

STRATEGIC PLACEMAKING SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
WORK PROGRAMME 2020/21

Date of Meeting	Item	Objective / Proposed Outcomes	Witnesses	Actual Outcomes
9 July 2020	The impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on Public Realm services and road closures	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To scrutinise the lessons learnt from the impact of the Covid-19 pandemic on public realm services. • To review what the Council did that worked. • To identify what the service should do differently in the event of similar events happening again. • To scrutinise the emergency road closures and what should be done differently if something similar is required again. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cabinet Member • Director Environment and Property • Head of Environment & Waste • Head of Highways • Police (emergency road closures) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • That it be noted that the Committee expressed their thanks to all Council staff and contractors who continued to deliver a high standard of public realm services, particularly throughout the 'Lockdown' period of the Covid-19 Pandemic. • That the Planning Group prepare a report for the Covid-19 Task and Finish Group that identifies what the service area should do differently in the event of any future similar events.
	The expansion of Milton Keynes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A brief introduction to this item which will be covered in more detail at the October meeting of the committee. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cllr Crooks 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • That the Planning Group along with Councillors Bint and Bradburn develop a report for the next meeting that looks at the lessons that should be learnt from the process of developing the MK East Development Framework.

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14 October 2020	The expansion of Milton Keynes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To review the lessons learnt from the MK East Development Framework 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Leader of the Council TBC 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
	Commissioning 2023 update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scrutiny of the Commissioning 2023 Strategy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cabinet Member Director Environment and Property Head of Environment & Waste 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
	Waste Collection Consultation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To review the Waste Collection Consultation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cabinet Member Director Environment and Property Head of Environment & Waste 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
13 January 2021	The 'new normal'	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To scrutinise how things have changed for Milton Keynes since the Covid-19 pandemic and how those changes will affect growth plans going forward 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> External TBC 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
	The future of the Planning Service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To scrutinise changes to the Planning Service as a result of the 'Planning for the Future – White Paper' 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cabinet Member Director Growth, Economy & Culture 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
	Waste Communication Action Plan and the Waste Collection Trial (Potentially an additional meeting to fit in with the results of the waste collection trial)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To update the Committee on the implementation of the Waste Communication Action Plan and to scrutinise the early results from the waste collection trial 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cabinet Member Director Environment and Property Head of Environment & Waste 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">

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3 March 2021	The New Local Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To scrutinise the development of the new Local Plan. To understand the capacity of existing utilities/facilities to support population growth 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MKC Officer Colleagues 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
	Review of car parking usage and income	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To scrutinise the impact on car parking usage and income of the Parking Management contract. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MKC Officer Colleagues 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •

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Items to consider adding to the work programme

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TBC	East / West Arc	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scrutiny during consultation period 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MKC Officer Colleagues and representatives of the appropriate stakeholders.
	Road Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scrutinise road safety in Milton Keynes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MKC Officer Colleagues • Representatives of the appropriate stakeholders. • Thames Valley Police
	Public Realm Adoptions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To scrutinise the failures in the past adoption processes for public realm • To look at lessons learnt to ensure that a process is in place to ensure that the public realm in new estates can be adopted more easily. • To review how the legacy issues of public realm adoptions can be resolved. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MKC Officer Colleagues and representatives of the appropriate stakeholders.
	Broadband	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To scrutinise the issues around the delays to this programme. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MKC Officer Colleagues and representatives of the appropriate stakeholders.