



Sustainability & Transport O&S Committee: Work Programme 2020/21

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Due to changes to Committee meetings due to the Covid-19 lockdown the following dates are proposed for the 2021/22 municipal year. Areas of work previously highlighted and upcoming areas of interest are listed and have been scheduled as agreed by the Chair. Further areas of work will need to be prioritised and agreed by Members for each meeting in advance wherever possible.

1 Meeting Schedule

Date	What	Officer Contact / Attendees
8th July 2020 1400 hours Online Meeting Report Deadline: 29th June	Climate Change Emergency Update	Maria Dunn, Head of Development Policy;
	Emergency Birmingham Transport Plan - Update	Phil Edwards, Assistant Director, Transport & Connectivity and Mel Jones, Head of Transport Planning and Network Strategy
	Highways Management and Maintenance PFI update	Domenic De Bechi, PFI Contract Manager and Kevin Hicks, Assistant Director, Highways & Infrastructure
	Local Engineering Service re-design	Kevin Hicks, Assistant Director, Highways & Infrastructure and Ravinder Sahota, Local Highways Services Manager



Date	What	Officer Contact / Attendees
30th September 2020 1400 hours Online Meeting Report Deadline: 21 st Sept	Discussion on the Council's Climate Emergency Declaration Waste Disposal Contract – Verbal Update Tracking – Plastic Free Birmingham Inquiry Air Quality Action Plan Consultation	Committee discussion Cllr John O'Shea, Cabinet Member for Street Scene and Parks; Darren Share, Assistant Director Street Scene Darren Share, Assistant Director Street Scene Mark Wolstencroft, Operations Manager Environmental Protection
21st October 2020 1400 hours Online Meeting Report Deadline: 12 th Oct	Parking Enforcement Update on Emergency Birmingham Transport Plan schemes School Streets Pilot Project Update E-Scooters Update	Kevin Hicks, Assistant Director, Highways & Infrastructure and Stacey Ryans, Parking Services Manager Mel Jones, Head of Transport Planning and Network Strategy/Joe Green, Travel Demand Manager Joe Green, Travel Demand Manager Ioanna Moscholidou, Transport and Connectivity and John Myatt, Transport Planning & Investment Manager
18th November 2020 1400 hours Online Meeting Report Deadline: 9 th Nov	Emergency Active Travel Fund Update on Transport Schemes for the Commonwealth Games	Phil Edwards, Assistant Director, Transport & Connectivity and Mel Jones, Head of Transport Planning and Network Strategy Andy Middleton, Andy Everest, BCC Anne Shaw and Sandeep Shingadia, TfWM



Date	What	Officer Contact / Attendees
16th December 2020 1400 hours Online Meeting Report Deadline: 7 th Dec	Cabinet Member for Transport & Environment Portfolio Update Transport Capital Investment Clean Air Zone progress update Climate Emergency Action Plan update	Rose Horsfall, Cabinet Support Officer Phil Edwards, Assistant Director, Transport & Connectivity Stephen Arnold, Head of Clean Air Zone Ian MacLeod, Interim Director, Inclusive Growth and Maria Dunn, Head of Development Policy
20th January 2021 1400 hours TBC Report Deadline: 11 th Jan	Clean Air Discussion: - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Progress on action plan to tackle air pollution at New St Station Feedback from Air Quality Action Plan consultation Clean Air Strategy – Discussion on tackling air pollution across the city 	Professor John Thornes, University of Birmingham; Azhar Quaiyoom, Network Rail and Train Operators TBC Mark Wolstencroft, Operations Manager Environmental Protection
17th February 2021 1400 hours TBC Report Deadline: 8 th Feb	TBC	TBC
17th March 2021 1400 hours TBC Report Deadline: 8 th March	Flood Risk and Management Annual Report	TBC
21st April 2021 1400 hours TBC Report Deadline: 12 th April	TBC	TBC



2 Further work areas of interest/Work to be programmed

2.1 The following items could be scheduled into the work programme if members wish to investigate further:

- CWG Sustainability Strategy - TBC
- Tracking – Birmingham Tree Policy Inquiry Report (previously tracked in November 2019)
- Travel Demand Management (including traffic management issues)
- Clean Air Strategy (TBC)
- Managing Developments & Events, (Including transport technology & data)
- Sustainable Energy and the Veolia Contract - *5-year contract extension (terms & exit strategy)
- Cabinet Member for Transport & Environment – Annual report (April 2021)
- Tracking – Plastic Free Birmingham Inquiry (September 2021 TBC)

3 Other Meetings

3.1 Members have previously received a private briefing on the Waste Disposal Contract.

Call in Meetings

Petitions

*None
scheduled*

Councillor Call for Action requests

*None
scheduled*

It is suggested that the Committee approve Wednesday at 1400 hours as a suitable day and time each week for any additional meetings required to consider 'requests for call in' which may be lodged in respect of Executive decisions.

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4 Forward Plan for Cabinet Decisions

The following decisions, extracted from the Cabinet Office Forward Plan of Decisions, are likely to be relevant to the Sustainability & Transport O&S Committee's remit. **Please note this is correct at the time of publication. Highlighted rows show a change to the previously listed cabinet proposed date.**

Reference	Title	Portfolio	Proposed Date of Decision
008212/2020	Birmingham Clean Air Zone (CAZ) Update to Cabinet on Digital and Physical Infrastructure, Air Quality Monitoring and Forecast Income and Expenditure	Transport & Environment	15 Dec 2020
006832/2019	Highway Maintenance and Management PFI Contract	Transport & Environment	19 Jan 2021
007437/2020	City Centre Public Realm - Phase 1 Full Business Case	Transport & Environment	19 Jan 2021
007927/2021	Business Plan 2021-2025	n/a	09 Feb 2021
007926/2020	Snow Hill Station Regeneration – Strategic Outline Business Case	Leader	09 Feb 2021
008192/2021	Contribution to Decarbonising Construction of HS2	Transport & Environment	09 Feb 2021
006361/2019	Wharfedale Road Bridge Project	Transport & Environment	09 Feb 2021
008190/2021	Transportation and Highways Capital Programme 2021/22 to 2026/27	Transport & Environment	09 Feb 2021
008307/2021	Perry Barr Regeneration Scheme – Full Business Case Update	Leader	09 Feb 2021
008314/2021	Further Consultation on the Parking Supplementary Planning Document	Leader	16 Mar 2021
005048/2018	Moor Street Queensway Public Realm Improvements Outline Business Case	Transport & Environment	16 Mar 2021
007750/2020	HS2 Curzon Station Integrated Metro Stop	Transport & Environment	16 Mar 2021
005491/2018	Digbeth Public Realm Improvements Full Business Case	Transport & Environment	20 Apr 2021