

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Lead Member for Economy, Transport and Environment
Date:	18 November 2021
Title:	Winchester Movement Strategy – Consultation and Engagement
Report From:	Director of Economy, Transport and Environment

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1. The decision:

- 1.1 That the Executive Lead Member for Economy, Transport and Environment approves the draft Winchester Movement Strategy Action Plan, including the ten proposed priority schemes.
- 1.2 That the Executive Lead Member for Economy, Transport and Environment gives approval to undertake public engagement on the Winchester Movement Strategy next steps.
- 1.3 That the Executive Lead Member for Economy, Transport and Environment gives approval to undertake consultation on any scheme listed in the action plan as and when it reaches an appropriate stage of optioneering or preferred design, and delegates authority to the Director of Economy, Transport, and Environment to confirm the details and make the necessary arrangements.

2. Reasons for the decision:

- 2.1 To confirm the action plan for the Winchester Movement Strategy so that progress can be made against the next stages of engagement and development.
- 2.2 There is a need to inform interested parties of the progress made since the last consultation in 2018 and seek views and feedback on the ten Winchester Movement Strategy Delivery Plan priority proposals.
- 2.3 The proposed engagement will provide an opportunity to work with interested parties to help explore transport challenges in depth and develop the detail of schemes before selecting preferred options for consultation but also to explain and communicate the need for phasing of schemes. It will also be needed to better explore the consequences of different options for prioritising finite road space.

2.4 Engagement and then consultation will also indicate whether there is broad public support for schemes that will be needed as part of future funding bids for any of the ten priority schemes.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

3.1 Not to confirm the Winchester Movement Strategy Action Plan. This option was rejected as the plan is now read for the next phases of consultation and further development.

3.2 Not to undertake engagement and consultation on the ten prioritised schemes – this option was rejected as there is a need to seek views and feedback on the ten priority schemes identified through the feasibility studies in order to provide evidence of broad public support that can be used in future funding bids.

4. Conflicts of interest:

4.1 Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker:

4.2 Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted:

5. Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: none.

6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: not applicable.

7. Statement from the Decision Maker:

Approved by:

Date:

18 November 2021

**Executive Lead Member for Economy, Transport and Environment
Councillor Rob Humby**