

## Agenda

**Meeting: Scarborough & Whitby Area Constituency Committee**

**Venue: Seachange Community Trust (The Street)  
12 Lower Clark Street, Scarborough  
YO12 7PW**

**Date: Wednesday 25 September 2019 @  
10:30am**

### Business

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1. Minutes of the meeting held on 19 June 2019 (Pages 5 to 8)
3. Apologies for Absence & Declarations of Interest
4. Public Questions or Statements

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- at this point in the meeting if their questions/statements relate to matters which are not otherwise on the Agenda (subject to an overall time limit of 30 minutes);

- when the relevant Agenda item is being considered if they wish to speak on a matter which is on the Agenda for this meeting.

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**5. Attendance of Rt Hon Robert Goodwill MP**

Purpose of Attendance: To provide an opportunity for the local MP to highlight issues of concern in the constituency area.

**6. NYCC Digital Strategy – Presentation by NYCC’s Assistant Director Technology & Change (Pages 9 to 36)**

Purpose: To provide an update on the development of a range of technologies that will improve connectivity, access to services and the opportunities for business

**7. Scarborough Junctions Upgrade – Report of Improvement Manager, Highways and Transportation (BES) (Pages 37 to 52)**

Purpose: To provide an update on the construction phase of four junction improvements in Scarborough.

**8. Work Programme for 2019/20 – Report of the Assistant Chief Executive (Legal and Democratic Services) (Pages 53 to 70)**

Purpose of report: To consider, develop and adopt a Work Programme for 2019/20 for the Area Constituency Committee.

**10. Other business which the Chairman agrees should be considered as a matter of urgency because of special circumstances.**

Barry Khan  
Assistant Chief Executive (Legal and Democratic Services)  
County Hall  
Northallerton  
17 September 2019

## SCARBOROUGH AND WHITBY AREA CONSTITUENCY COMMITTEE

### Membership

<b>County Councillors (13)</b>			
	<i>Councillors Name</i>	<i>Political Group</i>	<i>Electoral Division</i>
<b>1</b>	BACKHOUSE, Andrew	Conservative	Newby
<b>2</b>	BASTIMAN, Derek	Conservative	Scalby & the Coast
<b>3</b>	BROADBENT, Eric	Labour	Northstead
<b>4</b>	CHANCE, David	Conservative	Whitby/Mayfield Cum Mulgrave
<b>5</b>	COLLING, Liz	Labour	Falsgrave & Stepney
<b>6</b>	JEFFELS, David	Conservative	Seamer & Derwent Valley
<b>7</b>	JEFFERSON, Janet	NY Independent	Castle
<b>8</b>	JENKINSON, Andrew	Conservative	Woodlands
<b>9</b>	PEARSON, Clive	Conservative	Esk Valley
<b>10</b>	PLANT, Joe	Conservative	Whitby/Streonshalh
<b>11</b>	RANDERSON, Tony	Labour	Eastfield & Osgodby
<b>12</b>	SWIERS, Roberta	Conservative	Hertford & Cayton
<b>13</b>	WALSH, Callam	Conservative	Weaponness & Ramshill
	<b>Total Membership – 13</b>	<b>Quorum – (3)</b>	



## North Yorkshire County Council

### Scarborough and Whitby Area Constituency Committee

Minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 19 June 2019 at 10.30 am at Seachange Community Trust (The Street), 12 Lower Clark Street, Scarborough, YO12 7PW

**Present:-**

County Councillors Eric Broadbent, David Chance, Liz Colling, Janet Jefferson, Andrew Jenkinson, Clive Pearson (Vice Chairman), Joe Plant (Chairman), Roberta Swiers, Tony Randerson and Callum Walsh.

In Attendance: County Councillor Carl Les and NYP Inspector Jon Grainge

Officers: Andrew Dixon - Strategic Planning Manager; Jen Cave - Principal Adviser; Carol-Ann Howe - Head of Inclusion Support Services; Melanie Carr (Democratic Service & Scrutiny) and Hannah Bowles (Business Support).

Apologies for Absence: County Councillors Derek Bastiman, Andrew Backhouse and David Jeffels

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**Copies of all documents considered are in the Minute Book**

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#### **31. Appointment of Chairman**

On being nominated and seconded, it was

**Resolved -**

That County Councillor Joe Plant be elected Chairman of the Scarborough & Whitby Area Constituency Committee, to serve until the Annual Meeting of the County Council in 2020.

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**County Councillor Thompson in the Chair**

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#### **32. Minutes of the meeting of the Yorkshire Coast and Moors County Area Committee held on 20 March 2019**

**Resolved -**

That the Minutes of the meetings held on 20 March 2019, having been printed and circulated, be taken as read and confirmed and signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

#### **33. Appointment of Vice-Chairman**

**Resolved –**

That County Councillor Clive Pearson be elected Vice Chairman of the Scarborough & Whitby Area Constituency Committee to serve until the Annual Meeting of the County Council in 2020.

**34. Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest.

**35. Public Questions or Statements**

There were no public questions or statements.

**36. Rural Policing Update**

Considered -

A presentation provided by Inspector Jon Grainge, head of the Rural Taskforce Unit of North Yorkshire Police.

Inspector Jon Grainge provided an overview of the make-up and role of the Taskforce Unit, part of a proactive policing team serving North Yorkshire.

The presentation detailed the four key strands of the Rural Policing Strategy – Prevention, Engagement, Enforcement and Support for Rural Communities.

The Committee learned prevention was predominately the work of the PCSOs and that there were a number of ongoing operations focussed on farms, rural businesses and metal theft. They were also made aware of 'Mobile Rural Watch' which involved community members going on active patrol with the Police and volunteers acting as the eyes and ears of the Police, identifying suspicious vehicles etc. It was confirmed there were currently 18 such schemes in place across the county, all going from strength to strength. Community intelligence was being used to help identify extremism, rural based modern slavery and other vulnerable people in communities. Members agreed the challenge was to ensure a lasting legacy beyond the involvement of specific individuals or groups.

In regards to engagement, Members were pleased to note that all media avenues were being utilised, including social media, and in particular WhatsApp, which was enabling the Taskforce to tap into community group communication and carry out a graded assessment of the incoming data. This was seen as a supplement to 999 and 101 communications, not a replacement.

In regards to enforcement it was noted that Rural Taskforce Unit was able to access further support from other policing teams as and when needed, enabling considerable resources to be focussed on the needs of a rural community to help combat the perception that there was a lack of focus of rural areas, which historically had led to an under reporting of crimes.

Members noted the ongoing operations focussed on rural burglaries, farm burglaries and fly tipping, which for the latter involved working in partnership with Trading Standards, DVSA, DVLA and Local Authorities.

It was confirmed that wildlife crime was not a significant issue in the Scarborough and Whitby constituency area, although there had been some instances of deer poaching.

County Councillor Joe Plant thanked Inspector Jon Grainge for his attendance and it was

**Resolved – That:**

- (i) That the report be noted.
- (ii) A further update be provided in June 2020.

### **37. Schools Educational Achievement & Finance**

Considered –

A report from officers from NYCC's Children & Young People's Directorate

The report provided an overview of local educational landscape, educational achievement and the financial challenges affecting schools in the Scarborough & Whitby constituency area.

Members noted the overview of the area including the standard and attainment levels across the area. County Councillor Liz Colling drew attention to improvements achieved as a result of the North Yorkshire Opportunities Area Funding due to end in 2020, and questioned what the legacy of that funding would be. It was noted that there had been a 6% improvement in phonics in pre-school early years which was improving school readiness, and that the learning from that focussed work was being shared with other areas.

Having considered the data on exclusion, County Councillor Eric Broadbent expressed concern about the loss of teaching support staff and its effect on exclusion rates. However it was noted that teaching assistants were not necessarily working with the most challenging of pupils i.e. those in danger of being excluded. County Councillor David Chance hoped there would be a gradual down turn in exclusions rates as a result of a change in ethos and suggested there might be small funding pots available to address specific locality issues.

Officers confirmed the focus was on supporting schools to do the best they could with the resources they had. In particular, working to address the social and emotional health of those pupils in danger of being excluded, and working with those schools with a higher number of excluded pupils.

County Councillor Joe Plant expressed thanks for the work that had led to the federation of two 11-16 institutions in Whitby, and questioned whether there was a strategic plan for primary schools in the Whitby area, particularly those in rural parts of the Whitby area.

