

# Communities, Environment and Highways Select Committee

## Forward Work Programme

### 2020/21

Date of Meeting	Scrutiny Topic	Description	Outcome	Responsible Member / Lead Officer
<b>18 June 2020</b>	Directorate Response to Coronavirus	An update on the impact of the pandemic on the service and its response	Members briefed on Environment, Transport & Infrastructure Directorate key activity since March 2020	Katie Stewart, Executive Director – Environment, Transport and Infrastructure
	Community Investment Fund	To review and scrutinise the details and scope of the community investment fund.	Input to the final decision taken by council to implement the fund	Tim Oliver, Leader of the council  Katie Stewart, Executive Director – Environment, Transport and Infrastructure
	Waste Commissioning Strategy	This contract expires in September 2024, and SCC needs to commission new service arrangements. The outcomes from the Waste Commissioning Strategy will shape any new arrangements	Select Committee has reviewed the strategy and given feedback prior to Cabinet decision and the letting of any future contract	Natalie Bramhall, Cabinet Member for Environment & Climate Change  Richard Parkinson, Environment Delivery Group Manager
<b>16 September</b>	Progress on Climate	For the committee to review	Assurance that progress is	Natalie Bramhall,



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<b>2020</b>	Change Strategy	the council's activity since approving the strategy	being made and any obstacles are reviewed	Cabinet Member for Environment & Climate Change  Katie Sargent, Environment Commissioning Group Manager
<b>Items to be Scheduled</b>				
<b>2021</b>	How the Council plans for infrastructure investment including bidding for funds	Potential task group to understand how current council processes and identify any areas for improvement	Greater understanding of current processes strengths and weaknesses. Possible recommendations to improve capability to Cabinet	Colin Kemp, Deputy Leader
<b>TBC</b>	Future Bus Strategy	<i>In development</i>		Matt Furniss, Cabinet Member for Highways  Paul Millin, Strategic Transport Group Manager
<b>TBC</b>	Transport for the South East	This is a regional body undertaking work to develop a strategic, integrated		Colin Kemp, Deputy Leader of the Council

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		transport system in the south east. This has potential impacts for Surrey's economy, environment and society.		Katie Stewart, Executive Director – Environment, Transport and Infrastructure
<b>TBC</b>	Road safety in Surrey	Quantification of statistic of traffic-related deaths in Surrey to determine scope for potential scrutiny.		Matt Furniss, Cabinet Member for Highways  Katie Stewart, Executive Director – Environment, Transport and Infrastructure
<b>TBC</b>	Surrey Environmental Partnership new climate plan	<i>In development</i>		Katie Stewart, Executive Director – Environment, Transport and Infrastructure
<b>2021</b>	Highways maintenance contract	A Member Reference Group has been reviewing and offering views on the council's plans for a new contract. The final options would be scrutinised by the Committee.		Matt Furniss, Cabinet Member for Highways  Lucy Monie, Director – Infrastructure & Delivery

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<b>TBC</b>	Eco Park	Scoping for potential task group.		
<b>Task Groups</b>				
	Highways Maintenance Contract	To scrutinise, challenge and validate officers' recommendations as to what the optimal model and performance measurements for the future Highways Core Maintenance Contract will be upon re-procurement in 2021, taking into consideration quality of delivery and value for money.	The design work for the contract will have implications on the maintenance of the road network of Surrey. Designing a contract which delivers the best value for money will have significant benefits to Surrey.	John O'Reilly, John Furey, Ken Gulati, Andy Macleod, Keith Witham
<b>April – June 2020</b>	Community Investment Fund	The task group is aiming to answer the following questions:  1. How can we tailor our criteria to make sure that the process for applying to the fund is streamline, simple and	Ensure a clear set of criteria are in place for the fund and that the programme meets the ambitions of the council's 2030 vision	John O'Reilly, Andy Macleod, Jonathan Essex, Keith Witham, Saj Hussain, Ken Gulati Fiona White Co-optees:

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		<p>accessible to as many residents as possible?</p> <p>2. How can we ensure that our criteria provide us with the highest quality applications and delivery excellent community improvements?</p>		<p>Chris Botten Angela Goodwin,</p>
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**Standing Items (to be considered at each formal Select Committee)**

- **Update on Cabinet Member priorities-** For the Select Committee to receive an update on work that has been undertaken by Cabinet Members and areas of priority work/focus going forward

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