



Meeting: Highways and Transport Overview and Scrutiny Committee.

Date/Time: Thursday, 9 March 2023 at 2.00 pm

Location: Sparkenhoe Committee Room, County Hall, Glenfield

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Membership

Mr. T. Gillard CC (Chairman)

Mr. R. G. Allen CC Mr. B. Lovegrove CC Mr. D. C. Bill MBE CC Mr. K. Merrie MBE CC Mrs. A. J. Hack CC Mr. L. Phillimore CC

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AGENDA

Item Report by

1. Minutes of the meeting held on 26 January 2023

(Pages 5 - 10)

- 2. Question Time.
- 3. Questions asked by members under Standing Order 7(3) and 7(5).
- 4. To advise of any other items which the Chairman has decided to take as urgent elsewhere on the agenda.
- 5. Declarations of interest in respect of items on the agenda.

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- 6. Declarations of the Party Whip in accordance with Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rule 16.
- 7. Presentation of Petitions under Standing Order 35.

Save the 159 Bus Service

A petition is to be presented by Mr. Mullaney CC, signed by 2,388 local residents in the following terms:

"I/We the undersigned call on Conservative run Leicestershire County Council to continue to fund the 159 bus service. This service is vital for many residents across the Newbold Verdon, Barlestone, Stapleton, Market Bosworth area."

8.	Response to Petition: Request for a School Crossing Outside of St Peters Catholic Primary School	Director of Environment and Transport	(Pages 11 - 22)
9.	Environment and Transport 2023/24 Highways and Transportation Capital Programme and Works Programme	Director of Environment and Transport	(Pages 23 - 74)
10.	Road Casualty Reduction in Leicestershire	Director of Environment and Transport	(Pages 75 - 156)
11.	Highways and Transport Performance Report to December 2022	Chief Executive and Director of Environment and Transport	(Pages 157 - 168)

12. Date of next meeting.

The date of the next meeting is scheduled for 8 June 2023, at 2.00pm.

13. Any other items which the Chairman has decided to take as urgent.

QUESTIONING BY MEMBERS OF OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY

The ability to ask good, pertinent questions lies at the heart of successful and effective scrutiny. To support members with this, a range of resources, including guides to questioning, are available via the Centre for Governance and Scrutiny website www.cfgs.org.uk. The following questions have been agreed by Scrutiny members as a good starting point for developing questions:

- Who was consulted and what were they consulted on? What is the process for and quality of the consultation?
- How have the voices of local people and frontline staff been heard?
- What does success look like?
- What is the history of the service and what will be different this time?
- What happens once the money is spent?
- If the service model is changing, has the previous service model been evaluated?
- What evaluation arrangements are in place will there be an annual review?

Members are reminded that, to ensure questioning during meetings remains appropriately focused that:

- (a) they can use the officer contact details at the bottom of each report to ask questions of clarification or raise any related patch issues which might not be best addressed through the formal meeting;
- (b) they must speak only as a County Councillor and not on behalf of any other local authority when considering matters which also affect district or parish/town councils (see Articles 2.03(b) of the Council's Constitution).