

# INFRASTRUCTURE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Ext: 7036

## **Committee Report**

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Date of Meeting:	27 October 2005
Title:	THE FORWARD PLAN - ITEMS RELEVANT TO INFRASTRUCTURE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
Report of:	Head of Legal and Democratic Services
Report reference:	LDS.49/05

**Summary:** To inform Members of issues within the ambit of the Infrastructure Overview and Scrutiny Committee.

### **Recommendation:**

To review issues within the ambit of the Infrastructure Overview and Scrutiny Committee contained within the Forward Plan for 1 November 2005 to 28 February 2006.

Contact Officer: Morag Durham

Note: in compliance with section 100d of the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985 the report has been prepared in part from the following papers: Forward Plan of Executive Decisions – 1 November 2005 to 28 February 2006.

### 1. BACKGROUND

1.1 An item highlighting Forward Plan issues relevant to each Overview and Scrutiny Committee is now being included on each agenda.

### 2. FORWARD PLAN ISSUES

- 2.1 The Forward Plan of the Executive, covering the 1 November 2005 to 28 February 2006 was published on 18 October 2005.
- 2.2 The Appendix to this report sets out those issues which fall within the ambit of this Committee.

### 3. **RECOMMENDATION**

3.1.1 To review issues within the ambit of the Infrastructure Overview and Scrutiny Committee contained within the Forward Plan for 1 1 November 2005 to 28 February 2006.

Contact Officer: Morag Durham

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Reference: KD.043/05 Active:

Yes

Subject:

Decriminalised Parking Enforcement - 2006/07 Business Plan

### **Portfolio Area:**

Environment, Housing, Infrastructure and Transport

### Key Decisions

To consider the 2006/07 Business Plan for Decriminalised Parking Enforcement and decide whether to introduce a penalty charge of £60.

### Decision to be taken at Executive meeting on

14 November 2005

### **Responsible or Lead Overview and Scrutiny Committee:**

Infrastructure O&S Committee

Date when the matter will be considered by that Overview and Scrutiny Committee OR reason why the matter does not need to go to Overview and Scrutiny:

Infrastructure O&S Committee on 22 November 2005

**Consultees:** 

Consultation as part of the budget process

### Date for Consultees' comments:

Consultation dates are part of the budget process

### Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

The Head of Commercial and Technical Services' report will be available five working days before the Executive meeting

### **Further Information from:**

Service Development Manager, Commercial and Technical Services Unit, Carlisle City Council

Reference:	KD.036/05	Active
	ND.000/00	Active:

Yes

Subject:

Budget Strategy 2006/07 [EX.148/05 on 1 August 2005]

### **Portfolio Area:**

Finance and Resources

### Key Decisions

To consider strategic financial issues arising as part of the budget making process:

- (a) First Budget Forecast and Budget Timetable
- (b) New Budget Bids, Savings and Charges
- (c) General Fund Revenue Estimates
- (d) Provisional Capital Programme
- (e) Treasury Management and prudential borrowing implications
- (f) Provisional Revenue Support Grant Settlement
- (g) Summary overall Budgetary position (Revenue and Capital)
- (h) Executive Draft Budget Proposals for consultation
- (i) Consideration of consultation feedback
- (j) Final revenue Support Grant and Final Budget Summary
- (k) Treasury Management and Investment Strategy
- (I) Executive Final Budget Proposals

### Decision to be taken at Executive meeting on

Some dates are still provisional:

- (a) 1 August 2005
- (b), (c), (d) & (e) on 14 November 2005 (& 21/11/05 if required)
- (f) & (g) on 12 December 2005 (or 19/12/05)
- (h) 19 December 2005
- (i), (j), (k) & (l) on 23 January 2006

### Responsible or Lead Overview and Scrutiny Committee:

Corporate Resources Overview and Scrutiny Committee for all budget issues except the detailed service estimates. Community and Infrastructure Overview and Scrutiny Committees for Budget Bids, Savings and Charges pertaining to their individual areas of

responsibility

Date when the matter will be considered by that Overview and Scrutiny Committee OR reason why the matter does not need to go to Overview and Scrutiny:

(a)Corporate Resources O&S Committee on 1 December 2005

(b) Infrastructure O&S Committee on 22 November 2005

Community O&S Committee on 29 November 2005

Corporate Resources O&S Committee on 6 December 2005

(f) to (h) Corporate Resources O&S Committee on 19 January 2006

### **Consultees:**

Overview and Scrutiny, Business Community, Trade Unions and Citizens

### Date for Consultees' comments:

Consultation period - 21/12/05 to 19/01/06

### Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

Report on First Budget Forecast and timetable (at Executive on 1 August 2005)

The Head of Finance's reports will be available five working days before the Executive meetings

### **Further Information from:**

Head of Finance, Carlisle City Council, Civic Centre, Carlisle CA3 8QG

Reference:	KD.040/05	Active:	Yes

Subject:

Carlisle District Local Plan

### **Portfolio Area:**

Environment, Housing, Infrastructure and Transport

#### **Key Decisions**

To consider pre-Inquiry changes to the Carlisle District Local Plan 2001-2016

#### Decision to be taken at Executive meeting on

23 January and 20 February 2006

#### **Responsible or Lead Overview and Scrutiny Committee:**

Infrastructure O&S Committee

Date when the matter will be considered by that Overview and Scrutiny Committee OR reason why the matter does not need to go to Overview and Scrutiny:

Infrastructure O&S Committee on 26 January 2006

#### **Consultees:**

The re-depost version of the Carlisle District Local Plan is currently out for consultation until 16 September 2005. The representations of support and any objections received will need to be considered. Any proposed changes will need a further 6 week consultation period after approval by Council (Special Council may be required)

#### Date for Consultees' comments:

As above

#### Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

Carlisle District Locla Plan 2001 - 2016 Redeposit draft August 2005. Representations of support and objections from the re-deposit period will be available later

### **Further Information from:**

Head of Planning Services, Carlisle City Council, Civic Centre, Carlisle

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CA3 8QG

Reference:	KD.018/05	Active:	Yes
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Subject:

Draft Regional Spatial Strategy

### **Portfolio Area:**

Environment, Housing, Infrastructure and Transport

#### **Key Decisions**

To consider the City Council's reponse to the Draft Regional Spatial Strategy

#### Decision to be taken at Executive meeting on

February or March 2006 - depends on the publication date of the Strategy and the consultation timescale.

#### **Responsible or Lead Overview and Scrutiny Committee:**

Infrastructure Overview and Scrutiny Committee

### Date when the matter will be considered by that Overview and Scrutiny Committee OR reason why the matter does not need to go to Overview and Scrutiny:

Infrastructure O&S Committee at a date to be determined. It depends on the publication date of the Strategy and the consultation timescale.

#### **Consultees:**

The City Council is being consulted along with others.

#### Date for Consultees' comments:

Not applicable

#### Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

The Draft Regional Spatial Strategy, which is due to be published in July or August 2005.

The Head of Planning Services' report will be available five working days before the Executive meeting.

### **Further Information from:**

Head of Planning Services, Carlisle City Council, Civic Centre, Carlisle CA3 8QG