



Report to Climate Change, Economy and Development Transitional Committee 10th March 2022

Report of: Policy & Improvement Officer

Subject: Climate Change, Economy and Development Transitional
Committee Activity Report March 2022

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Transitional Committees were introduced to provide an early opportunity for Members to work on a cross party basis, advising the Executive in advance of decisions being made, as we make the transition to a Committee System in 2022/23. Transitional Committees were advisory to the Co-operative Executive, and the workplans focused on key topics for the administration, aligned to the One Year Plan. This report sets out the topics, activity of work, the Committee considered in this Municipal year.

The Committee is being asked to:

Note the content of this report on the activity of the Climate Change, Economy and Development Transitional Committee 2021/22

Background Papers: none

Category of Report: OPEN

Transitional Committee 3 – Climate Change, Economy & Development
Meeting dates 2021/2022: 7th October, 10th November 2021, 13th January, 10th February, 10th March 2022
Chair: Mark Jones, Deputy Chair: Barbara Masters
Co-operative Executive Members: Terry Fox, Douglas Johnson, Paul Turpin
Senior Lead Officer: Mick Crofts, Executive Director, Place Portfolio

Completed Work Plan 2021/22

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| Our Future Approach to Priority Budgeting | Discussion on longer term priorities that will inform priority based budgets. | This was considered October 7 th Meeting |
| Central Area Strategy | To support the Co-operative Executive in shaping the future plan for the city centre in line with the One Year Plan commitment on this. | This was considered October 7 th Meeting |
| Pathway to Net Zero: Update on 10-point plan | To support the Co-operative Executive in the 10-point plan process towards Net Zero | This was considered October 7 th meeting: Initial update on process for the 10-point plan and adoption by the Council, agreed return of draft 10-Point Plan 10th November; subsequent workstream on Domestic Retrofit was agreed by the Committee |
| Ethical Procurement Workshop | The Council’s Ethical Procurement Strategy is in the process of being updated to include sustainability requirements | There was a virtual workshop October 21 st for members of the Committee |

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| Local Plan | To advise the Co-operative Executive on the development of the Local Plan, in support of the One Year Plan commitment to take decisive steps on this during 2021 and 2022 | The Committee engaged in a programme of hearing evidence and briefing in regard the Local Plan Spatial Options and met on 13 th January 2022 to advise on their preferred spatial option – each Committee member stated a preference and why |
| Climate Change Action Plan - Domestic Retrofit | The Committee undertook a short task and finish review gathering information on options for and experience elsewhere in England of Domestic Retrofit Programmes | Concluding Session at Meeting on 10 th March to determine key points / options to advise the Executive in regard Domestic Retrofit for Sheffield |

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