It was noted that nine rural primary schools had closed across North Yorkshire due to falling numbers and the lack of a recovery plan. It was suggested that rural schools needed to look for opportunities for increased collaboration and possible federation in order to remain sustainable going forward. Officers confirmed that the Local Authority was encouraging discussions between Chairs of Governors in the Whitby area and that an event was planned for July 2019 to bring them together.

County Councillor Janet Jefferson welcomed the report and confirmed the Children & Young Peoples' Overview & Scrutiny Committee were aware of all of the issues, in particular the issue of sustainability, and were keeping a watching brief. She also noted that closing the gap was a key issue for schools in coastal areas due to the transient nature of their pupils.

County Councillor Tony Randerson expressed concern about the delay in providing a new school in the Eastfield area as it was putting an extra strain on existing schools. The AD

confirmed the previous procurement exercise had failed and that re-tendering was due to start again.

Finally County Councillor Joe Plant acknowledged that many of the issues raised were specific to the coastal area and were making it harder to improve/maintain schools in the area. He also expressed the importance of a Finance Officer attending when such an update report was presented in the future.

### **Resolved –**

That:

- (i) The report be noted
- (ii) An annual update be provided as from September 2020.

### **38. NYCC Digital Strategy**

In the absence of the Assistant Director Technology & Change, the Committee agreed to defer the item until their next meeting on 25 September 2019.

### **39. Scarborough and Whitby Area Constituency Committee Work Programme**

Considered -

The report of the Assistant Chief Executive (Legal and Democratic Services) asking Members to review the Work Programme, taking into account the outcome of discussions on previous agenda items and any other developments taking place across the area.

Members noted that the meeting date in September 2019 was likely to change to accommodate the attendance of the local MP. The Democracy Officer confirmed an alternative date would be sought once the MP had confirmed his availability.

In regard to the MP's attendance, Member agreed the following topics for discussion:

- Opportunity Area Funding
- Education Funding
- A64
- The future of Scarborough's industrial area.

Finally, the Chair acknowledged County Councillor Tony Randerson's concern that the hearing loop had not worked throughout the meeting and requested that the issue be addressed to ensure it did not happen again.

### **Resolved -**

That the Democracy Officer update the work programme to reflect the decisions made during the meeting.

The meeting concluded at 12:15pm  
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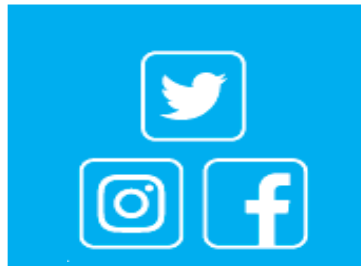
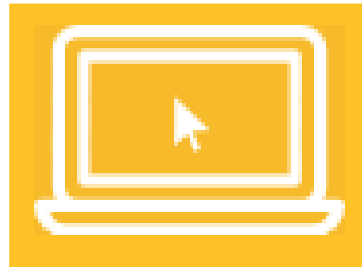
# North Yorkshire



## DRAFT Digital Strategy



Setting out our approach to become a smart County

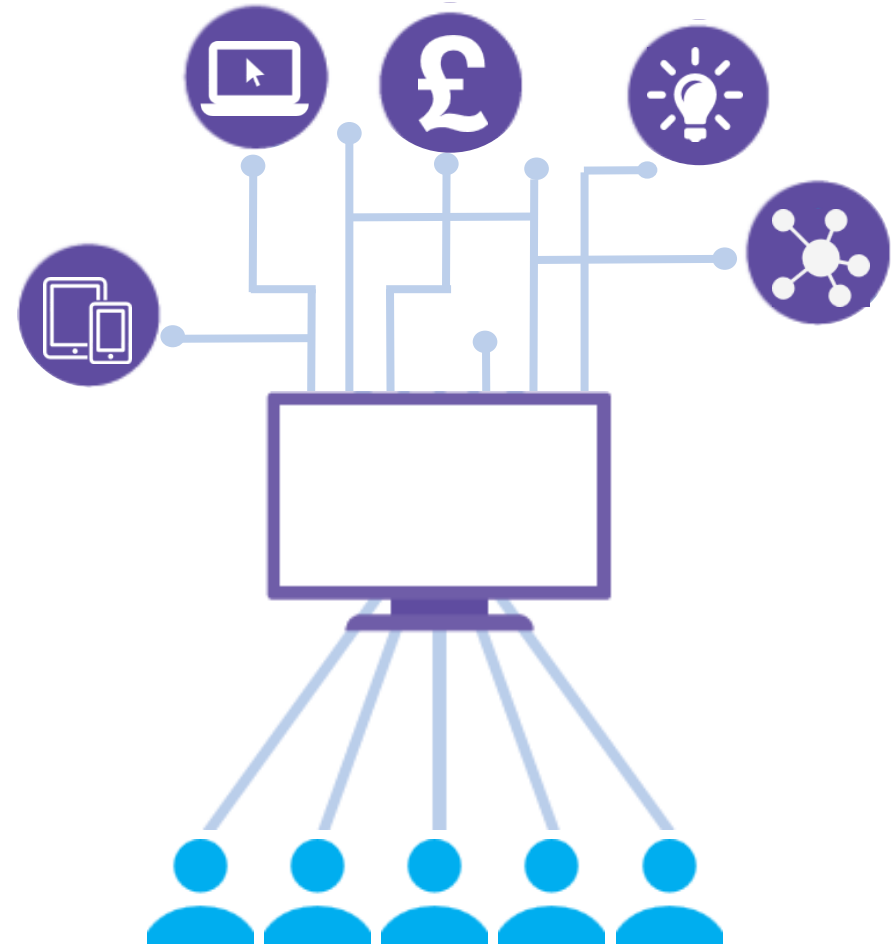


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# About the Strategy

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This plan sets out the digital strategy for North Yorkshire, it gives clear direction as to how North Yorkshire will become a smart county. It is a response to the massive changes as the 'Digital Revolution' accelerates and impacts on the county, our citizens and businesses in fundamental ways.

This strategy will focus on **five core objectives**:

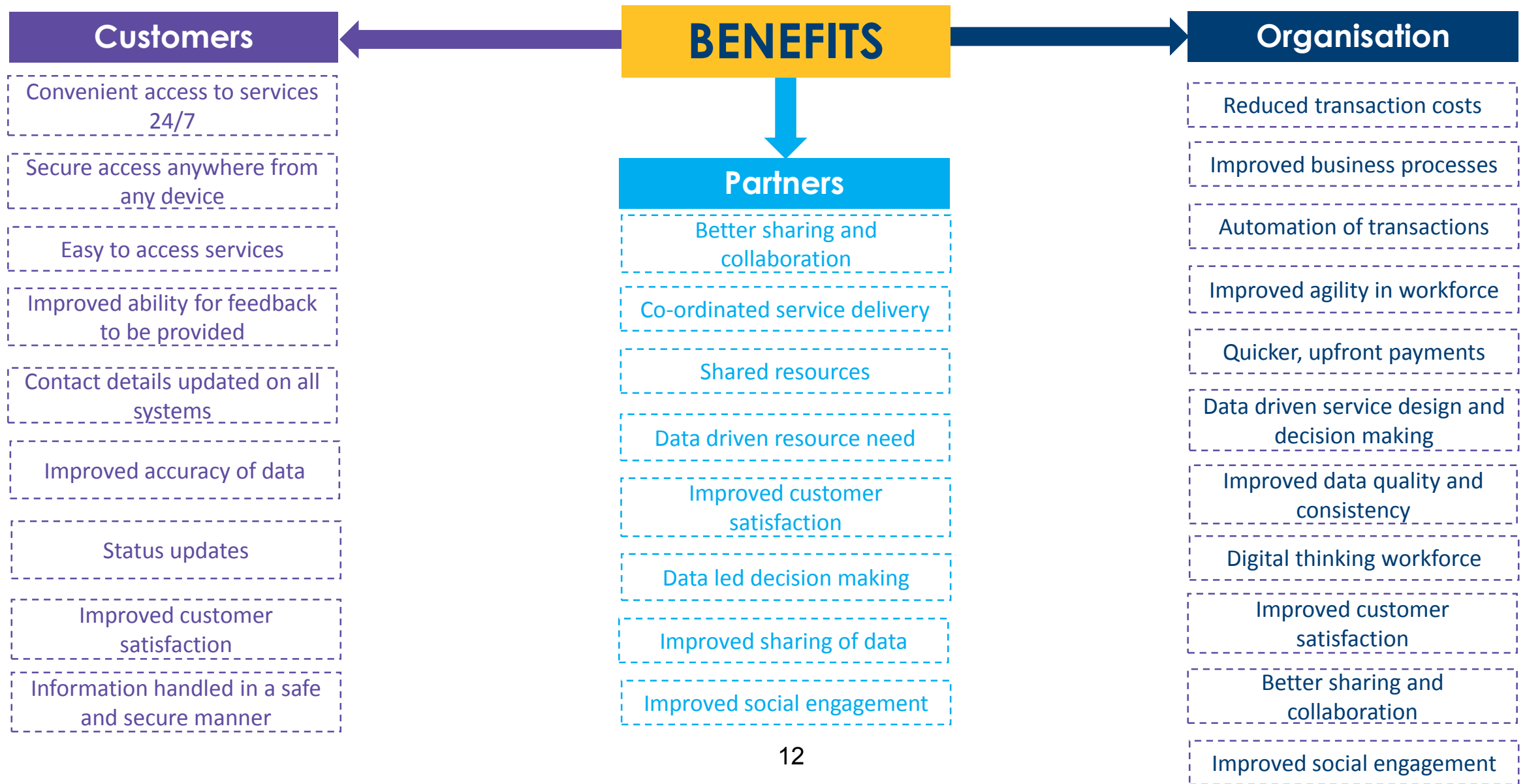
Thinking and Working Smarter	Digital and Smart Communities	Skills for a Digital Age	Connected North Yorkshire	Smart Businesses and Growth
Accelerating digital transformation in the public sector	Invest in our communities to develop sustainable neighbourhoods	Collaborate with partners to grow digital skills and talent to harness the opportunities offered by the digital world	Enabling the county to be better connected	North Yorkshire is digitally enabled to be the catalyst for economic growth

