

STATUTORY FORWARD PLAN

KEY DECISIONS
(indicated by ■)

01 MARCH 2012 - 30 JUNE 2012

Description of Matter/ Decision Required	Responsible Officer	Portfolio Leader	Identity of Decision-Taker (eg Cabinet or Officer or Joint Arrangement)	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	Principal Consultees	Method of Consultation	How Interested Parties may submit representations to decision-takers and end date for representations	Reports and background papers submitted to decision-taker for consideration	Notes/ Comments
1] Wheeled Sports: provision of purpose-built facilities and use of the public realm	Corporate Director of Development & Neighbourhood Services	Councillor Dixon - Cabinet Member for Arts, Culture and Leisure, Councillor Smith - Cabinet Member for Regeneration & Transport, Councillor Rose - Cabinet Member for the Environment	Cabinet	■													Children young people and adults in several areas of the Borough have been consulted to date. Officers from several sections of the local authority will input to the report. Specific proposals for the development of facilities or changes to the management of design of spaces would be subject to detailed consultation with interested parties.	The Integrated Youth Service Support Team have consulted widely with children and young people across the Borough, with 388 people taking part in a questionnaire survey on possible provision of a skate park. The Council has also received several petitions on this issue. Issues and ideas were discussed further through a workshop session held on 10 January 2012. This was very well attended by children,	By email to Graham Clingan graham.clingan@stockton.gov.uk by 10 February 2012.	Survey results from questionnaire survey and other associated information.	Key Decision Key Decision An EIA will be undertaken at the stage when specific project proposals are being considered
<p>This report will set out a series of recommendations for how the Council could provide appropriate facilities and spaces where people can undertake a variety of wheeled sports activities. using skate boards, BMX bikes, in-line skates and freestyle scooters. This is likely to include recommendations for:</p> <p>(a) The future use of the existing mobile skate park and semi-static skate park facilities</p> <p>(b) The development of one or more permanent skate parks, to be delivered in partnership with young people and community organisations.</p> <p>(c) Whether skateboarding and other wheeled sports should be encouraged or discouraged in certain areas of public realm, and what implications this may have on the future development and on-going management of these areas.</p> <p>The report will also refer to the possible role that private and third sector partners might play in the future provision of facilities and spaces for wheeled sports.</p>																					

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2] Review of Private Hire & Hackney Carriage Licensing Policy	Corporate Director of Development & Neighbourhood Services	Councillor Nelson - Cabinet Member for Housing and Community Safety	Cabinet		■												Members, Trade, Representative Groups and the general public	Newspaper Advert, Website and Trade Meetings	In writing to dave.kitching@stockton.gov.uk or mick,vaines@stockton.gov.uk by 30 January 2012	N/A	Key Decision The findings of the review will be considered by the Licensing Committee before submission to Cabinet. EIA required.
This report details the findings of the three yearly review of the Private Hire & Hackney Carriage Licensing Policy (last review completed March 2009).																					
3] Highways Management Task & Finish Review	Corporate Director of Development & Neighbourhood Services	Councillor Smith - Cabinet Member for Regeneration & Transport	Cabinet		■												Regeneration & Transport Select Committee, Cabinet	Select Committee Meetings	By email to Richard McGuckin at richard.mcguckin@stockton.gov.uk by end December 2011		Key Decision EIA required
To report the findings from the task & finish review																					
4] Local Plan: To approve the Regeneration and Environment Development	Corporate Director Development and Neighbourhood Services	Councillor Smith - Cabinet Member for Regeneration & Transport	Cabinet, Council		■												Public, Statutory Consultees, Planning Committee, Cabinet	The document will be subject to a six week period of public	To Spatial Planning Manager by email at rosemary.young@stockton.gov.uk in	The Regeneration and Environment DPD Preferred Options	Key Decision The DPD will be subject to a Sustainability Appraisal,

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Plan Document (DPD) Preferred Options for a public consultation. To endorse the Schedule of responses from the various Issues and Options Consultations.																		consultation. A public notice will be placed in the press. Documents will be available on the website, in public libraries and main Council offices. In accordance with their stated preference, letters or emails will be sent out to people on the Local Plan Consultation Database. Spatial Planning Officers will attend LSP and other meeting to publicise the consultation.	accordance with statutory notice period from 11th June - 23rd July 2012.	Schedule of responses from Issues and Options Consultations Sustainability Appraisal Habitats Regulations Assessment Draft Infrastructure Strategy	so an EIA is NOT required.
The Regeneration and Environment DPD is one of a series of documents which comprise the statutory development plan for the borough. Its purpose is to allocate site for housing, employment, transport and other significant land uses and set out borough wide policies and sites concerning the natural and built environment (including green wedges, nature conservation sites, open spaces and the historic environment).																					