CABINET – 19 MARCH 2019

ITEM 4 – QUESTIONS FROM COUNTY COUNCILLORS

Questions received from the following Members:

1. Question from Councillor Howson to Councillor Bartholomew

What is the grant for 2019-20 for the Youth Offending Team in Oxfordshire from central government and how does it compare to the grant for last year from the government?

Answer

We have not had the figure for 2019/20 – we expect to receive notification in May – so cannot offer a comparison.

2. Question from Councillor Pressel to Councillor Constance

In our response To the Oxfordshire Plan 2050, please ask for much more emphasis on the need to **combat** climate change. This needs to be included in the Vision (which mentions only the need to build in resilience) and it needs to run like a golden thread through the whole document. Our future depends on it!

Answer

We can include a comment along these lines in our final response on the Oxfordshire Plan 2050.

3. Question from Councillor Pressel to Councillor Constance

I was surprised and disappointed to find that one can't respond to the consultation on the Oxfordshire Plan through our website. Please can this be remedied?

Answer

The Oxfordshire Plan 2050 process is the responsibility of the Growth Board. OCC is a consultee in this process and so it would not be appropriate for us to hold the consultation on our website.

For this stage of the consultation however (up to 25 March) OCC has been promoting the opportunity to respond to the consultation via OCC's Facebook page and via its Twitter feed. We will continue to do this in future consultations.