## What will success look like?

The citizen of the future will be able to access the services they need through the most appropriate channel. Routine transactions will be conducted via self-service and customers will have the choice of having their own public service account. They will be supported by public sector staff who have access to and are able to use technology to find the information they need, supported by streamlined processes and new ways of working. Technology will be harnessed to automate as much routine and transactional activity as possible, allowing staff to focus on actions that add value to North Yorkshire and its residents. Working and living in a smart county where connectivity is the norm through a combination of public sector points of access and public services Wi-Fi. Citizens and businesses will have access to high speed, broadband across the county, supported by a strong culture of digital skills.

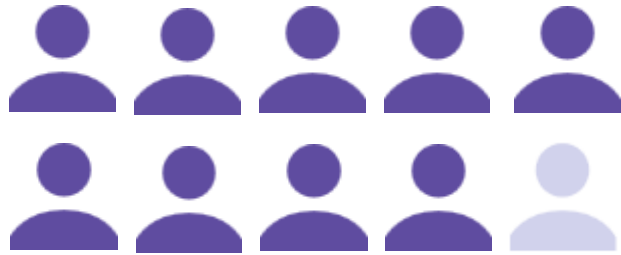
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# Digital Revolution

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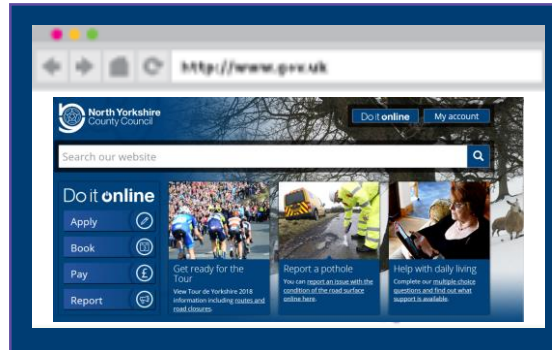
Close to nine in ten adults in the UK now go online from any location



78% of us have looked online for information on public services



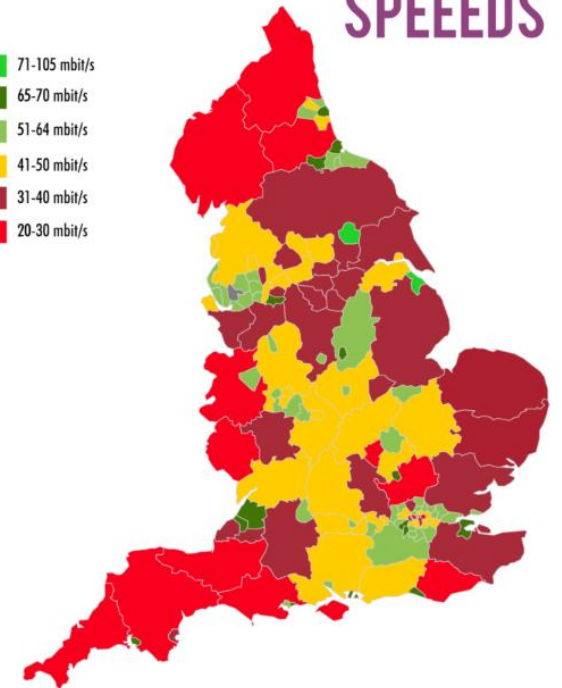
83% of all adults in the UK have a broadband connection



40% of adults in the UK use the internet to look at local council/  
Government websites

## AT A GLANCE: AVERAGE BROADBAND SPEEDS

- 71-105 mbit/s
- 65-70 mbit/s
- 51-64 mbit/s
- 41-50 mbit/s
- 31-40 mbit/s
- 20-30 mbit/s



The National average download speed is 45 mbit/s, North Yorkshire has average speeds of 30.2 mbit/s

# Digital Opportunities

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There are rapid changes taking place in society fuelled by advancements in modern technology meaning that we need to respond to the changing demands of our residents, customers and businesses. Organisations need to reduce the cost of services while improving service quality, remain relevant to the many customers who use digital services every day while ensuring that it meets the demands of all the customers it serves. Three key areas will provide us with the opportunities to achieve this:

## Social Media

facebook



Social media has changed the way in which we can communicate and engage – it's opened up access and provides us with a wealth of opportunities to develop relationships and connections in the community. Our aim is to use social media to listen, learn and deliver better services.

## Website



Websites will be transactional with an emphasis on easy access, self-service, up-to-date and relevant information and fully mobile enabled. Our aim is to ensure that websites are succinct and information is accessible in a maximum of three clicks.

## Digital infrastructure



Digital technologies allow the redesign of services around the customer. The ability to deliver many transactional services electronically - whether paying, applying or reporting - can be done at a lower cost. We will invest in digital technologies, harnessing the power of cloud computing where appropriate, to support better customer service.

# Vision - “To become a smart County that uses technology in our operations and service delivery to improve the outcomes and the lives of the people we serve”

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Objectives	Thinking and Working Smarter	Digital and Smart Communities	Skills for a Digital Age	Connected North Yorkshire	Smart Businesses and Growth
	Accelerating digital transformation in the public sector	Invest in our communities to develop sustainable neighbourhoods	Collaborate with partners to grow digital skills and talent to harness the opportunities offered by the digital world	Enabling the county to be better connected	North Yorkshire is digitally enabled to be the catalyst for economic growth
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Services are accessible 24/7</li> <li>Use customer data and intelligence to re-design services</li> <li>Stimulate innovation and collaboration through open data and information sharing initiatives</li> <li>Use mobile &amp; remote working technologies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enable all to get the most out of the available technology</li> <li>Support communities and vulnerable groups who find accessing our services difficult</li> <li>Ensuring efficient &amp; accessible face to face provision to council services</li> <li>Deliver SMART projects to provide more efficient services</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Developing the digital capability and skills of pupils, students, workforces and the community</li> <li>Promoting a digital culture</li> <li>Encourage digital thinking</li> <li>Create partnerships with business / other public sector organisations to learn from best practices.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improved access to broadband coverage</li> <li>Improved broadband speeds especially those in rural areas</li> <li>Improved access to free public Wi-Fi</li> <li>Increased access to 3, 4G and 5G networks</li> <li>Incorporate new technologies as they emerge</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Invest in modern technology to create jobs and stimulate economic growth</li> <li>Help transform sectors with digital knowledge</li> <li>Utilise improving digital infrastructure within the county to improve tourism within North Yorkshire</li> </ul>
What will success look like?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improved customer experience &amp; decision making</li> <li>Digitally enabled products and services</li> <li>Delivery of value for money services by “getting it right first time”</li> <li>Improved services and delivering cost savings</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vulnerable residents have the ability to enhance their digital skills and confidence</li> <li>Communities can access social, medical and remote care technology allowing greater independence</li> <li>Close the digital divide</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Digitally skilled young people to prevent a future skills gap</li> <li>Improved future employability and a talent pool upon which local businesses can draw upon</li> <li>Digitally skilled communities</li> <li>Digital workforce and culture deeply embedded</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All businesses and communities have the ability to access high-quality broadband so that they can enjoy the same social, economic &amp; environmental benefits available to others in other parts of the country</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Increased economic growth</li> <li>Digital businesses invest in North Yorkshire</li> <li>Location based data and services promote tourism, local businesses and attractions</li> </ul>

## Data & Analytics

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Safe and secure access



Person centred digital change



Digital by Default



Research & Innovation

# Our Principles

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## Person centred digital change

Many organisations have been designed to reflect internal structures and reflect processes that have built up over time. We will change this by putting our customers at the centre of the way we work. We will put ourselves in the customer's shoes and re-imagine services around them, using digital tools to make their experience of interacting with us smoother and quicker. We will develop relationships with our customers where they feel confident that the feedback they provide will be acted upon.



