 2018 - FINANCING OF BIKEABILITY SCHEME	Action: / Mike Davies / Jo Shilton	It was highlighted that sponsorship funding had been obtained to fully finance the Bikeability Scheme for the forthcoming year. It was agreed that officers should co-ordinate a press release, ensuring it highlighted those officers and elected Members who had been involved.	A news release was sent to all Members and put up on the website on 16 th March as well as being sent to the local media: https://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/news/cambridge-assessment-donates-6-000-sponsorship-for-bikeability/	ACTION COMPLETED
SPECIFIC ACTIONS FROM THE 7 TH FEBRUARY COMMITTEE MEETING 2019					
210.	RLW WATERBEACH NEW TOWN EAST PLANNING APPLICATION	Juliet Richardson	Councillor Bradnam raised issues regarding: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> social isolation due to the first occupations being geographically separated from Waterbeach village 	In addition to the issues raised by Councillor Bradnam at the meeting, additional detail was provided in a subsequent e-mail to officers following the meeting. The officer met with Councillor Bradnam on a couple of occasions to	

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> the adequacy of the Waste Water provision as Waterbeach was already close to capacity. 	go through some of the issues and as some involved South Cambridgeshire District Council (SCDC) non County Council matters were passed on to SCDC.	ACTION COMPLETED
214.	FINANCE AND PERFORMANCE REPORT – DECEMBER 2018	Andy Preston	One Member raised a query on page 268 on the graph titled 'Average journey time during the morning peak period' regarding why the target time line had risen between 2016-2017.	<p>The officers agreed to look into this and write to the Committee outside of the meeting.</p> <p>A response was provided on 5th March explaining the target had changed from 3.7 miles in 2015-16 to 4 miles for both 2016-17 and 2017-18. The reason for the change related to aligning the target with what was achievable, in line with general comments made at previous Committee meetings.</p>	ACTION COMPLETED
ACTIONS FROM 14TH MARCH COMMITTEE MEETING					
222.	NORTH EAST CAMBRIDGE ACTION PLAN - ISSUES AND OPTIONS – CONSULTATION 2				
	a) Question 2 Response paragraph 2.4 last sentence reading "Consideration of this	Juliet Richardson	Regarding the Concept Plan being revised to remove residential use from the immediate proximity of the railheads,		

	matter should include the wider implications of the ongoing operation of the railheads for potential new neighbouring development, including the impact of any HCV movements dust and noise emissions.		the wording should be strengthened and it should be a condition submission prior to it taking place.	Officers undertook to strengthen the wording in this paragraph as requested and was included in the response sent.	ACTION COMPLETED
	b) Water works relocation	Juliet Richardson	Query on where the water works would be potentially relocated	The officer indicated she would consult with the Waste and Water team and write to the Committee outside of the meeting. An e-mail response was provided outside of the meeting.	ACTION COMPLETED
	c) On paragraph 2.20 response	Juliet Richardson	Query regarding whether consideration should be given to the use / type of development.	Officers agreed to look at use classes. Their conclusion was that this was too detailed for this consultation but the request had been noted and sent to the steering group.	ACTION COMPLETED
	d) Delegation to Executive Director /Chairman and Vice Chairman	Juliet Richardson	The authority to make any minor changes to the consultation response prior to submission and that if more significant changes were required, they should be shared with the whole Committee.	This had been signed off with the Chairman and Vice Chairman prior to the response being sent. There were no significant changes.	ACTION COMPLETED
223.	LAND NORTH WEST OF SPITTALS WAY AND ERMINE STREET GREAT				

	STUKELY OUTLINE PLANNING APPLICATION				
	a) Access roads	Juliet Richardson / Colum Fitzsimmons	More information was requested outside the meeting by the Chairman on the access to be provided to local roads.	David Allatt e-mailed the Chairman after the meeting on the specific question about why access was not proposed onto the old A14. The e-mail covered the reasons for this and clarified the access arrangements proposed.	ACTION COMPLETED
	b) Delegation	Juliet Richardson / Colum Fitzsimmons	The authority to make minor changes to the response.	Officers confirmed that no minor updates were required.	ACTION COMPLETED
224	KENNET GARDEN VILLAGE OUTLINE PLANNING APPLICATION CONSULTATION RESPONSE - DELEGATION	Juliet Richardson	Delegating to the Executive Director, Place and Economy in consultation with the Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Committee, The authority to make minor changes to the response.	The formal response which did not change was sent to East Cambridgeshire District Council on 4 th April including the suggested changes agreed at the meeting. Kennett Garden Village has now been to the local planning authority committee and approval has been granted.	ACTION COMPLETED
225.	WELLCOME TRUST GENOME CAMPUS OUTLINE PLANNING APPLICATION Delegation	Juliet Richardson / Colum Fitzsimmons	Delegating to the Executive Director, Place and Economy in consultation with the Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Committee, the authority to make any minor	Officers confirmed that no minor amendments to the response were required.	ACTION COMPLETED

			amendments to the response.		
226.	CONNECTING CAMBRIDGESHIRE PROGRAMME FULL FIBRE TARGET a) villages still lacking any fibre coverage	Noelle Godfrey	The Member for Whittlesey South highlighted that some villages still lacked any fibre coverage, with reference being made to the village of Benwick as an example where assurances had been provided that they would receive coverage within the agreed original work programme.	<p>The officer agreed to provide a progress update to the member outside of the meeting.</p> <p>A response was provided to Councillor Connor on 27th March and is included as appendix 1 to this Action log.</p>	ACTION COMPLETED
	b) Document tidy Up Suggestions	Vice Chairman	These would be provided by Councillor Wotherspoon to the report author outside of the meeting.		
	c) Not Spot Lists	Noelle Godfrey / Jane Sneesby	officers to prepare a list of SFBB 'Not Spots' (i.e. those premises that will be left without coverage after the completion of phase 4) including a timetable for their rectification to be circulated in due course to all county councillors and also made available to district councillors and their relevant officers.	An update from Communications is due to be sent to all members in the week of 20 th May and will include a link to the postcode checker so Members/residents can check which premises are included in Phase 4, and find links to advice on options for those not yet covered.	Due to be completed

Appendix 1

Benwick Broadband update

Good Afternoon Cllr Connor,

Further to your request at the Economy and Environment Committee of 14 March 2019, we wanted to update you on the superfast broadband situation in Benwick.

Most premises in Benwick can access superfast broadband by upgrading to a fibre service package with their chosen ISP. However, there are a number of premises in Benwick along Neneside, Cricketers Way and Rivers Close that are currently unable to access superfast speed. This is because their lines are connected directly into the exchange on a copper or aluminium exchange only (EO) line. This means that there is no green cabinet between the property and the exchange to upgrade with fibre cabling, connecting EO lines requires the rearrangement of the network as there is no aggregation point to connect to the fibre cabinet (DSLAM).

Openreach have planned a Fibre to the Premises (FTTP) solution for these premises. This is where the fibre will be coming directly to the premises, enabling them to access download speeds up to 330mbps. We are anticipating that the FTTP network serving live and accepting orders by early 2020, however these are preliminary timescales and are subject to change if technical issues arise during the work. If you would like to find out more information about the FTTP solution, please visit our "[Superfast Solutions](#)" page.

If residents would like to learn more about how they can upgrade to Superfast Broadband they can visit our '[Getting Superfast](#)' page. Ofcom has recently launched a website called "[Boost Your Broadband](#)" where residents can check to see if they are able to superfast speeds. The website also has a lot of information regarding [how to get the best deal for you](#), which residents may also find helpful.

Kind regards,

Gabrielle
Connecting Cambridgeshire

