

**COUNCIL MEETING – 27<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2019**

NOTICE OF:	Reference No:	Date Received:	Date Forwarded:
White Paper Amendment	A2 to WP3	26/3/19	26/3/19

Submitted by: Councillor Richard Lewis  
 Relevant Board/Regulatory Panel: Executive Board  
 Executive Member/Chair: Executive Member (Regeneration, Transport and Planning)  
 Relevant Director: Director of City Development

Delete all after “This Council” and replace with:

“... believes it is important to continue to robustly challenge HS2 to ensure the concerns of local residents are fully taken into account during construction, as the Council has done in its response to the publication of the Draft Environmental Statement of HS2 Phase 2b. Council will continue to demand that HS2 support communities affected by proposed HS2 construction.

This Council notes that HS2 was a scheme instigated by the Conservative and Liberal Democrat Coalition Government and one that MPs retained all decision making powers over in parliament. Council therefore calls for the Government to ensure an appropriate parliamentary examination and inquiry into HS2 Phase 2B. Any inquiry should cover the former Conservative-Liberal Democrat Coalition Government’s role in determining the route of HS2 through Leeds, as well as whether the Conservative and Liberal Democrat Coalition Government has met this Council’s previous call for the Government to protect existing communities threatened by the route and to provide fair and equitable compensation for Leeds residents.

This Council remains extremely concerned by the chaos regularly faced by passengers on the Northern and Trans-Pennine rail franchises which were put in place by the Conservative and Liberal Democrat Coalition Government and believes the best way to improve services is to return the rail network to public ownership as soon as possible.”



**Deadlines for submission**

- White Papers - 10.00 am on the day before the issue of the Summons
  - Questions - 10.00 am on Monday before the meeting
  - Amendments - 10.00 am on the day before the meeting
- (including references back)

(All submissions should be made to Governance Services for receipt to be recorded and distribution made)

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