## Digital by Default

Many of the services we provide are physical products such as recycling collections or care for vulnerable adults. These may not be digital products but the processes that enable someone to receive these services can become digital to the fullest possible extent. To ensure we are digital by default our services will be designed to be as digital and automated as possible.

However we do recognise that not everyone is able to access services digitally. This may be because of financial constraints or because they do not have the skills. We are committed to ensuring services will be, where appropriate, digital by design but include options to enable customers who require help to access services in traditional ways.



## Safe and secure access

Cyber crime is a global problem. It is usually carried out over the Internet and can take many forms. Information security and protecting privacy are key foundations for ensuring the success and sustainability of our digital developments. We will ensure that our customers, citizens, businesses and our own organisation are safe by:

- Education and awareness for staff
- Invest in our security measures
- Compliance with security and data protection legal and regulatory standards
- Hold accurate and up to date information
- Improve our day to day management of data
- Ensure our online services are trusted and protect the identities of the citizens and businesses using them



## Research & Innovation

We will constantly assess ourselves to ensure that innovation takes place through the provision of more-effective products, processes, services and technologies. We will try new things and not be afraid to fail. We will learn from the things that we do. We will fail fast and fail forward.

# Data & Analytics

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*“To help the organisation understand the value of it’s data, embrace a data-driven culture; and to provide data solutions that drive evidence based decision making ”*

Empower people to **make the right decisions** at the right times using **the right information**.

- Accessible, available and accurate so everyone can intelligently analyse and interrogate. Using Natural Language to bridge the technical skill barrier
- Disrupt the current way we capture data to be a more value-based discussion on how we design service and business process so that we can reduce waste
- The right tools, skills and professional networks in place to support analytics in the business as well as further develop analytic capability in the centre.

Be a **modern county**, and use data collaboratively so people can make the best choices **regardless where information may reside**

- Working more closely with partners, so that we may jointly gain insight have a more informed approach thinking agnostic of partnership boundaries
- Using standards, we promote frictionless sharing with more effort on analysis than curation.
- Be more open and transparent so we can foster public confidence in how we’re using and sharing data.
- We work with our partners on collaborative analyses, setting up networks where our scarce data science resource can work on cross partner challenges.

Data is used **innovatively** and **sensitively**; using **analytics and data science** to support improvements in service

- Working ethically, seeking guidance from academics and partners and acting openly and transparently.
- Creating a data science centre of excellence, with the business and technical teams to establish and support a methodology from which complex analyses can be performed.
- To identify and drive innovative data solutions to situations within the business area – focussing on more efficient evidence gathering, automated decision making, data driven automation and improving customer interactions



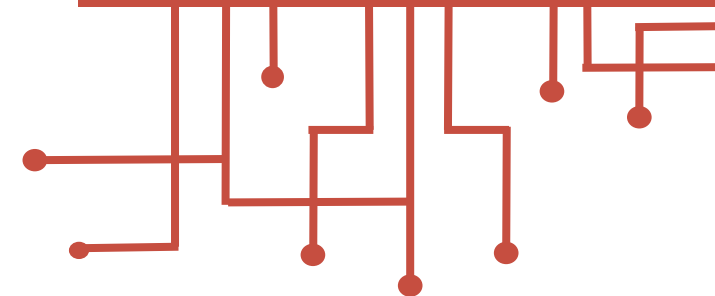
## 'Accelerating digital transformation in the public sector'

### Strategic Actions

#### Work in partnership to:

- Make services **accessible 24/7**.
- Ensuring **advice and information that is succinct**, empowering customers to easily find what they need through digital channels.
- **Rationalise the property estate** and develop new ways of working to maximise the benefit of each space.
- Make more services available online so requests, payments etc. can be made **anywhere at anytime**.
- Use customer **data & intelligence** to inform and develop online services.
- Use **mobile and remote working** technologies.
- Make best use of IT infrastructure to enable **sharing of data**.
- Streamline internal, manual processes and **scrutinise back office systems** to help minimise waste and duplication.

- Continuing to change the culture within the workforce and embrace further changes as an organisation
  - Challenging the status quo
- Continuing to deliver against reduced budgets

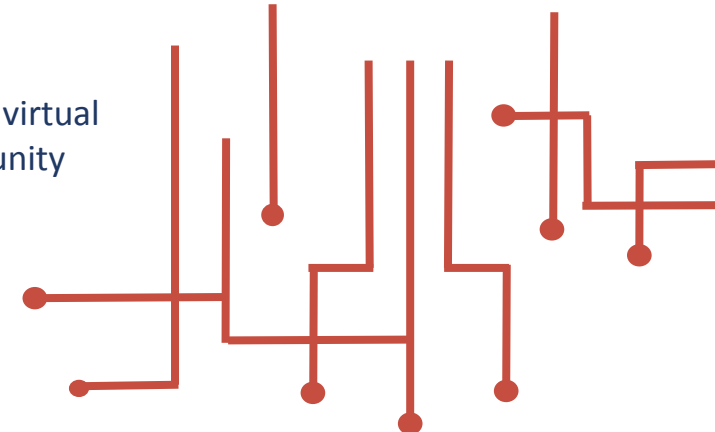




## ‘Accelerating digital transformation in the public sector’

### The journey so far...

- **Modern Council / Office Programme** – The NYCC and Selby District Council 2020 Modern Council / Office programmes have seen teams adopting practical changes to the way they work. They have focussed on providing new technology, using property more flexibly and efficiently and encouraging a cultural change to support colleagues across the council to engage with these changes and take the opportunities they offer. Examples include:
  - **Flexible working and technology** - Direct access has enabled staff to work flexible from different locations, either at home, another office location or even in a different country. Over the past 2 years the Modern Council / Office team have been working with all the different parts of the organisation to understand what kit they would need to do their jobs more efficiently. Where possible and practicable we have looked to facilitate this by giving staff new technology such as laptops, tablets and smartphones.
  - **Property** - The increase in flexible working, partly enabled by direct access has along with a reduction in some staffing levels enabled the reduction in the volume of office accommodation. As well as a reduction in office accommodation, there has been work ongoing throughout 2017 to update offices to further enable modern ways of working. The aim is to provide one North Yorkshire estate – to maximise co-location opportunities, both internally within organisations and externally with partners.
- **Health and care** – Work currently being undertaken with the Harrogate Alliance means that staff contribute to virtual “huddles”, as part of a multi-disciplinary team of professionals, alongside colleagues from GP practices, community health and social care, negating the need to travel long distances in order to be co-located for decision making meetings.

