



Leicester
City Council

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Aylestone, City-Wide

FORWARD TIMETABLE OF CONSULTATION AND MEETINGS:
Cabinet

16 June 2003

LEICESTER WEST TRANSPORT SCHEME – REPORT BACK FROM COUNCIL

Report of the Town Clerk

At the last meeting of the Cabinet on 22 April 2003, the following was agreed:-

RESOLVED:

- (1) that the City Council, in partnership with the County Council, submit a bid for Major Scheme funding to the Department for Transport to fund the Leicester West Transport Scheme, as described in Section 2 of the report, subject to recommendation 3 below;
- (2) that the Highways and Transportation Scrutiny Committee be requested to comment on the report prior to its further consideration by Cabinet.
- (3) that a further report be brought before Cabinet no later than July 2003, confirming the final details of the bid, including resource implications and detailing the share of risk and benefits between the City and County Councils, on the basis that no 'call-in' of the decision may then be made, because of technical reasons and timescales required as outlined in Section 11 of the report.

In accordance with Rule 12 of the Cabinet Procedure rules, Councillors Thompson (proposer), Mugglestone (seconder), Allen, Mrs Middleton and Mrs Maw objected to the above decision of Cabinet .

The submitted grounds for objection were:-

'We are opposed to a Park and Ride scheme located in Aylestone Meadows, as are many local residents.

Whilst it is noted that the Highways and Transportation Scrutiny will be asked to comment on the report prior to further consideration by Cabinet, a 'call in' may not be made then due to timescales required for the bid'.

A copy of the report is attached.

The City Council, at its meeting on 5 June considered the objection and resolved

RESOLVED:

that the decisions of the Cabinet in relation to the Leicester West Transportation Scheme be referred back to Cabinet with a recommendation that Cabinet review the location of the Southern Park and Ride site.

Recommendations

The Cabinet is asked to consider the recommendations of Council.

Councillor Hunt
Cabinet Link Member for Environment,
Regeneration and Development Department