

OPEN BRIEFING ON THE INTEGRATED TRANSPORT STRATEGY



13 JULY 2021 – 4.00PM

ATTENDEES

Elected Members: Mayor Barry, Deputy Mayor Lewis, Cr Briggs, Cr Brown, Cr Dyer, Cr Edwards, Cr Hislop, Cr Mitchell, Cr Rasheed, Cr Shaw, Ms V Horrocks (ECB), and Mr B Spedding (ECB).

Staff: Mr K Puketapu-Dentice, Director of Economy and Development, Mr J Gloag, Head of Transport, Mr M Radu, Senior Traffic Engineer

Presenters: Mr R Burra, WSP Consultant and Mr J Humm, WSP Consultant

APOLOGIES

Elected Members: Cr Sutton, Ms P Hanna (PCB) and Mr A Voutratzis (PCB).

ABSENCE

Elected Members: Cr Milne

KEY OBJECTIVES OF THE BRIEFING

The purpose of the briefing was for officers to update elected members on the Integrated Transport Strategy (the Strategy).

DISCUSSION

- Work done so far has provided a better understanding of demographics, travel behaviour issues and barriers.
- **Slide 1 – 2 - What we have done. Phase A.** Public and stakeholder opinion and technical information - engagement online and in-person.
- **Slide 3 – What themes have emerged? Phase B.**
Network constraints as a result of congestion and public transport limits.
Key theme: Population growth and the pressure caused by it.
Safety is an important consideration for change to occur.
The city has a high car dependency because of inadequate transport options.
Climate change is important to people and they want to see action on transport.
- **Slide 4 – Next steps: Priorities and trade-offs. Phase C.** Engage with communities and stakeholders to test what people have said are their priorities. A trade-off will be needed – change needs to happen to create different outcomes.

- **Phase D:** A series of workshops will be held with elected members and stakeholder groups. This will lead to **Phase E** – the draft strategy.
- The strategy needs to be set at a level that can be shared with the community. Data analysis and community insights should be able to justify the strategy.

NEXT STEPS

Phase E: A draft strategy can be expected by mid-December 2021. The Strategy will be subject to public consultation in 2022.

The briefing closed at 4.35pm

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