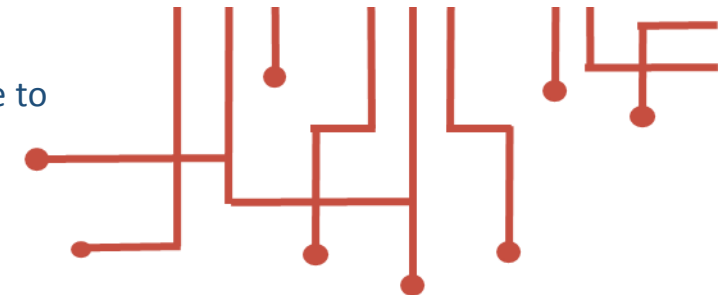




## ‘Accelerating digital transformation in the public sector’

### What’s next...

- **Modern Council / Office Programme** – Following the introduction of new technology, the next stage will be to further embed this within the workforce through additional training, maximising the use of devices and potential future rationalisation of equipment when new technology permits. Encouraging the cultural change to support colleagues across the council and partner organisations to engage with these changes and take the opportunities they offer. Further work includes:
  - **Telephony strategy** – Further work is required to rationalise the use of desk phones and to rollout softphones where appropriate.
  - **Property** – The next steps are to consider property estates and how the use of smart buildings could benefit partners across the region. Smart heating and lighting systems will mean that spaces are only heated or lit when in use therefore helping to reduce costs and our carbon footprint. Properties can use the energy they generate to charge electric vehicles for staff to use. Smart furniture will enable employees to see where there is available desk space or meeting facilities across different buildings.
- **New technology** – We are developing chatbots to answer frequently asked questions therefore freeing up staff to deal with more advanced queries. We will look to develop Artificial Intelligence and use within different services to help identify trends and predict outcomes, for example around EHCPs and population health trends. We will look to use Virtual Reality to train staff and help provide a more realistic experience to help develop softer skills in the workforce.
- **Health and care** – Sharing data amongst partners and analysing patterns in datasets using Artificial Intelligence to help staff identify emerging trends in health and care needs and potential people at risk allowing for early interventions where necessary. This will enable discussions at “huddles” and Multi-Disciplinary Teams to be more focussed on specific emerging issues.





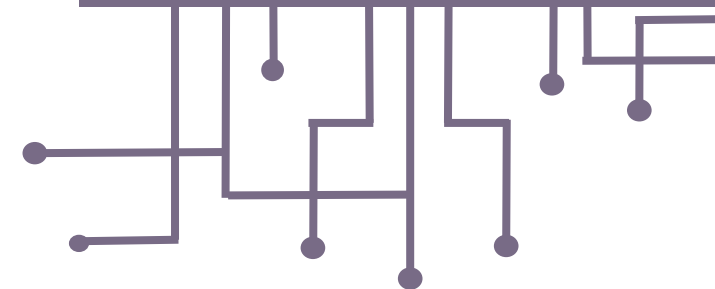
‘Invest in our communities to develop sustainable neighbourhoods’

## Strategic Actions

### Work in partnership to:

- **Enable all** to get the most out of the available technology & data.
- **Support communities and vulnerable groups** who find accessing services difficult.
- Ensuring efficient & accessible **face to face provision** to services.
- Deliver smart projects to provide more efficient services, for example **intelligent street lighting** and smart waste bins.
- Transform access to health and social care services through initiatives such as **Telehealth** and **digital health care**.
- Utilise the VCS to support communities through **digital transformation**.
- Engage with our communities when **transforming** services.
- Obtain **customer feedback** so we can continuously improve our services.
- Population **health outcomes** are improved through additions to housing environment, including building management sensors to provide data on activity and occupancy patterns e.g. use of smart heating controls / boilers to **enhance longevity of building condition** and reduce repairs.

- Closing the digital divide
- How we best support customers who find the “digital by default” approach overwhelming
- Culture change within communities
  - Funding for SMART projects





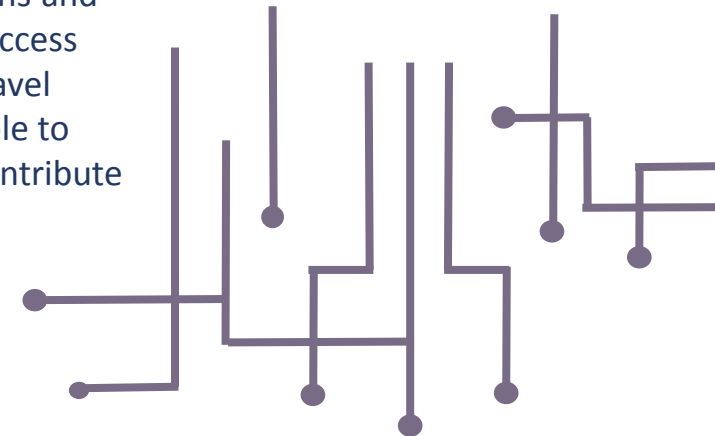
## ‘Invest in our communities to develop sustainable neighbourhoods’

### The journey so far...

- **SMART Parking in Harrogate** – NYCC & Harrogate BC have launched a joint initiative to create the country’s first ‘smart parking’ town in Harrogate from November 2018. (This is the first of a number of joint initiatives under the SMART Harrogate programme.) Initially on an 18 month pilot basis. Working with Appy Parking, the town will see parking partly managed by 1,600 surface-mounted Bluetooth sensors in all street parking bays and off-street surface level car parks.

The 'smart parking' app will offer motorists the chance to be guided to available spaces and pay for exactly the time they stay. The solution identifies available spaces, provides cost information and assists navigation to the most suitable parking space. On arrival motorists can start their parking session via the AppyParking app or can choose traditional pay and display machines. When using the AppyParking app, the motorist does not have to predict how long they will be in the bay and the session automatically ends when the car leaves the bay. Smart parking should significantly improve parking and traffic management, reduce pollution, support the visitor economy and enhance user experience, by using the data provided.

- **Telemedicine** - Airedale NHS Foundation Trust and some care homes have the facility to provide consultations and outpatient appointments remotely, using technologies such as Skype and Facetime. This allows patients to access expertise from specialists outside their home area and have appointments without the need to physically travel large distances across the county to attend them. As part of the LHCRE person held record, people will be able to access their health and care information online, decide who they want to share this information with and contribute to video diaries and blogs.

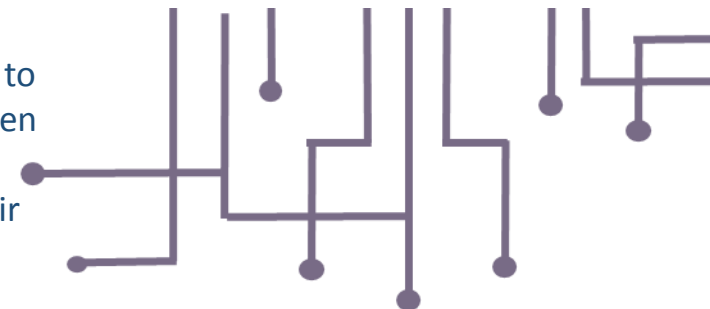




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### What’s next...

- **SMART Harrogate** – NYCC & Harrogate BC are working together on a joint initiative to deploy a SMART ‘city’ infrastructure throughout the Harrogate area. This will include installation of public WiFi and LPWAN/IoT technologies. This will provide citizens, local businesses and the LAs with a number of benefits and opportunities relating to defining future service provision, customer experience, tourism and economic growth. Data from the recently installed SMART parking solution will start to improve parking and traffic management, reduce pollution, support the visitor economy and enhance user experience.
- **Digital Communities** – develop programmes to engage further with the public and communities, mirroring work that Salford have done with their ‘Digital You’ initiative (with 8,000 members of the public and voluntary organisations) which has created a programme that is sustainable and has digital champions / digital ambassadors. We will seek to create digital skills improvement opportunities through further collaboration with Health, Education and other public sector organisations in the Yorkshire area e.g. Good Things Foundation is the UK's leading digital inclusion charity (they support people to grow their essential digital skills to overcome social challenges).
- **Digital Health & Care** – NYCC and partners in the Harrogate area have come together as an Alliance to reshape how community based health and care services are delivered. This will involve increased use of electronic care records through the LHCRE programme, joined up network access to support co-located multi-disciplinary teams and improved population health management approaches through innovative business intelligence and data analytics.
- **Education for Children receiving Medical Care** – there are a number of children unable to attend school due to medical reasons. Through the use of robots that stream classes from their school to the child at home, children are able to “attend” more school than they were previously able. This helps children to reintegrate back into the classroom better when they are well and help them to feel less isolated as they can still interact with their peers.





