

Cambridge City Council Planning and Transport Scrutiny Committee - Tuesday, 28th June: Update note for items 7 and 8

Summary

This note provides an update on specific issues relating to items 7 and 8, where each report envisaged a verbal update would be provided. Given that these items have not been requested for scrutiny, the update is being provided in this written form.

[Item 7: Local Transport & Connectivity Plan: draft plan consultation response](#)

Para 3.1 of the report states:

The LTCP is supported by the following documents which have yet to be published at the time of writing. A verbal update on these will be provided in the meeting:

- Our Policies, setting requirements related to transport planning and design, delivery, and operation and maintenance for all relevant partners, and providing principles which will underpin decision-making, capital investment and revenue support in our transport network
- A Public Engagement and Consultation Report
- An updated Evidence Base
- Three refreshed statutory Impact Assessments produced together as an Integrated Impact Assessment, incorporating Strategic Environmental Assessment, Habitats Regulation Assessment and Community Impact Assessment (incorporating a Health Impact Assessment (HIA) and an Equality Impact Assessment (EqIA))

Update

The Strategic Environmental Impact Assessment and Habitats Regulation Assessment screening reports have now been [published](#) as part of the [Integrated](#)

[Impact Assessment](#). Both of these focus on the impacts of changes between the adopted LTP 2020 and the draft LTCP being consulted upon. A summary of their conclusions is set out at page I of the link above. The conclusions do not give rise to a recommendation to amend the proposed response to the LTCP. Notwithstanding, officers recommend an insubstantive amendment is made to the response to note that the Habitat Regulation Assessment wrongly identifies Cambourne to Cambridge public transport scheme as a project that is new to the LTCP.

Item 8: Neighbouring Local Plan consultation responses

Para 3.12 of the report notes

A verbal update will be made regarding progress on the Bedford Borough Local Plan 2040: Plan for Submission consultation.

Update

Consultation started on the 15th June.

Para 3.15 of the report notes

A verbal update will be made regarding progress relating to the Uttlesford Draft Local Plan (Regulation 18) consultation.

Update

The Uttlesford Local Plan webpages have been updated to state that the Uttlesford Draft Local Plan (Regulation 18) consultation has been pushed back to November 2022.

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