

Place Select Committee Chair's Update – November 2019

Scrutiny Review – Area Transport Strategy	
Achieved since last meeting	<p>At the last meeting in October 2019, the Committee received a presentation from Local Authority Officers addressing the remaining key lines of enquiry. These included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How much is allocated from the Council's Local Transport Plan funding (has this changed over time); is this consistent across the four ATS groups? • Is ATS a cost-effective process for involving the community in the decision-making process and is it achieving its aim? Officer time / resource required? • Do other Local Authorities involve the community in the selection of highway and transport schemes, and if so, how? • How many and what types of projects are proposed; who are they being proposed by; what has been spent in recent years as a percentage of the overall budget, and on which geographical areas; any themes in terms of what is not funded? • How / what schemes would be delivered if the funding was used for core LTP work; what would not? <p>Members also discussed the responses to the ATS stakeholder survey that was issued in September 2019, and heard views on the scheme from a current Chair of an ATS group.</p>
Problems or concerns	None.
Planned next month	The Committee will consider a summary of the evidence received as part of this review in November 2019, and will formulate draft recommendations.
On track – yes / no	Yes.

Overview / Performance and Quality Assurance	
Key Issues / Problems or concerns	None.
Requests for more information	None.

Monitoring	
Key Issues / Problems or concerns	There have been no progress updates received by the Committee since the last Executive Scrutiny Committee

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	<p>meeting.</p> <p>Future progress updates regarding previously completed reviews will be received by the Committee on the following dates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Management of Memorials – November 2019• Disabled Parking (Task & Finish) – November 2019• Parking on Grass Verges (Task & Finish) – March 2020• Bring Sites (Recycling) – March 2020• Consolidation of Thirteen Housing Group – July 2020 <p>In addition, there are outstanding actions in relation to the reviews of Fire Safety of High Rise Residential Buildings (Task & Finish), and Asylum Seeker Services – updates on these are to be scheduled.</p>
Requests for more information	None.

Next Meeting

Monday 25th November 2019 (2.00pm)