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Issues identified, possible actions and prioritisation

Area	Relevant topic? (Y/N)	Issue	Possible Action	Taken forward? (?)
Designated sites, protected species and biodiversity Resilience to risks posed by the environment to service delivery	Y	Sites not yet identified	When sites are identified appropriate environmental assessments will be undertaken	
Materials and water Energy	Y	Energy use and reduction in waste would be components of the	SCC's design philosophy is to create buildings that	
Waste	Y	operational phase costs of the new buildings, as schemes are developed.	will support low energy consumption, reduce solar gain and promote natural ventilation. Any new infrastructure on the site will be built to the local planning authority's adopted core planning strategy.	
Transport	Y	Delivery of construction projects does involve an amount of travel for labour, and delivery of materials.	This will be considered as part of the of the procurement process for individual projects.	
		Pupils will need to travel to the new Hubs, so their location is very important across the County. The right balance must be struck between educating children 'closer to home' - so more small provisions; and, the economies of scale achieved with colocating provisions so management resources can be shared.	Transport on public transport and through coordinated home to school transport. This will reduce the amount of travel undertaken under current arrangements.	
		Air Quality Management Area not yet identified		

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Landscape and trees	Υ	Sites not yet identified	When sites are
			identified appropriate
Heritage	Υ		environmental
			assessments will be
Education / raising	Υ		undertaken
awareness			