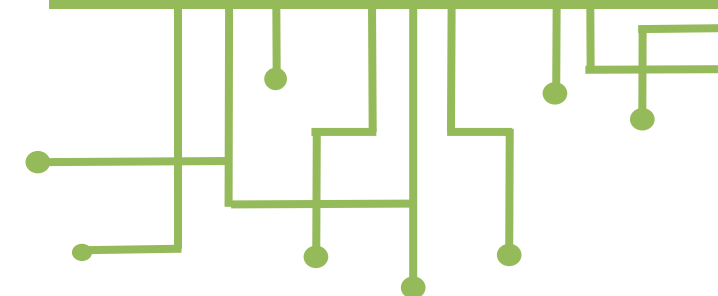
‘Collaborate with partners to grow digital skills and talent to harness the opportunities offered by the digital world’

## Strategic Actions

### Work in partnership to:

- Increase our effectiveness by collaborating across departments and with partner organisations, **adopting a culture of openness** and working closely with others.
- Develop the digital capability and skills of the workforce including **use of data to inform decisions**.
- Promote a **digital culture** within the public sector.
- Provide assisted digital support in community hubs.
- Work with HE's and FE's to **increase the availability of digital learning courses** and apprenticeships.
- **Utilise local employers to support schools**, curriculum and young people in the labour market.
- Develop **digital skills and confidence** through our partnerships with adult learning and the third sector.

- Current skills levels within the workforce is varied
- Increasing the take-up on adult learning courses
- Resources to run more code clubs and other learning initiatives within schools and libraries
- Engaging with businesses / other public sector organisations and see if they can help deliver citizen skills improvements.

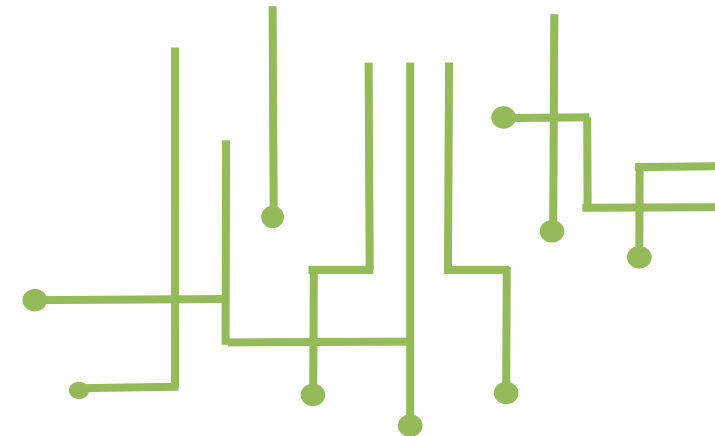




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## Our journey so far...

- **Schools, Higher and Further Education** – Digital skills are now necessary life skills, we need to work in partnership with educational establishments to ensure that people have access to high quality digital content and learning materials.
  - We recognise that project based learning, cross curricular themes and out of schools clubs also play a significant role in engaging our young people to learn and develop skills. In North Yorkshire there are approx. over 100 coding and programming clubs that our young people can join.
  - Within North Yorkshire there is a range of adult learning courses on offer including; introduction to digital skills, basic computer courses, using your tablet/social media for business, IT user skills and ICT skills for volunteering.
- **Libraries** – We also develop and grow the digital skills of our young people through coding clubs, run by a small number of libraries throughout the County, predominately for 5-11 year olds. To date there are 9 coding clubs running regularly, and some others running for time limited periods. BBC microbits will soon be available at all library sites to encourage young people to engage in coding sessions. All libraries also support National IT literacy campaigns such as Get Online week and Spring Online and also the Festival of Learning and Family Learning Festival.

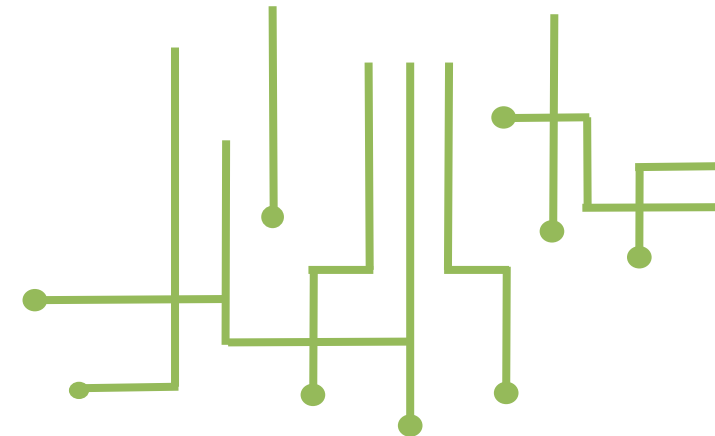




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## What’s next...

- **Partnerships** – We will look to create partnerships with businesses / other public sector organisations to learn from their experiences / best practice and see if they can help deliver citizen skills improvements. We will work with the LEP to ensure that the businesses we are attracting to the area have the right skills being developed in order to support their growth. We will work with providers to identify skills gaps and ensure that the right provision is available to fill these.
- **Skills for employees** – We will work with Training and Learning and other partners ensure that employees have consistent digital skills and have the confidence to apply these to their work. Be this in analytics, social and collaborative interactions and mobile technologies. Improving these skills will enable staff to have better interaction with customers and to improve security. This will enable us to take greater advantage of emerging technologies and adapt services appropriately.



‘Enabling the county to be better connected’

## Strategic Actions

### Will work in partnership to:

- Improve access to **broadband coverage**
- Rollout of **superfast broadband**
- Improve access to **free public Wi-Fi**
- Increased access to **3 & 4G networks**
- Incorporate **new technologies** as they emerge
- Develop a strategy for **5G and LORAWAN**
- **Charging points** for electric vehicles

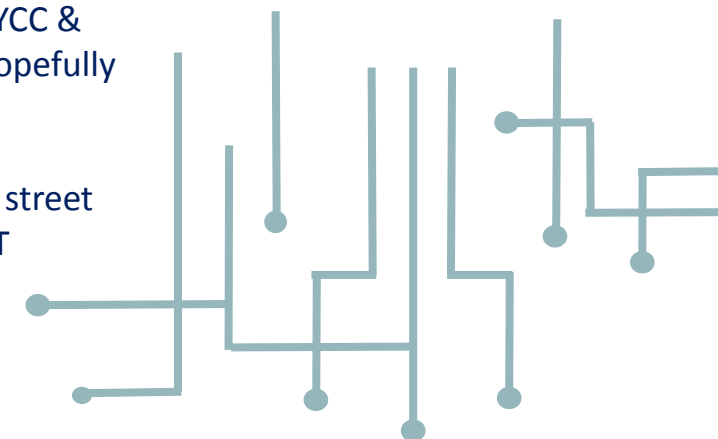
- Geography and population distribution of North Yorkshire
- Ensuring work is completed, and on time
- Meeting public expectations
  - Continued funding



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## The journey so far...

- **Superfast North Yorkshire** – The Superfast North Yorkshire project is built around a partnership between North Yorkshire County Council and BT to deliver next generation superfast broadband to the County, and also brings together other initiatives to address rural access to better broadband. The latest phase of the roll-out will mean that 95% of all homes and businesses in the county will have access to superfast broadband. Since the partnership was launched six years ago, 90% of households and businesses are now able to access superfast broadband. Research shows that the first phases of the contract have already added £7 to the North Yorkshire economy for every £1 invested by Superfast North Yorkshire.
- **Mobile Networks** – Currently, issues exist around the varying levels of coverage across the county, including ‘not spots’ with no coverage and areas with a poor signal or call-only 2G coverage. We are working with mobile phone operators EE, O2, Vodafone and 3 to improve coverage as part of our ambitions for economic growth. A successful bid to the York, North Yorkshire and East Riding Enterprise Partnership for £2m from the Local Growth Fund means that funding will be available to support investment in increasing mobile coverage as plans are developed.
- **Public Wi-Fi** – Working with partners we want North Yorkshire to be super connected, the development and expansion of free Wi-Fi is one of many initiatives which have taken place to further the County’s digital infrastructure. NYCC & Harrogate BC are planning a joint procurement (Starting 1<sup>st</sup> December) for public WiFi and LPWAN. This will hopefully be followed up with similar initiatives across the other areas of North Yorkshire.
- **Street Lighting and other Council asset utilisation** – NYCC are currently in the middle of an energy saving LED street lighting replacement programme. As part of the programme, lighting columns are being enabled for future IoT technologies, public WiFi and LPWAN deployment.

