

## ENVIRONMENT SELECT COMMITTEE

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### EXTRACT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE ENVIRONMENT SELECT COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 12 JANUARY 2010 IN COMMITTEE ROOM III, COUNTY HALL, TROWBRIDGE.

#### **Present:**

Cllr Chuck Berry, Cllr Rosemary Brown (Vice Chairman), Cllr Nigel Carter, Cllr Brian Dalton, Cllr Peter Doyle, Cllr Jose Green, Cllr Mollie Groom (Chairman), Cllr Alan Hill, Cllr Chris Humphries, Cllr Tom James MBE, Cllr Ian McLennan, Cllr Stephen Oldrieve and Cllr Leo Randall.

#### **Also Present:**

Cllr Dick Tonge, Cllr Stuart Wheeler, Cllr Toby Sturgis and Cllr Richard Gamble

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#### **41. Scrutiny of Car Parking**

##### **(ii) Review of Wiltshire Local Transport (LTP) – Parking Plan**

A report was submitted by the Corporate Director for Transport, Environment and Leisure, which set out the proposed methodology and timescale for reviewing the Local Transport Plan – Parking Plan.

The review would take account of new national, regional and local policies and would form part of the emerging Local Development Framework (LDF) – Wiltshire Core Strategy and Wiltshire LTP3. A draft of which would be consulted on September to November 2010 with the final LTP3 published at the end of March 2011.

Cllr Dick Tonge, Cabinet Member - Car Parking, attended the meeting to answer any questions arising from the report.

Ensuing discussion included a request that the terminology contained within the report should be simplified with an explanation of some of the elements therein; how the banding categories (detailed in paragraph 19 of the report) had been devised and whether these were movable and the extend of involvement from the area boards.

Clarification was provided that the process had not yet been determined regarding the banding categories outlined in paragraph 19 of the report and that the committee felt that area boards should be used for consultation

purposes only as it was felt inappropriate for area boards to have full responsibility for parking charges within their respective areas.

Clarification was also provided that Mouchel were to undertake the consultation process as part of pre-existing contractual arrangements. A Copy of the consultant's brief will be circulated to members of the committee.

Cllr Alan Hill moved that paragraph 20 of the report be amended to read:

That the Area Boards should have a chance to consider and be consulted upon regarding car parking charges in their area and to make any recommendations through the Executive.

Upon vote the motion was passed.

**Resolved:**

- 1) To note the report with amended paragraph 20 as outlined above;**  
**and**
- 2) To receive an update on the Wiltshire Local Transport Plan – Parking Plan in May 2010.**