



**Nottinghamshire
County Council**

minutes

Meeting Communities and Place Review and Development Committee

Date 28 November 2019 (commencing at 10:30 am)

Membership

Persons absent are marked with an 'A'

COUNCILLORS

Gordon Wheeler (Chairman)
Errol Henry (Vice-Chair)

Richard Butler
Andrew Brown
Stephen Garner
John Longdon

David Martin
Liz Plant
Yvonne Woodhead

COUNCILLORS IN ATTENDANCE

Councillor John Cottee
Councillor Maureen Dobson
Councillor John Ogle

OFFICERS IN ATTENDANCE

Doug Coutts	-	Via East Midlands Ltd
Martin Carnaffin	-	Place Department
Frank Fearn	-	Via East Midlands Ltd
Sally Gill	-	Place Department
Monty Hall	-	Via East Midlands Ltd
Kevin Heathcote	-	Via East Midlands Ltd
Suzanne Heydon	-	Via East Midlands Ltd
Derek Higton	-	Place Department
Chris Mason	-	Via East Midlands Ltd
Noel McMenamin	-	Chief Executive's Department
Sean Parks	-	Place Department
Kevin Sharman	-	Place Department
Gary Wood	-	Place Department

1 MINUTES OF LAST MEETING HELD ON 26 SEPTEMBER 2019

The minutes of the meeting held on 26 September 2019 having been circulated to all Members, were taken as read and were signed by the Chairman.

2 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

No apologies for absence were received.

Councillor John Longdon replaced Councillor Sue Saddington for the remainder of the 2019-2020 municipal year.

3 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None.

4 INTEGRATED TRANSPORT MEASURES PROGRAMME

The Committee considered a report and received a detailed presentation, explaining the process for monitoring and reviewing integrated transport measures against a range of economic, safety, health and wellbeing and environmental indicators. The Committee received an update on current performance against these indicators.

RESOLVED 2019/11

That:

- 1) the approach to monitoring the integrated transport programme to help ensure delivery of County Council priorities, national priorities and local transport goals and objectives be endorsed; and
- 2) no additional monitoring was required at this time.

5 HIGHWAYS ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS

The Committee considered a report and received a detailed presentation, setting out the Council's policy in respect of roadside grass cutting and plant life management, weed spraying – including consideration of alternative treatments, and the maintenance of trees and hedges – including tree felling and re-planting protocols.

Members made a number of comments on a range of issues, including on co-ordination with district and parish councils on cutting regimes, junction visibility, litter picking and exploring an expansion of the wildflower beds initiative.

Recommendations would be drawn up for the Committee's approval and submission to Communities and Place Committee, based on the information provided, and on points raised.

RESOLVED 2019/012

That the information in the report and presentation, as well as Committee members' comments, be considered and used to inform recommendations for the Committee's approval and submission to Communities and Place Committee.

6 WORK PROGRAMME

RESOLVED 2019/13

That the Committee's work programme be agreed.

The meeting concluded at 12:30 pm

Chairman