

Connecting Leeds transport Strategy – Annual Update 2022

Date: 28 February 2024

Report of: Head of Democratic Services

Report to: Scrutiny Board (Infrastructure, Investment and inclusive Growth)

Will the decision be open for call in? Yes No

Does the report contain confidential or exempt information? Yes No

Brief summary

Following the approval of the Connecting Leeds Transport Strategy Action Plan in October 2021, the Scrutiny Board (Infrastructure, Investment and Inclusive Growth) committed to receive an annual update on progress.

Appended to this report is the annual progress report and associated appendices that were considered by the Council's Executive Board on 22 November 2023, covering the period from October 2022 to October 2023.

Recommendations

Members are asked to:

- a) Note the contents of the Connecting Leeds Transport Strategy annual progress report together with the associated Action Plan 2021 – 2024.
- b) Consider how the progress outlined in the appended reports contributes to the ambitions set out in the Council's Best City Ambition.
- c) Identify any areas where the Board may wish to conduct further future scrutiny

What is this report about?

- 1 The appended reports set out an update on progress in delivering the Connecting Leeds Transport Strategy Action Plan and sets this within the context of the Best City Ambition.
- 2 This is the second Annual Progress Report of the Connecting Leeds Transport Strategy (CLTS) Action Plan and it covers the period from October 2022 to October 2023.

What impact will this proposal have?

- 3 The impact of the Leeds Transport Strategy, and its significant potential contribution to the delivery of the Best City Ambition, are both set out in detail the appended reports.

How does this proposal impact the three pillars of the Best City Ambition?

Health and Wellbeing

Inclusive Growth

Zero Carbon

- 4 The appended reports detail the way in which the Connecting Leeds Transport Strategy is aligned with a suite of corporate targets and strategies including the Air Quality Strategy 2021-2030, Inclusive Growth Strategy and Vision Zero.

What consultation and engagement has taken place?

Wards affected:

Have ward members been consulted?

Yes

No

- 5 As detailed in the appended reports.

What are the resource implications?

- 6 As detailed in the appended reports.

What are the key risks and how are they being managed?

- 7 As detailed in the appended reports.

What are the legal implications?

- 8 As detailed in the appended reports.

Appendices

- Connecting Leeds Transport Strategy Annual Progress Report (Executive Board – 22 November 2023)
- Appendix 1 - Key Performance Indicators (Executive Board – 22 November 2023)
- Appendix 2 - Appendix EDCI Transport Strategy Report (Executive Board – 22 November 2023)

Background papers

- None