
Report to: Wakefield District Consultation Sub Committee

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Subject: **Workshop Session – Travel & Transport Post Pandemic**

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1. Information

- 1.1 Demand for travel reduced significantly during the periods of lockdown restrictions and is recovered since restrictions have eased. Whilst the restrictions necessitated short term changes in travel it is becoming clear that the pandemic will have a long term impact on travel behaviours.
- 1.2 This workshop will consider current data and customer research. Reflect on how perceptions of travel and transport may have been altered and engage the sub committee on a discussion asking;
- How has Covid changed your travel habits and perception of safety?
 - What needs to happen to enable transport to support an economically sustainable recovery ?
 - How do we ensure transport options enable the widest range of people to be included in society?

2. Recommendations

- 2.1 That the Sub-Committee's feedback be noted.

3. Background Documents

None

4. Appendices

None