



NORWICH HIGHWAYS AGENCY COMMITTEE

Date: **Thursday, 27 November 2008**

Time: **10.00 a.m.**

Venue: **Committee Room, City Hall**

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

County Councillors

Adams (V) (Chair)
Gunson (V)
Scutter
Shaw
Ward

(V) – voting
member

City Councillors*

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AGENDA

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1. Petitions

To receive petitions from the public (notice to be given to the Committee Officer by 10.00 a.m. on the day before the meeting.)

2. Apologies

3. Public Questions

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4. Declarations of Interest

(Please note that it is the responsibility of individual members to declare interest prior to an item if they arrive late for the meeting.)

5. Minutes

To agree the accuracy of the minutes of the meeting held on 25 September 2008.

6. Little Bethel Street Highway and Footpath Improvements

(Report of the Head of Transportation and Landscape, Norwich City Council)

Purpose – This report is to inform members of the proposed improvement scheme for Little Bethel Street, aimed at reducing the impact of large vehicles using the street.

7. Objections to the Traffic Orders for the Mount Pleasant/Albemarle Road/The Cedars

(Report of the Head of Transportation and Landscape, Norwich City Council)

Purpose – This report informs members of the objections received to the proposed to introduce a 'no entry' restriction in Mount Pleasant and a 20 mph speed limit into Mount Pleasant, Albermarle Road and The Cedars.

8. Bowthorpe Road Speed Management Scheme – Fieldview Junction

(Report of the Head of Transportation and Landscape, Norwich City Council)

Purpose – This report informs members of options for resolving a visibility problem at the Bowthorpe Road/Fieldview junction.

9. An Update of Local Bus Service Issues and Performance

(Report of the Director of Planning and Transportation, Norfolk County Council)

Purpose - This report updates members about public transport developments and performance of bus services in the greater Norwich area. The momentum of improvement in public transport across the city has been maintained following the successful delivery of our first Local Transport Plan. Highlights include increased punctuality and reliability of buses, investment in new and more accessible vehicles and the first Low Emission Zone in the country outside London. Our improved collaboration with local bus operators is also delivering a marked improvement in the overall bus network as the number of passenger journeys continues to increase.

10. Norwich Park and Ride Fare Increase

(Report of the Director of Planning and Transportation, Norfolk County Council)

Purpose – This report advised members of a change to the Norwich Park and Ride fare structure to be implemented in January 2009. Only the Airport Park and Ride site falls within the geographical boundary of the Norwich Highways Agency Joint Committee and price amendments at this site only are required to be formally noted by the Committee. A separate Traffic Regulation Order is completed for the Airport site by Norwich City Council.

11. Draft 2009/10 and 2010/11 Highways Improvement Capital Programme

(Joint Report of the Head of Transportation and Landscape, Norwich City Council, and the Director of Planning and Transportation, Norfolk County Council)

Purpose – This report seeks approval for the Committee's bid for Local Transport Plan (LTP) funds in 2009/10 and provisionally for 2010/11 and informs members of other highway related improvements schemes that are planned for the City over the same period.

12. Performance Monitoring of the Highway Agency Agreement

(Report of the Head of Transportation and Landscape, Norwich City Council)

Purpose – This report describes the performance of the Highways Agency Agreement, for the financial year 2008/2009 up to the end of October 2008. In addition to the information previously reported, on-street parking statistics for the current financial year are also included.

13. Major Roadworks - Regular Monitoring

(Report of the Head of Transportation and Landscape, Norwich City Council)

Purpose – This report advises and updates members of current and planned future roadworks in Norwich.

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