



## Strategic Transport Forum

### Agenda

27<sup>th</sup> November 2020

11am – 1pm

**Microsoft Teams Meeting:** Dial-In Details in appointment

*(Members of the Public are asked to register attendance via*

[englandseconomicheartland@buckinghamshire.gov.uk](mailto:englandseconomicheartland@buckinghamshire.gov.uk) by midday, Thursday

*10<sup>th</sup> November)*

<b>1</b>	<b>Introductions and Minutes of Previous Meeting</b> <i>(including update on actions)</i>	Chair (10 mins)
<b>2</b>	<b>Public Questions</b> <i>Attending members of the public are asked to register the wish to speak in advance. Comments will be invited on any of the listed agenda items.</i> <i>Speakers will be invited to ask a question, a supplementary question and to make a short statement.</i>	Chair (10 mins)
<b>3</b>	<b>Draft Transport Strategy: Consultation Feedback</b> <i>To note the overall response to the consultation on the draft Transport Strategy and Integrated Sustainability Appraisal and to consider the implications of the key themes from the consultation for the final version of the Transport Strategy.</i>	Adam King (10 mins)
<b>4</b>	<b>Transport Decarbonisation – Implications</b> <i>To consider the implications of feedback in the consultation on the Draft Transport Strategy for EEH to act faster and harder in its response to decarbonisation of the transport network.</i>	James Golding Graham (25 mins)
<b>5</b>	<b>Transport Strategy – Next Steps</b> <i>To consider how feedback from the consultation is being incorporated into the final version of the Transport Strategy and to comment on the revised approach to the introductory section of the Transport Strategy</i>	Naomi Green (15 mins)
<b>6</b>	<b>Next Steps for Statutory Status</b> <i>To consider feedback from both consultation responses and DfT on statutory status for EEH as a Sub National Transport Body and to consider next steps</i>	Martin Tugwell (15 mins)

<b>7</b>	<p><b>Strategic Road Network Investment: Route Strategies</b></p> <p><i>To set out England's Economic Heartland's priorities for the Strategic Road Network to inform the next programme of Route Strategies</i></p>	Abi Nichols (15 mins)
<b>8</b>	<p><b>Consultation Responses</b></p> <p><i>To consider draft responses to four consultations and letters of support:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Luton Local Transport Plan 4</i></li> <li>- <i>Cambridge South Station</i></li> <li>- <i>Cambridge Eastern Access</i></li> <li>- <i>Welland Valley Rail</i></li> </ul>	Antony Swift/ Martin Tugwell (10 mins)
<b>9</b>	<p><b>Business Unit Update</b></p> <p><i>To agree next steps for taking forward powers within the Traffic Management Act 2004.</i></p> <p><i>To note progress on some key programmes of activity:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Connectivity Studies</i></li> <li>- <i>First Last Mile Connectivity Pilots</i></li> <li>- <i>Decarbonisation of Freight</i></li> </ul>	Naomi Green (10 mins)
<b>10</b>	<p><b>Future Meeting Dates</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Friday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2021</i></li> <li>• <i>Friday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2021</i></li> <li>• <i>Friday 10<sup>th</sup> September 2021</i></li> <li>• <i>Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2021</i></li> </ul> <p><i>All meetings to be held:</i></p> <p><i>Virtually or at Bedford Borough Council, Cauldwell Street, Bedford, MK42 9AP</i></p>	