



Leicester
City Council

**MEETING OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, TRANSPORT AND
CLIMATE EMERGENCY SCRUTINY COMMISSION**

DATE: THURSDAY, 18 JULY 2024

TIME: 5:30 pm

**PLACE: Meeting Room G.01, Ground Floor, City Hall, 115 Charles
Street, Leicester, LE1 1FZ**

Members of the Committee

Councillor Waddington (Chair)

Councillor Barton (Vice Chair)

Councillors Bajaj, Batool, Osman, Porter, Rae Bhatia and Singh Sangha

Members of the Committee are invited to attend the above meeting to consider the items of business listed overleaf.

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AGENDA

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1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To issue a welcome to those present, and to confirm if there are any apologies for absence.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members are asked to declare any interests they may have in the business to be discussed on the agenda.

3. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

Appendix A

The minutes of the meeting of the Economic Development, Transport and Climate Emergency Scrutiny Commission held on 20 March 2024 have been circulated, and Members will be asked to confirm them as a correct record.

4. CHAIR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Chair is invited to make any announcements as they see fit.

5. QUESTIONS, REPRESENTATIONS AND STATEMENTS OF CASE

Any questions, representations and statements of case submitted in

accordance with the Council's procedures will be reported.

Mr Vaitha to ask:

It seems as though there are cars parked illegally on Narborough Road (between Upperton Road and Hinckley Road).

Nothing seems to be done. There do not appear to be parking tickets on the illegally parked cars although a few parking wardens can be seen walking on Narborough Road.

The illegally parked cars are causing Traffic jams and it takes twice the time to get past Narborough road.

I suggest that the Narborough Road area (between Upperton Road and Hinckley Road) becomes a 'Red Zone'.

6. PETITIONS

Cllr Karavadra to present a petition with 137 signatures in the following terms:

"We the undersigned are concerned citizens and urge Leicester City Council to act now to (1) Remove the 24-hour bus lane (2) Remove the camera pointing to Oakland Avenue as there are 2 cameras on a 0.8 mile stretch (3) Put a 'Keep Clear' sign on Melton Road to make it safe for cars exiting Oakland Avenue".

7. MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMISSION 2024/25

The Membership of the Commission will be confirmed and noted.

CHAIR	Councillor Waddington
VICE CHAIR	Councillor Barton
	Councillor Bajaj
	Councillor Batool
	Councillor Singh Sangha
	Councillor Rae Bhatia
	Councillor Osman
	Councillor Porter

8. DATES OF MEETINGS FOR THE COMMISSION 2024/25

Members will be asked to note the meeting dates of the commission of 2024/25.

18 July 2024

28 August 2024

6 November 2024

8 January 2025
12 March 2025
23 April 2025

9. TERMS OF REFERENCE **Appendix B**

The Commission will be asked to note the Terms of Reference.

10. EDTCE OVERVIEW PRESENTATION **Appendix C**

The Lead Scrutiny Directors of the Commission to outline the service areas that form part of the commission.

11. BUS LANE OPERATING HOURS - SCOPING DOCUMENT **Appendix D**

The City Transport Director submits a report providing members of the commission with a proposed scope for the review of the operating hours of bus lanes within Leicester and the opportunity to comment on the scope for the review, suggest items to include, and consider joining the working group.

12. EXAMINING ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING POINTS IN LEICESTER - INFORMAL SCRUTINY **Appendix E**

The Chair of the task group submits a report examining electric vehicle charging points in Leicester.

The Commission will be asked to note the report and support the recommendations set out in paragraph 1.2

13. LABOUR MARKET: WORKER EXPLOITATION - SCOPING DOCUMENT **Appendix F**

The Head of Economic Regeneration submits a report providing members of the commission with a proposed scope for a review of worker exploitation across Leicester's labour market and invite members of the commission to comment on the scope for the review and to consider joining the working group.

14. WORK PROGRAMME **Appendix G**

Members of the Commission will be asked to consider the work programme and make suggestions for additional items as it considers necessary.

15. ANY OTHER BUSINESS