

Single Member Cabinet Decision

Executive
Forward Plan
Reference**E2900**

Funding Approval for the Getting Around Bath Transport Strategy

Decision maker/s	Cllr Clarke, Cabinet Member for Transport Cllr Gerrish, Cabinet Member for Resources
The Issue	Approval is sought to draw down a further £300,000 from the provisional capital budget to provide continued support for the study to improve access to Bath and remove through traffic from the city. The original budget was approved by the November 2014 Cabinet report on the Getting Around Bath Transport Strategy
Decision Date	31 st Oct 2016
The decision	The Cabinet Members agree to release a further £300,000 to support continued study work
Rationale for decision	Continuation of the work of this project is essential and will play a critical role in the development of the Getting Around Bath Transport Strategy and support the Council's Core Strategy
Financial and budget implications	The Council in February 2014 approved a provisional budget of £5.2m to develop a transport solution for the east of Bath. Of this budget £500k was approved by Cabinet in November 2014 and £300k by way of a Single Member Decision in January 2016. This has now been largely committed on works, including that agreed by Council at their meeting in November, to review options for the P&R through work. Following the report to Cabinet in May 2016 further work has been commissioned to refine the site options including commissioning planning and property agents.
Issues considered (these are covered in more detail in the report)	Sustainability; Planning
Consultation undertaken	Cabinet colleagues Section 151 Finance Officer; Monitoring Officer
How consultation was carried out	By email and meetings
Other options considered	None
Declaration of interest by Cabinet Member(s) for decision, including any dispensation	<i>None</i>

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Any conflict of interest declared by anyone who is consulted by a Member taking the decision:	None

Signatures of Decision Makers	
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Date of Signature	
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Subject to Call-in until 5 Working days have elapsed following publication of the decision