



***Delegated Decisions by Cabinet Member for
Environment (including Transport)***

***Thursday, 12 March 2020 at 2.30 pm
Committee Room 1, County Hall, New Road, Oxford***

Items for Decision

The item for decision under individual Cabinet Members' delegated powers is listed overleaf, with related papers attached.

Copies of the report are circulated (by e-mail) to all members of the County Council.

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Yvonne Rees
Chief Executive

March 2020

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Note: Date of next meeting: 26 March 2020

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Items for Decision

1. **Declarations of Interest**
2. **Questions from County Councillors**

Any county councillor may, by giving notice to the Proper Officer by 9 am two working days before the meeting, ask a question on any matter in respect of the Cabinet Member's delegated powers.

The number of questions which may be asked by any councillor at any one meeting is limited to two (or one question with notice and a supplementary question at the meeting) and the time for questions will be limited to 30 minutes in total. As with questions at Council, any questions which remain unanswered at the end of this item will receive a written response.

Questions submitted prior to the agenda being despatched are shown below and will be the subject of a response from the appropriate Cabinet Member or such other councillor or officer as is determined by the Cabinet Member, and shall not be the subject of further debate at this meeting. Questions received after the despatch of the agenda, but before the deadline, will be shown on the Schedule of Addenda circulated at the meeting, together with any written response which is available at that time.

3. **Petitions and Public Address**
4. **Supported Bus Services Fund** (Pages 1 - 12)

Forward Plan Ref: 2020/045

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Report by Director of Planning & Place (**CMDE4**).

The report provides an outline of the Government's recently announced Supported Bus Services Fund, Oxfordshire's allocation from that fund for spending in 2020/21 and a Statement of Intent for submission to the Department for Transport which sets out how Oxfordshire's allocation will be spent.

The Cabinet Member for Environment is RECOMMENDED to approve the Statement of Intent for the spending of Oxfordshire's allocation of the Supported Bus Services fund, for submission to the Department for Transport on 13 March 2020.

Exemption from Call-in

Under Standing Orders (Section 6.2, paragraph 19 (a) to (c) the Chairman of the Council has agreed that a decision on the proposed Supported Bus Services Fund, which would normally be subject to call-in, should be exempt from that process. That allows the County Council to meet a Statement of Intent deadline of 13 March, which if the usual scrutiny process were invoked could not be met and, therefore, would prejudice both the Council's and public interest.
