

INFRASTRUCTURE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Committee Report

Public

Date of Meeting:	10 April 2008
Title:	THE FORWARD PLAN - ITEMS RELEVANT TO INFRASTRUCTURE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
Report of:	Director of Legal and Democratic Services

Report reference: LDS.31/08

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

Questions for / input required from Scrutiny:

To consider if any variations have impacted on effective scrutiny.

Recommendation:

To review issues within the ambit of the Infrastructure Overview and Scrutiny Committee contained within the Forward Plan for 1 April 2008 to 31 July 2008.

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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 April 2008 to 31 July 2008

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 period 1 April 2008 to 31 July 2008 was published on 18 March 2008.
- 2.2 The Appendix to this report sets out those issues which fall within the ambit of this Committee.

3. **RECOMMENDATION**

3.1 To review issues within the ambit of the Infrastructure Overview and Scrutiny Committee contained within the Forward Plan for 1 April 2008 to 31 July 2008

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FORWARD PLAN

Index of Active Executive Key Decisions Relevant to :

Infrastructure Overview & Scrutiny

Key Decision Ref Nos:	Subject:	Date of Executive Meeting:
KD.071/07	Historic Core/Castle Street Improvements (EX.271/07 on 19 November 2007)	19 November 2007 and 21 April 2008
KD.020/08	Cumbria Wind Energy Supplementary Planning Document EX.061/08 on 17 March 2008)	17 March 2008 and 29 May 2008
KD.021/08	Urban Design Guide and Public Realm Framework Supplementary Planning Document - Draft for Statutory Consultation	7 April 2008 (special) and 21 April 2008
KD.022/08	Local Area Agreement 2008 (EX.059/08 on 17 March 2008)	17 March 2008 and 21 April 2008
KD.024/08	Cumbria Vision refreshed Cumbria Economic Plan 2008	30 June 2008
KD.017/08	Carlisle District Local Plan 2001-16 - Adoption	29 May 2008 (subject to receipt of Inspector's Report)
KD.018/08	City Centre Conservation Area	29 May 2008 and 30 June 2008
KD.019/08	Supplementary Planning Documents (SPD's): Planning Obligations, Trees on Development Sites, Designing Out Crime, Achieving Well Designed Housing.	21 April 2008 and 30 June 2008
KD.026/08	Air Quality: Detailed Assessment Report (EX.055/08 on 17 March 2008)	17 March 2008 and 21 April 2008

KD.028/08	Carlisle Renaissance Action Plan	29 May 2008 and 30 June 2008
KD.029/08	Kingmoor-Currock Cycleway	21 April 2008 and 30 June 2008

Carlisle City Council

Forward Plan of Executive Decisions

Items Relevant to Infrastructure Overview & Scrutiny

Reference: KD.071/07

Subject:

Historic Core/Castle Street Improvements (EX.271/07 on 19 November 2007)

Portfolio Area: Infrastructure and Environment

Key Decisions

To receive details of the project approved in principal by the Council.

Decision taken at Executive meeting on:

19 November 2007 and 21 April 2008

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:

Policy and Budget Framework matter which will be considered on 29 November 2007 by Infrastructure Overview & Scrutiny

Consultees:

Cumbria County Council

Date for Consultees' comments:

Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

Report CS.91/07 - Historic Quarter Environmental Improvements (at Executive 19 November 2007) The Director of Community Services report will be available five working days before the Executive meeting

Further Information from:

Director of Community Services, Carlisle City Council, Civic Centre, Carlisle, C

Reference: KD.020/08 Subject:

Cumbria Wind Energy Supplementary Planning Document EX.061/08 on 17 March 2008)

Portfolio Area: Environment and Infrastructure

Key Decisions

To consider the responses to consultation and the adoption of the document as a Supplementary Planning Document

Decision taken at Executive meeting on:

17 March 2008 and 29 May 2008

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:

Policy and Budget Framework matter which will be considered on 10 April 2008 by Infrastructure Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Consultees:

Public Consultation has been undertaken County Wide on this document

Date for Consultees' comments:

The last public consultation concluded on 8 December 2006 however this report has been delayed to coincide with adoption of new policies in the Local Plan

Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

Report DS.24/08 - Cumbria Wind Energy Supplementary Planning Document (at Executive 17 March 2008) The Director of Development Services' report will be available five working days before the Executive meeting

Further Information from:

Local Plans and Conservation Manager, Planning Services, Carlisle City Counc

Reference: KD.021/08

Subject:

Urban Design Guide and Public Realm Framework Supplementary Planning Document - Draft for Statutory Consultation

Portfolio Area: Environment and Infrastructure

Key Decisions

To agree the draft Urban Design Guide and Public Realm Framework document that will form the basis of the statutorily required 6 week public consultation as part of the process of adoption of this as a Supplementary Planning Document.

