Decisions taken by Transport Committee

DATE OF MEETING: Friday, 14 October 2022

CIRCULATION: Members of the WYCA Overview & Scrutiny Committee

Agenda Item No.	Subject/Title of Report	Decision(s)
5	Mini-Budget - Accelerated Schemes	That the Chair of Transport Committee writes to the Secretary of State, Transport to provide an overview of the progress that we are making on the named schemes, and to set out what government input is required to support the principles of accelerating projects.
		That Transport Committee welcomes the establishing of an NPR 'Acceleration Board' locally to support expedited decision-making and progress on this key scheme.
6	Bus Service Revenue funding and Expenditure	That the Chair of Transport Committee writes to the Secretary of State for Transport urging that a clear funding plan for bus services is included in the Government's forthcoming fiscal review
		That Transport Committee notes the current position with bus service and concessionary fare spending and the actions being taken to mitigate the current budgetary position.
7	Bus Service Improvement Plan Update	That the Committee notes the update on the Bus Service Improvement Plan and that funding has been confirmed by the Department for Transport subject to the making of the Bus Service Improvement Plan Enhanced Partnership Scheme following statutory consultation.
		That the Committee notes that the operation of the Mayor's Fare be funded for the first 3 months from the Combined Authority's concessionary fares

		revenue budget. The cost of the first three months of the scheme is estimated at £3m. That, subject to the agreement of the Combined Authority at its meeting on the 21 October 2022, the Transport Committee accepts the delegation of authority to approve the Bus Service Improvement Plan strategic outline case in accordance with the Assurance Framework, so that delivery can commence in line with the tight delivery timeframes.
8	Bus Network Plan - Development Update	That the Transport Committee notes the progress made to date on development of the bus network plan and endorses the next steps, including development of the funding criteria to prioritise investment in services.
10	Mass Transit Vision 2040 Statutory Consultation	Committee members are invited to note and endorse the timescales and proposals for the statutory consultation for the Mass Transit 2040 Vision document. Committee members are invited to provide any further feedback on the Mass Transit Vision 2040 document, and consultation and engagement processes.
11	Active Travel Update	That the Transport Committee notes the Combined Authority's ambition to work closely with Active Travel England across its portfolio of projects and support the development of this new organisation. That the Transport Committee notes the significant change in the nature, ambition and scale of active travel funding that is forthcoming as a result of Active Travel England's role. That the Transport Committee endorses the submission by the Combined Authority to the Capacity and Ambition Fund. That the Transport Committee supports the continued development of an Active Travel Strategy for West Yorkshire. That the Transport Committee supports the

		development of a pipeline of future Active Travel capacity and infrastructure schemes to inform future funding awards. That the Transport Committee supports the invitation of Active Travel England to a future Active Travel Working Group meeting
12	The Mayor's West Yorkshire Local Transport Plan	That Transport Committee note the anticipated government update to Local Transport Plan Guidance. That Transport Committee note the development of an updated West Yorkshire Local Transport Plan, and the timeline for this to be presented for adoption in early 2024. That Transport Committee agree to have a workshop on the emerging direction of the West Yorkshire Local Transport Plan.
13	Transport Policy Update Report	That the Committee notes the updates provided in this report. That the Committee endorses the approach for Rail Station Accessibility set out in this report including the identified match funding in support of the Access for All station nominations