

AGENDA

PLANNING, TRANSPORT AND DEVELOPMENT OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE MEETING



Overview and Scrutiny

Date: Tuesday 22 July 2014
Time: 6.30 pm
Venue: Town Hall, High Street, Maidstone

Membership:

Councillors: Chittenden, English (Vice-Chairman), Munford,
Powell, Ross, Round, Springett (Chairman),
de Wiggondene and Willis

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1. **The Committee to consider whether all items on the agenda should be webcast**
2. **Apologies**
3. **Notification of Substitute Members**
4. **Notification of Visiting Members/Witnesses**
5. **Disclosures by Members and Officers**
6. **To consider whether any items should be taken in private because of the possible disclosure of exempt information**
7. **Minutes of the Meeting held on 24 June 2014** 1 - 5
8. **Review of Transport in Maidstone Borough - alternatives to using a car - external witness interviews** 6 - 11

Interviews with:

- James Gower – cycling enthusiast who sent a suggestion via Twitter for the Committee to review congestion in the town
- Tay Arnold – Cycling Transport Planner, Kent Highways, Kent County Council

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Alison Broom

**Alison Broom, Chief Executive, Maidstone Borough Council,
Maidstone House, King Street, Maidstone Kent ME15 6JQ**

- Colin Finch - Senior Public Rights of Way Officer, Kent County Council
- Bartholomew Wren - Economic Development Officer Regeneration and Transport, Tunbridge Wells Borough Council

9. Review of Transport in Maidstone Borough - alternatives to using a car - Review of Walking and Cycling as an alternative to using the car **12 - 16**

Interview with Sarah Shearsmith, Community Development Team Leader, Maidstone Borough Council.

10. Review of Transport in Maidstone Borough - alternatives to using a car - Report of the Head of Planning and Development - Cycling and Walking in Maidstone **17 - 60**

Interview with Mr Tim Hapgood, Transport Consultant, Spatial Policy Team.

11. Future Work Programme and SCRAIP update **61 - 83**

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