

COUNCIL 14 JULY 2022

NOTICES OF MOTION

Notices of Motion Received

1. The Assistant Director for Legal and Governance reports that he has received the following 3 Notices of Motion. The Constitution provides that any submitted motion must be moved and seconded at the meeting. Otherwise, unless postponed with the consent of the Council, it will be treated as withdrawn.

2. If a motion is in relation to the exercise of an executive function it will be referred to the Cabinet for decision (if applicable this will be indicated below). Otherwise the Council may decide itself to determine the Motion, or refer it to the Cabinet or another appropriate Committee for advice before determining it at the next available meeting.

Notice of Motion 1 – Universal free bus travel for all residents in Worcestershire

3. This motion is not in relation to the exercise of an executive function and the Council may decide to determine the Motion.

4. Notice of Motion standing in the names of Cllr Mel Allcott, Cllr Dan Boatright, Cllr Luke Mallett, Cllr Richard Udall and Cllr Lynn Denham:

"As a council we are committed to universal free bus travel for all residents in Worcestershire. We call upon the Cabinet Member, in conjunction with Overview Scrutiny and Performance Board (OSPB), to undertake a viability exercise to determine the costs, benefits and implementation considerations."

Notice of Motion 2 – CPR Training

5. This motion is not in relation to the exercise of an executive function and the Council may decide to determine the Motion.

6. Notice of Motion standing in the names of Cllr David Chambers, Cllr Linda Robinson, Cllr Bob Brookes, Cllr Adrian Kriss, Cllr Peter Griffiths, Cllr Mike Rouse, Cllr Matt Dormer, Cllr Karen May, Cllr Shirley Webb, Cllr Kyle Daisley, Cllr Alistair Adams, Cllr Marcus Hart, Cllr James Stanley, Cllr Allah Ditta, Cllr Craig Warhurst, Cllr Alan Amos, and Cllr Steve Mackay:

"This Council recognises the work undertaken by various bodies to promote CPR Training throughout Worcestershire and the resulting outcomes in saving the lives of many people of all ages. This Council resolves to call upon the relevant Cabinet Members with Responsibility to work with relevant agencies and partners and our own officers to support and encourage all schools in Worcestershire with year 7 and above, to offer CPR training programmes in their areas.

The Council requests the relevant Cabinet Members with Responsibility update Members following the conclusion of this work."

Notice of Motion 3 – Local Cycling and Walking Infrastructure Plans

7. This motion is not in relation to the exercise of an executive function and the Council may decide to determine the Motion.

8. Notice of Motion standing in the names of Cllr Beverley Nielsen, Cllr Martin Allen, Cllr Natalie McVey, Cllr Matt Jenkins and Cllr Tom Wells:

"In light of the Environment Minister, Jo Churchill MP's recent words stating: "We are aiming for half of all journeys in towns and cities to be cycled or walked by 2030 to help lower congestion...in urban areas more widely," (1) Worcestershire County Council will take more urgent action to progress the development of Local Cycling and Walking Infrastructure Plans (LCWIPs) in Malvern and Worcester.

The Council asks the Cabinet Member for Highways to ensure pro-active dialogue with Malvern Hills DC (and Worcester City Council?) to achieve this goal, including:

- providing assistance with bid-writing through the highways expertise of the County Council staff in supporting the specialist district teams;
- match funding the District Councils in enabling delivery of a plan to expedite a 'hub and spoke' approach to walking and cycling routes; and
- Identify measurement towards identified goals for modal shift.

Once delivered, these routes will provide our residents with the confidence to safely move out of their cars and onto our streets, walking and cycling to work, school and activities, delivering desired modal shift, improving health, well-being, air quality and congestion.

Coules C, May 2022, A decade of Air Quality: the past, present and future of clean air, Air Quality News, airqualitynews.com."

Contact Points

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Background Papers

In the opinion of the proper officer (in this case the Assistant Director for Legal and Governance) there are no background papers relating to the subject matter of this report.