Decision taken at Executive meeting on:

7 April 2008 (special) and 21 April 2008

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:

Policy and Budget Framework matter which will be considered on 10 April 2008 by Infrastructure Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Consultees:

Date for Consultees' comments:

Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

Development Framework and Movement Strategy Policy Statement - May 2007 The Director of Development Services' report will be available five working days before the Executive meeting

Further Information from:

Development Manager, Carlisle City Council, Civic Centre, Carlisle, CA3 8QG

Reference: KD.022/08

Subject:

Local Area Agreement 2008 (EX.059/08 on 17 March 2008)

Portfolio Area: Promoting Carlisle

Key Decisions

To support the latest draft of the Cumbria Local Area Agreement

Decision taken at Executive meeting on:

17 March 2008 and 21 April 2008

Responsible or Lead Overview and Scrutiny Committee:

Cross Cutting

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:

Policy and Budget Framework matter which will be considered on : 27 March 2008 by Community Overview & Scrutiny Committee 3 April 2008 by Corporate Resources Overview & Scrutiny Committee

10 April 2008 by Infrastructure Overview & Scrutiny Committee

Consultees:

Carlisle Partnership Executive 20 February 2008

Date for Consultees' comments:

20 February 2008

Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

Report PPP.25/08 - Update on negotiations for new style Local Area Agreement (LAA 2008-2011) (at Executive 17 March 2008) Report PPP.02/08 - Introduction to the New Style Local Area Agreement (at Executive 21 January 2008) The Director of People, Policy & Performance Services' report will be available five working days before the Executive meeting

Further Information from:

Carlisle Local Strategic Partnership Manager, Carlisle City Council, Civic Centr

Reference: KD.024/08

Subject:

Cumbria Vision refreshed Cumbria Economic Plan 2008

Portfolio Area: Economic Development and Enterprise

Key Decisions

Request from Cumbria Vision to endorse the Economic Plan

Decision taken at Executive meeting on:

30 June 2008

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: Will be available to be considered on 31 July 2008 by Infrastructure Overview & Scrutiny Committee

Consultees:

The City Council is a consultee

Date for Consultees' comments:

The consultation period is 11 June to 12 August 2008

Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

Revised Cumbria Vision Economic Plan The Director of Devlopment Services' report will be available five working days before the Executive meeting

Further Information from:

Head of Economic and Tourism Services, Carlisle City Council, Civic Centre, C

Reference: KD.017/08

Subject:

Carlisle District Local Plan 2001-16 - Adoption

Portfolio Area: Environment and Infrastructure

Key Decisions

To consider the adoption of the Local Plan. This is a binding report on the outcome of the Inquiry process. The Inspector's recommendations are not able to be changed.

Decision taken at Executive meeting on:

29 May 2008 (subject to receipt of Inspector's Report)

Responsible or Lead Overview and Scrutiny Committee:

Infrastruture Overview & 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:

Will be available to be considered on 10 April 2008 by Infrastructure Overview and Scrutiny Committee.

Consultees:

Public consultation has occurred during the process no further consultation stages remain

Date for Consultees' comments:

Last consultation period ended November 2006

Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

Carlisle District Local Plan 2001-16: Deposit Draft, Redeposit and Revised Redeposit Plans, Subsequent committee reports 2003-2007 during pland preperation and associated papers. The Director of Development Services' report will be available five working days before the Executive meeting

Further Information from:

Local Plans and Conservation Manager, Planning Services, Carlisle City Counc

Reference: KD.018/08

Subject:

City Centre Conservation Area

Portfolio Area: Environment and Infrastructure

Key Decisions

To conisder amendments to the City Centre Conservation Area and approve any amendments for consultation

Decision taken at Executive meeting on:

29 May 2008 and 30 June 2008

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:

Policy and Budget Framework matter which will be considered on 19 June 2008 by Infrastructure Overview and Scrutiny Committee.