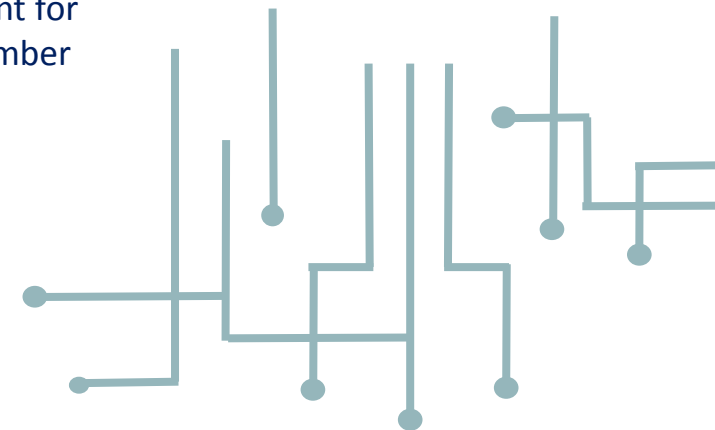




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## What’s next...

- **Mobile Communications Strategy** – The Economic Growth team in Business and Environmental Services (NYCC) have developed Mobile Communications Strategy which sets out the County Council’s plans to support economic growth through the delivery of improved mobile connectivity whilst preparing the county for the next generation of mobile technology.
- **LoRaWAN**– The next steps will be to maximise the use of the LoRaWAN network. To liaise with service areas across NYCC to proactively identify opportunities to utilise this new infrastructure based on business benefit and priority. Following on from the work happening with Harrogate BC, identify further opportunities across North Yorkshire to implement similar infrastructure e.g. Collaboration with other district councils.
- **Future of Transport in towns and cities** – The Government reviewing laws and rules around transport. Use data more effectively to reduce congestion, pollution, enable better choices. Utilize technology better to select transport options and plan journeys. Use of IoT technologies to help provide the right transport for people e.g. on demand bus services, reducing the volume of traffic in all areas, particularly urban and provide greater consumer choice.
- **Local Full Fibre Network (LFFN)** – NYCC and NYnet are currently procuring using LFFN funding from Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sports, a new Dark Fibre solution to replace the existing NYnet connection to a number of public sector buildings.





‘North Yorkshire is digitally enabled to be the catalyst for economic growth’

## Strategic Actions

### Work in partnership to:

- Invest in **modern technology** to create jobs and stimulate economic growth.
- Help transform sectors with **digital knowledge**.
- More **online** payments and bookings.
- **Single secure** customer and business accounts.
- Harness the opportunity offered by **location based data services**.
- Provide support to help encourage **digital businesses** to invest and develop in North Yorkshire.
- Utilise improving **digital infrastructure** within the county to improve tourism within North Yorkshire.
- **Provision of data** to support key business developments (e.g. locating new call centres).
- **Liaise with District Councils** in terms of their local plans (National Planning Policy Framework) The NPPF requires local planning authorities to produce plans that are shaped effective engagement between plan-makers and communities, local organisations, businesses, infrastructure providers and operators.

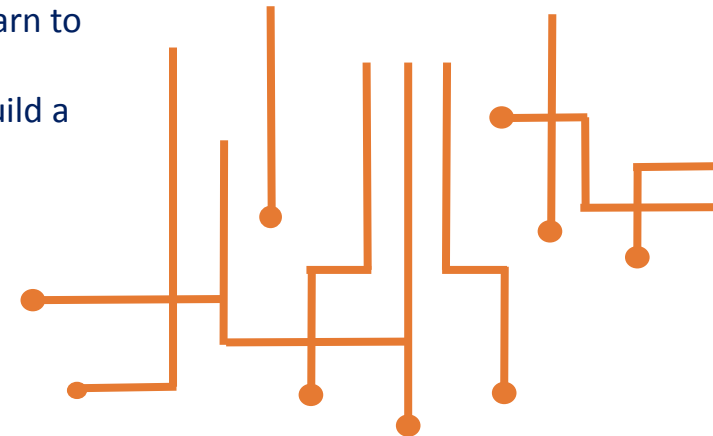
- A need to improve broadband connections particularly for small businesses in rural areas
- Developing the skills needed by businesses for the future



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## The journey so far...

- **Local Enterprise Partnership** – The LEP has undertaken a vast amount work:
  - £5million of investments projects in new skills training facilities and equipment
  - Invested £4.7 million in matched funding to improve skills infrastructure at Harrogate College and Askham Bryan College
  - 49 schools working with the Careers Enterprise Adviser Network
  - Invested £1million into broadband infrastructure
- **Digital sector in North Yorkshire** – The digital industries of Yorkshire and the north of England have been earmarked for rapid expansion by a leading investment bank which has identified two of the country’s fastest growing tech businesses as being in Yorkshire.
- **Libraries and Google** – North Yorkshire Libraries partnered with Google to host the first Digital Garage event in Scarborough as part of National Libraries Week back in 2017. The Digital Garage training sessions were open to everyone and have an emphasis on those interested in developing their businesses. The event include workshops on:
  - Reach digital customers online - how to attract new customers by optimising your presence on Google, learn to gather consumer insights, and get started with online advertising.
  - Digital marketing plan - an introduction to the main digital marketing channels and how to use them to build a strategy.
  - Social media for tourism business - Harness the power of social media for business
  - 1:1 mentoring sessions with a Google expert

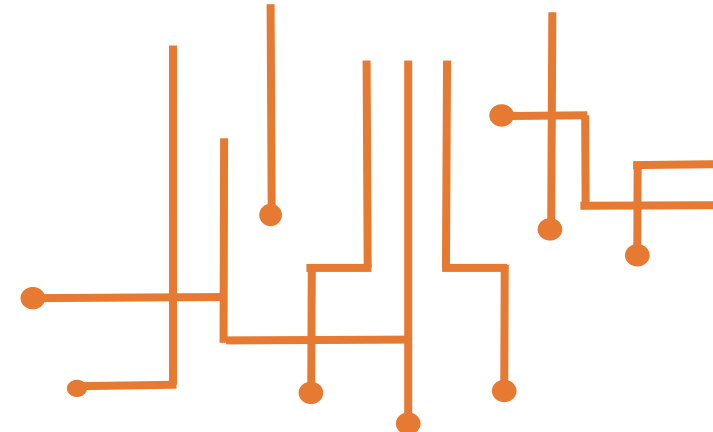




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## What’s next...

- **Care Homes** – Support the care home provider sector by stimulating superfast broadband provision, data security and governance expertise as well as enabling the provision of a fully supported local technical infrastructure. This will ensure providers are able to maintain essential services to people who use care services in North Yorkshire by using digital capabilities with partners across health and social care.
- **LEP Future Towns** – Work with partners to identify future trends in how people will work, live, shop and behave, given technological and societal changes. Using examples of good practise from the UK and beyond, it will identify how our towns will need to evolve and change to ensure that they remain successful and distinctive places in the 21<sup>st</sup> century. In particular, we are keen to improve their productivity and ensure they are appealing and relevant places to live and work, with active and appealing town centres.
- **Future of Transport in towns and cities** – Government reviewing laws and rules around transport. Help to provide the right transport for people. E.g. On demand bus services. Making the most of new ways of travelling e.g. driverless vehicles, electric vehicles etc. Encouraging healthier transport choices for both the individual and the environment. Reducing the volume of traffic in all areas, particularly urban. Provide greater consumer choice. Explore opportunities and benefits for local businesses.





*'To provide data solutions that drive evidence based decision making'*

## Strategic Actions

### Work in partnership to:

- Accessible, available and accurate so **everyone can intelligently analyse** and interrogate, using **Natural Language to bridge** the technical skill barrier
- Working more closely with partners, so that we may **jointly gain insight** have a more informed approach thinking agnostic of partnership boundaries
- **Working ethically**, seeking guidance from academics and partners and acting openly and transparently.
- To identify and **drive innovative data solutions** – focussing on more efficient evidence gathering, **automated decision making**, data driven automation and improving customer interactions
- **We work with our partners on collaborative analyses**, setting up networks where our scarce **data science resource** can work on cross partner challenges.

