

Environment and Infrastructure Select Committee Forward Work Programme 2017/2018

Environment and Infrastructure Select Committee (Chairman: Bob Gardner)

Date of Meeting	Scrutiny Topic	Description	Outcome	Method
10 May 2018	Surrey Waste Local Plan	To scrutinise the proposals for the refreshed Surrey Waste Local Plan following the work undertaken with the Member Reference Group, and prior to Cabinet decision.	TBD	Formal Report
10 May 2018	Rights of Way	To consider what capital investment may be required, and the role of volunteering assets and parish councils in maintaining public rights of way.	To have assessed the added value of any capital investment required and test the roles that the Voluntary Sector and Parish Councils can have.	Formal Report
10 May 2018	Basingstoke Canal	To review options regarding sustainable management of the Basingstoke Canal.	To have made a recommendation to Cabinet on the sustainable future management solution for the Basingstoke Canal and made recommendations regarding the	Formal Report

			long term strategy and business objectives for the Canal.	
6 September 2018	Air Quality	To evaluate the progress the council is making to improve air quality.	To review mechanisms available to support better air quality in the future.	Formal Report
6 December 2018	Performance Review of key E&I services.	To review the corporate strategy performance data and Surrey Waste Partnership data on recycling rates.	In Development	Formal Report
6 December 2018	Code of practice on road maintenance/safety	To review the UK Roads Board have revision of the code of practice for road maintenance and safety.	Local authorities have two years to decide whether they will adopt the new code or a risk based approach. The committee will assess what the proposals will mean for the Council and Surrey residents.	Formal Report
TBD	Strategic Transport Priorities	In Development	In Development	In Development
Task Groups				
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	Basingstoke Canal Task Group	To consider the most effective governance option for Surrey County Council in relation to the Basingstoke Canal of which the council is a joint owner.	Recommendations of this Task Group will enable the county council to decide whether they continue their involvement with the Basingstoke Canal or make changes to the current joint ownership model.	Bob Gardner, Richard Wilson, Stephen Cooksey
	Countryside Management Member Reference Group	To report to the Select Committee with recommendations to advise the Cabinet Member on the changes required to the Surrey Wildlife Trust (SWT)/Surrey County Council (SCC) Agreement and its governance, (<i>The MRG</i>	To have ensured that the Surrey Wildlife Trust is fit for purpose for the remainder of its term	Bob Gardner, Matt Furniss, Richard Wilson, Stephen Cooksey

		<i>meets on an ad hoc basis as and when the service requires support.)</i>		
	Surrey Waste Local Plan Member Reference Group	To Act as champions for the new Surrey Waste Local Plan with Member colleagues and community organisations on draft proposals developed as part of the emerging SWLP	To have given officers the perspective of members and other stakeholders, including communities and to have provided feedback on the approach taken for engagement with the public and stakeholders	Wyatt Ramsdale, Jonathan Essex, Richard Wilson, Matthew Furniss

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