

**Wiltshire Council**

**Environment Select Committee**

**27 October 2015**

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**Task Group update**

**Purpose**

1. To provide an update on recent task group activity and propose any decisions requiring Committee approval.
2. Further verbal update will be provided by the Chairmen of the task group as appropriate.

**Public Transport Review Task Group (joint with Health Select Committee)**

3. Membership

Cllr Peter Evans (Chairman)  
Cllr Terry Chivers  
Cllr Mollie Groom  
Cllr Jacqui Lay  
Cllr Magnus Macdonald  
Cllr Graham Wright

Scrutiny officer: Marie Gondlach

4. Terms of reference

1. To scrutinise the pre-consultation(s) and consultation(s) and recommend that the range of transport option(s) offered take into consideration the needs of communities in rural and urban areas.
2. To scrutinise the pre-consultation(s) and consultation(s) and recommend that the option(s) offered take into account the impact of reducing spending on public transport and that the scope for alternative methods of delivery and / or mitigation of the impacts is adequate.
3. To scrutinise how the public transport funding is invested and recommend that community priorities are reflected and that investments represents the best value for money whilst supporting the delivery of outcomes related to health and wellbeing, education, economy and employment. To recommend, where appropriate, that consideration is given to an integrated transport strategy.

4. To scrutinise the decision to be made on the adoption of a new policy / strategy framework, in the light of future budget availability. If applicable, to engage with the development of the policy / strategy framework.

5. To monitor the implementation of the option(s) selected following the public transport review.

5. Recent activity

At its meeting on 16 September 2015 the task group reviewed the outcome of the pre-consultation including members' summaries of the meetings with bus operators they had attended.

At its next meeting on 4 November 2015 the task group will review the options being developed for the public consultation and the public consultation plan.

### **Highways and Streetscene Contract Task Group**

6. Membership

Cllr Jeff Osborn (Chairman)  
Cllr Bob Jones MBE  
Cllr Gordon King  
Cllr Linda Packard  
Cllr Tony Trotman  
Cllr John Walsh

Scrutiny officer: Emma Dove

7. Recent activity

There is a substantive item on the agenda.

### **Resident Engagement Task Group**

8. Membership

Richard Britton  
Terry Chivers  
Jose Green  
Mollie Groom  
Graham Payne

To be endorsed by the Committee.

Scrutiny officer: Henry Powell

9. Terms of reference

To be discussed at the task group's first meeting and then endorsed by committee.

10. Recent activity

The task group's first meeting is scheduled for 16 November 2015 and will include a discussion of the task group's terms of reference, methodology and timescale. A short officer briefing on the requirements on the council and housing associations in terms of resident engagement will be provided.

**Waste Task Group**

11. Membership (to be confirmed as re-convened task group)

Cllr Jose Green (Chairman)  
Cllr Pat Aves  
Cllr Rosemary Brown  
Cllr Mollie Groom  
Cllr Peter Evans  
Cllr Jacqui Lay

Scrutiny officer: Henry Powell

12. Terms of reference

The terms of reference will be discussed at the task group's first meeting and then endorsed by committee.

However the committee is invited to consider the areas of work it wishes the task group to focus on.

**Proposals**

**13. To agree the proposed membership of the Resident Engagement Task Group.**

**14. To consider the areas of work the Waste Task Group should focus on.**

**15. To note the update on task group activity provided.**

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