

**STRATEGIC PLACEMAKING SCRUTINY COMMITTEE**  
**13 JANUARY 2021**

AGENDA ITEM NUMBER	SUBJECT AND RESOLUTION	DECISION REFERRAL	PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR ACTION
2.	<b>Apologies</b> Councillor K Bradburn (substituted by Councillor Ferrans)	Minutes	Committee Services Manager
3.	<b>Disclosure of Interests</b> None	-	-
4.	<b>Minutes</b> That the Minutes of the meetings of the Strategic Placemaking Scrutiny Committee held on 14 October 2020 and 24 November 2020 be approved and signed by the Chair as correct records.	Minutes	Committee Services Manager

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5.	<p><b>MK 2050</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That Group Leaders be asked to include the amendments listed in Annex A to this Outcomes Sheet in their Amendment to the Strategy for 2050 to be considered by Full Council on the 20 January 2021.</li> <li>2. That the Interim Director of Planning, Strategic Transport and Placemaking be requested to ensure that work is commissioned on understanding the capacity of utilities to support the Council’s growth aspirations.</li> <li>3. That the Planning Group be asked to schedule an item on the capacity of utilities to support the Council’s growth aspirations when this report is available.</li> <li>4. That the Committee’s concerns around ‘Affordable Housing’ be noted and that Scrutiny Management Committee be requested to ensure that work is programmed to scrutinise this issue further.</li> <li>5. That the Cabinet member responsible for Planning Policy be requested to consider the Committee’s concerns that the infrastructure the city needs to grow is in place before any further expansion takes place.</li> </ol>	<p>Group Leaders</p> <p>Interim Director of Planning Strategic Transport and Placemaking</p> <p>-</p> <p>Scrutiny Management Committee</p> <p>Cabinet Member for Planning Policy</p>	<p>Committee Services Manager</p> <p>Interim Director of Planning Strategic Transport and Placemaking</p> <p>Planning Group</p> <p>Committee Services Manager</p> <p>Committee Services Manager</p>
6.	<p><b>2020/21 Work Programme</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. That the Work Programme for the remainder of 2020/21 be noted.</li> </ol>	-	-

### Suggested Amendments to Group Leaders

- (i) That the word 'invented' be deleted from the penultimate sentence in the final paragraph of page 6 and replaced with the word 'pioneered' such that it reads 'Back then we didn't know that the way we lived would contribute to climate change or how computers (pioneered at Bletchley Park) would change the way we earn a living, communicate, shop and travel.'
- (ii) That after the word 'support' in the fourth bullet point of page 8 insert the word 'sport'.
- (iii) That Figure Three be replaced with a clearer map with better colour definition and a legend that includes all symbols used (i.e. the greyed-out development symbol used in Figure Eight).
- (iv) That the words '... especially some of the early areas built by Milton Keynes Development Corporation...' in the first paragraph of page 32, be deleted and replaced with '...including some of the earliest areas built as part of the New Town....' such that it reads 'Many of our existing homes and estates, including some of the earliest areas built as part of the New Town, need major investment to bring them up to a decent standard for our residents.'
- (v) That the words 'that reflect changes in the diversity, age, composition and lifestyle preferences of our communities...' be added to the third paragraph of page 32 after the word 'designs' such that it reads 'We wish to see a wider variety of designs that reflect changes in the diversity, age, composition and lifestyle preferences of our communities than the relatively standard homes built in recent years...'
- (vi) That the words 'early childhood intervention and' are added to the last sentence on page 36 after the word 'through' such that it reads 'Our council regeneration policy will help people in our most deprived neighbourhoods to improve their life chances through early childhood intervention and skills development.'
- (vii) That the words 'and to encourage investment in our Local Centres by their landlords' are added to the end of the last sentence of the fourth paragraph on page 54 such that it reads 'We want to maintain this community spirit and to encourage investment in our Local Centres by their landlords.'
- (viii) That the word 'underpasses' is added to the fourth paragraph on page 58 after the word 'crossings' such that it reads 'We will make sure that paths, road crossings, underpasses and places where people gather are overlooked, well-lit and well-maintained.'

- (ix) That the word 'reducing' is deleted and replaced with the words 'working with Thames Valley Police to reduce' in the first paragraph on page 59 such that it reads 'This will be supported by working with Thames Valley Police to reduce road speeds within developments and having excellent paths and Redways that link to our wider mobility network.'
- (x) That the word 'Eid', be deleted and replaced with the words 'cultural and religious' in the second paragraph of page 61 such that it reads 'This ranges from attending events at our theatre, gallery and music venues through to big community celebrations at our World Picnic, Pride and cultural and religious festivals and our thriving independent dance scene.'
- (xi) That the word 'controlled' be replaced with the word 'led' in the second paragraph of page 69, such that it reads 'One option being considered is to establish a new locally led development corporation financed by government.'
- (xii) That a new sentence 'We will work closely with Town and Parish Councils across Milton Keynes in delivering our Strategy for 2050, to ensure there is local involvement at all stages.' be added at the end of the fourth paragraph on page 73.
- (xiii) That the word 'greater' be capitalised in the final sentence on page 73 such that it reads 'Working across Greater Milton Keynes with our partners, stakeholders, investors and local communities, we can deliver the promise of our Seven Big Ambitions and make our Great City Greater.'
- (xiv) That the words 'For more information about the role and the work of The Parks Trust go to [www.theparkstrust.com](http://www.theparkstrust.com)' be added as a reference to the work of the Parks Trust on page 78 under Other Links relating to Chapter Three – A Sustainable and Green City.