Consultees:

Public consultation is to be undertaken as as direct consultation to those within the existing and any proposed amended areas.

Date for Consultees' comments:

For 6 weeks following committee approval to consult

Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

The Director of Development Services' report will be available five working days before the Executive meeting

Further Information from:

Local Plans and Conservation Manager, Planning Services, Carlisle City Counc

Reference: KD.019/08

Subject:

Supplementary Planning Documents (SPD's): Planning Obligations, Trees on Development Sites, Designing Out Crime, Achieving Well Designed Housing.

Portfolio Area: Environment and Infrastructure

Key Decisions

To approve the draft Supplementary Planning Documents for consultation.

Decision taken at Executive meeting on:

21 April 2008 and 30 June 2008

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:

Policy and Framework matter which will be considered on 19 June 2008 by Infrastructure Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Consultees:

Public consultation is to be undertaken

Date for Consultees' comments:

Informal consultation has been undertaken and comments incorporated within the report. A further 6 week consultation is proposed following committee approval.

Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

The Director of Development Services' report will be available five working days before the Executive meeting

Further Information from:

Local Plans and Conservation Manager, Planning Services, Carlisle City Counc

Reference: KD.026/08

Subject:

Air Quality: Detailed Assessment Report (EX.055/08 on 17 March 2008)

Portfolio Area: Environment and Infrastructure

Key Decisions

To consider the Detailed Assessment Report

Decision taken at Executive meeting on:

17 March 2008 and 21 April 2008

Responsible or Lead Overview and Scrutiny Committee:

Community 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:

Will be available to be consider by: Community Overview and Scrutiny Committee on 27 March 2008 Infrastructure Overview and Scrutiny Committee on 10 April 2008

Consultees:

Cumbria County Council and Stagecoach UK Bus

Date for Consultees' comments:

4 February 2008

Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

Report CS.07/08 - Air Quality: Detailed Assessment Report (at Executive 17 March 2008) The Director of Community Services' report will be available five working days before the Executive meeting

Further Information from:

Environmental Quality Manager, Carlisle City Council, Civic Centre, Carlisle, C

Reference: KD.028/08

Subject:

Carlisle Renaissance Action Plan

Portfolio Area: Promoting Carlisle

Key Decisions

To receive a draft Carlisle Renaissance Action Plan for consultation and adoption as part of the Council's policy framework.

Decision taken at Executive meeting on:

29 May 2008 and 30 June 2008

Responsible or Lead Overview and Scrutiny Committee:

All three Overview and Scrutiny Committees

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:

Policy and Budget Framework matter which will be considered on: Community Overview and Scrutiny Committee - 5 June 2008 Corporate Resources Overview and Scrutiny Committee - 12 June 2008

Infrastructure Overview and Scrutiny Committee - 19 June 2008

Consultees:

Carlisle Partnership Executive, Cumbria County Council, Cumbria Vision, Northwest Development agency, Government Office for the Northwest, English Partnerships

Date for Consultees' comments:

19 June 2008

Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

The Director of Carlisle Renaissance report will be available five working days before the Executive meeting

Further Information from:

Director of Carlisle Renaissance, Carlisle City Council, Civic Centre, Carlisle, C

Reference: KD.029/08

Subject:

Kingmoor-Currock Cycleway

Portfolio Area: Environment and Infrastructure

Key Decisions

An earlier report to Executive outlined details of this project. The Sustrans Lottery Bid was succesful and the Key decision relates to securing funding to progress the project.

Decision taken at Executive meeting on:

21 April 2008 and 30 June 2008

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:

Policy and Budget Framework matter which will be considered on 19 June by Infrastructure Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Consultees:

Sustrans, County Council and City Council

Date for Consultees' comments:

10 April 2008

Relevant reports/background papers which are available:

The Director of Community Services' report will be available five working days before the Executive meeting

Further Information from:

Director of Community Services, Carlisle City Council, Civic Centre, Carlisle, C