

Decision to be Made by the Deputy Leader (Portfolio Holder for Finance and Property) on or after 20 October 2017

Addition of one Developer-funded Highway Scheme to the Capital Programme – Bus Stop, Alderminster

Recommendation

The Deputy Leader (Portfolio Holder for Finance and Property) gives approval to add the following scheme to the Capital Programme for 2017-18:

- Bus Stop Enhancement Works in Alderminster at a cost of £21,000 fully funded from a developer contribution.

1.0 Key Issues

- 1.1 On 23 May 2017, the Council reconfirmed the delegated power to the Leader, or body nominated by them, to approve the addition to the capital programme of schemes costing less than £2.0 million, which are fully funded from external grants, developer contributions or from revenue. The Portfolio Holder for Finance and Property is that nominated body.
- 1.2 The implementation of bus stop enhancement works in Alderminster will be fully funded by an applicable Section 106 developer contribution discharged to the County Council. The addition of this scheme to the capital programme will not affect the overall level of capital resources available to the Council.

2.0 Bus Stop Enhancement Works in Alderminster

- 2.1 A planning application was submitted to Stratford-on-Avon District Council in regard to the erection of 25 dwellings on land north of Shipston Road in Alderminster. Planning permission was granted on 25 August 2015 (Planning Application Ref No. 14/02372/OUT) and this requires the Developer to make a financial contribution of £21k to the County Council (through a Section 106 Agreement), towards the provision of minor bus stop enhancement works including the provision of hard-standing, new bus shelters and new bus stop poles within Alderminster.
- 2.2 Alderminster Parish Council will provide support to County Council officers, in terms of identifying the bus stops to be subject to enhancement and recommending the extent of the enhancement works at each location.

3.0 Timescales associated with the decision and next steps

- 3.1 Subject to the recommendation being agreed, it is anticipated that the bus stop enhancement works will be completed within the 2017-18 financial year.

Background papers

None

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