



Cambridge City Council

Environment Scrutiny Committee

Agenda

Scrutiny Committee Members: Councillors Ward (Chair), Bailey (Vice-Chair), Baker, Durrant, Herbert, Holland, Holness, Newbold and Shah Kightley (Alt)

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Executive Councillor Environmental Services: Cllr C Rosenstiel
Executive Councillor Planning & Transport: Cllr Reid

Agenda despatched and placed on public deposit: 26 October 2006

Date: Tuesday 7 November 2006
Time: 10am
Place: The Guildhall
Contact: Liz Whitcher **Direct Dial:** 01223 457015

Agenda A

- 1 [Minutes](#)
To approve the minutes of the last meeting on 27 June 2006 as a correct record.
[Pages 1 - 12]
- 2 **Apologies**
To receive any apologies for absence.
- 3 **Declarations Of Interest**
Members are asked to declare at this stage any interests that they may have in an item shown on this agenda. If any member of the Committee is unsure whether or not they should declare an interest on a particular matter, they should seek advice from the Head of Legal and Democratic Services **before** the meeting.
- 4 **Public Questions** (See information at the end of the agenda)

Scrutiny Committee members will be invited to comment on the key decisions shown below. The relevant Executive Councillor will be present at the meeting and, following consideration by the committee, will make a decision taking into account the Committee's comments.

The non-key decisions have been referred to the committee for scrutiny before the Executive Councillor makes a decision. Who has referred the matter is indicated.

Executive Councillor for Environmental Services

- 5 [KEY DECISION Review of the First Twelve Months of Alternate Week Collection Service](#)
(Officer Contact, Jen Robertson, Tel: 457658) *[Pages 13 - 24]*

- 6A [**NON KEY DECISION Service Plan Performance Review 2006-07 and Revised Budgets**](#)
Executive Councillor for Environmental Services
(Officer Contact, Karen Whyatt , Tel: 458145) [Pages 25 - 44]
- Environmental Health (part)
 - Street Services
 - Waste Management

- 6B [**NON KEY DECISION Service Plan Performance Review 2006-07 and Revised Budgets**](#)
Executive Councillor for Planning & Transport
(Officer Contact, Richard Wesbroom Tel: 458148) [Pages 45 - 76]
- Development Services
 - Parking Services
 - Policy and Projects
 - Support Services
 - Economic Development and Tourism

- 7 [**KEY DECISION Local Development Scheme**](#)
(Officer Contact, David Roberts, Tel: 457172) [Pages 77 - 120]

Please note that items 8 and 9 are attached separately

- 8 [**KEY DECISION Statement of Community Involvement: A Consultation Strategy for Planning in Cambridge**](#)
(Officer Contact, Elizabeth Rolfe, Tel: 457183)
- 9 [**NON KEY DECISION Open Space and Recreation Strategy**](#) (referred by the Labour members of the Scrutiny Committee)
(Officer Contact, David Roberts, Tel: 457172)
- 10 [**KEY DECISION Cambridge City Nature Conservation Strategy**](#)
(Officer Contact, Glen Richardson, Tel: 457131) [Pages 121 - 136]
- 11 [**KEY DECISION Taxicard Review**](#)
(Officer Contact, Eileen Oliver Tel: 457273) [Pages 137 - 148]
- 12 **Decisions By The Executive Councillors** – The following Records of Decision are reported to the Scrutiny Committee. Members had been copied these decision by e-mail at the time the decision had been taken.
[Pages 149 - 180]

Executive Councillor for Environmental Services

- a) [Authorisation to carry out consultation on the proposal to use new powers to deal with abandoned shopping trolleys](#)

Executive Councillor for Planning & Transport

- b) [Inclusion of Fendon Road in the Mowbray Road Pilot Scheme for the Enforcement of the Verge Parking Byelaw](#)
- c) [To Authorise Consultation on and Advertisement of Proposed Changes to the Provision of Hackney Carriage Stands in Drummer Street and Sidney Street](#)
- d) [To Let a Temporary Contract for Cash Collection Services for Car Parking and other Council Services](#)

- e) [To enter into a new agreement with Cambridgeshire County Council and the other District Councils for the provision of countywide free concessionary travel scheme](#)
- f) [Contract for Minor Roadworks and Environmental Improvements](#)

General Items

- 13** [Concessionary Bus Travel Scheme](#) (requested by the Labour members of the Scrutiny Committee)
(Officer Contact, Eileen Oliver Tel: 457273) [Pages 181 - 184]
- 14** [Newmarket Road Area - Traffic Generation From Development](#) (requested by the Labour members of the Scrutiny Committee)
(Officer Contact, Barry Louth Tel: 457271) [Pages 185 - 191]
- 15** **Forward Plan**
There is only one non-key decision on the current version of the Forward Plan (published 17 October 2006) (see below). The Scrutiny Committee is asked to consider whether it wishes to scrutinise this item at the 9 January meeting.

9 January 2007

new entered 11 October

1. Cambridge East Transport Study

This report is partially as a result of a request by East Area Committee for a report on the implications of development to the East of the City, following Marshall's airport moving to a different site. More generally, however, it reports on a Cambridge East Transport Study carried out by the County Council and seeks a City response to the County's proposals, prior to a decision by the County Council's Cabinet on February 27th. (Barry Louth)

Information for the public

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