- Challenges that surround the sharing of data between partners such as Health & the Police
- Applying techniques such as machine learning and Artificial Intelligence
- Use data to provide additional insight



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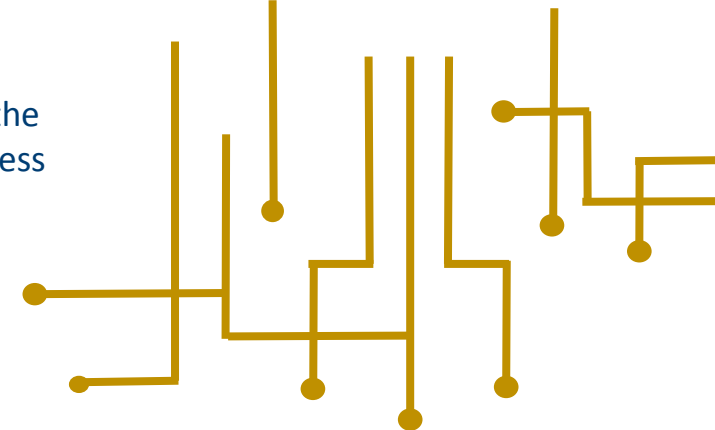
## The journey so far...

- **North Yorkshire Office of Data Analytics (nYODA)** – The nYODA concept is a function that works on behalf of public sector partners, to specifically to enable effective data sharing, data management and analytic capacity to provide regional intelligence. The function would deliver these services for public sector entities within North Yorkshire, driven by the joint need of those partners. Prevention and Early Intervention are strategies shared across local authority, blue light services and health and effective prevention approaches are driven by having a clear understanding of demand; something that requires us to share data and analysis with partners.

This approach allows partners to more ably tackle challenges that are faced when approaching sharing of data for operational or analytic need. It delivers this by pulling together experts in relevant fields (governance, technical architecture and analytics) and having them collaborate on behalf of all partners. Elsewhere in the UK ODA's have been created as separate entities where partners jointly fund and a board established to govern what that organisation focuses on. This approach has benefits by ensuring there is a cross organisation board directing the delivery of data and intelligence functions enabling regional partner value. This approach would help us jointly tackle analyses that might inform proper place based funding, understanding customer pathways that cross partnerships (think social care crossing to primary care, or issues such as homelessness and mental health).

NYCC are working with Police and Health to identify and progress a number of pilot projects that demonstrate the collaborative approach is effective and delivers real value / outcomes. It is proposed that we clearly define success criteria for those pilots and agree in principle that the Office of Data Analytics is a model we want to develop and invest in.

The next steps are to scale up the work to bigger projects and to extend this to include District Councils and others where appropriate.



# Health and Wellbeing Vision - “To become a smart County that uses technology in our operations and service delivery to improve the outcomes and the lives of the people we serve”

Item 6

Objectives	Thinking and Working Smarter	Digital and Smart Communities	Skills for a Digital Age	Connected North Yorkshire	Smart Businesses and Growth
	Accelerating digital transformation in the public sector	Invest in our communities to develop sustainable neighbourhoods	Collaborate with partners to grow digital skills and talent to harness the opportunities offered by the digital world	Enabling the county to be better connected	North Yorkshire is digitally enabled to be the catalyst for economic growth
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>GP Online Services – GP/CCG</li> <li>Online consultations - ALL</li> <li>TECS/Telecare/TeleHealth etc.</li> <li>Electronic prescription services – GP/Trusts</li> <li>Electronic Referral Services &amp; paper switch-off – GP/Trusts</li> <li>Local Health &amp; Care Record Exemplar - All</li> <li>Digital Child Health - All</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NHS Choices website - National</li> <li>NHS 111 Online - National</li> <li>NHS Apps Library - National</li> <li>Digital Redbook</li> <li>Person Held Record (PHR)</li> <li>Digitally enabled care providers (NYCC)</li> <li>Assistive tech e.g. augmented and virtual reality, robotics and artificial intelligence (NYCC)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enhance CYBER skills among care providers (NYCC)</li> <li>DS&amp;P Toolkit support (NYCC)</li> <li>Building a digitally ready workforce (Empower the Person)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improved access to broadband coverage</li> <li>Improved broadband speeds especially those in rural areas</li> <li>Free public Wi-Fi through GP Wi-Fi and Provider Wi-Fi.</li> <li>Increased access to 3,4 and 5G networks</li> <li>Citizen ID Services - All</li> <li>N3/HSCN - All</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Invest in modern technology to create jobs and stimulate economic growth</li> <li>Help transform sectors with digital knowledge</li> <li>Utilise improving digital infrastructure within the county to improve tourism within North Yorkshire</li> </ul>
What will success look like?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improved customer experience &amp; decision making</li> <li>Digitally enabled products and services</li> <li>Delivery of value for money services by “getting it right first time”</li> <li>Improved services and delivering cost savings</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Vulnerable residents have the ability to enhance their digital skills and confidence</li> <li>Communities can access social, medical and remote care technology allowing greater independence</li> <li>Close the digital divide</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Digitally skilled young people to prevent a future skills gap</li> <li>Improved future employability and a talent pool upon which local businesses can draw upon</li> <li>Digitally skilled communities</li> <li>Digital workforce and culture deeply embedded</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All businesses and communities have the ability to access high-quality broadband so that they can enjoy the same social, economic &amp; environmental benefits available to others in other parts of the country</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Increased economic growth</li> <li>Digital businesses invest in North Yorkshire</li> <li>Location based data and services promote tourism, local businesses and attractions</li> </ul>

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## North Yorkshire County Council

**Scarborough and Whitby Constituency Committee – 25 September 2019**

### Scarborough Critical Junctions

#### **1.0 Purpose of the Report**

- 1.1 To update the committee on the need for, and progress of, the construction phase of four junction improvements in Scarborough.

#### **2.0 Background**

- 2.1 The Scarborough Borough Local Plan was adopted in July 2017. This put forward the ambition for significant levels of growth across the Borough, but more specifically within the Scarborough Urban Area, with significant expansion to the south of Scarborough (Middle Deepdale and south of Cayton; circa 5000 homes) and north of Scalby (circa 1200 homes remaining to be built). This is in addition to other smaller sites proposed around the town centre area including the redevelopment of Yorkshire Coast College, housing off Lady Edith's Avenue and a number of 'windfall' sites.
- 2.2 In addition to housing the town has seen significant investment with the recent opening of the UTC, University Campus, Sports Centre and Football Ground, Lidl (Seamer Road) and the continued growth around North Bay with the Water Park, proposed Premier Inn Hotel and increased season of events at the Open Air Theatre.
- 2.3 This growth is set to continue with further developments in the pipeline all intended to improve the local economy both for residents and to increase the tourism and leisure offer for visitors. This includes plans for a multi-screen cinema, retail and visitor accommodation at North Bay and the redevelopment of the Futurist site on the south side.
- 2.4 All of these developments will have an impact on the local infrastructure, specifically roads and junctions.
- 2.5 The four junctions in Scarborough where capacity constraints are expected as a result of the proposed growth are;
- 1) A170 Stepney Road/ Falsgrave Road
  - 2) A170 Stepney Road/ Stepney Drive/ Sandybed Lane Roundabout
  - 3) A171 Scalby Road/ Stepney Drive
  - 4) A171 Scalby Road/ Manor Road Roundabout
- A Plan showing these locations is attached at Appendix 1.
- 2.6 The modifications of these junctions is seen as critical to the future growth aspirations of the Town. Scarborough Borough Council (SBC) prepared a submission for outline funding to the York, North Yorkshire and East Riding Local Enterprise Partnership (YNER LEP) for The Local Growth Deal 3 bid, dated 28th July 2016.

- 2.7 Outline approval was granted by YNYER LEP for £2.5 million, based on the original scheme designs, earmarked for the four junction improvements. Officers from North Yorkshire County Council (NYCC) and SBC subsequently worked jointly on the development of a detailed business case for submission to the YNYER LEP Infrastructure Board.
- 2.8 On 25 August 2017 a report was presented to the Corporate Director Business and Environmental Services (BES) and BES Executive Members, providing an update on the business case development and seeking approval to progress to Stage 1 of the design work. It was resolved at that meeting for work to continue on the development of the detailed business case and that NYCC commission WSP, the County Council's partner consultant for Highway Engineering Services, for Stage 1 design work, including traffic surveys and traffic modelling.
- 2.9 The Stage 1 design work subsequently found that all four of the junctions, in their current layout, were expected to experience some level of capacity constraint during the SBC Local Plan period, reaffirming the justification to undertake improvement measures at the identified junctions.
- 2.10 The indicative total cost of the schemes increased from £2.5 million to approximately £3.8 million. This was primarily due to the alterations to the scheme designs to address the impact upon surrounding junctions and therefore provide a more effective solution with remaining junction capacity in 2032. In addition, a review of the previous design work suggested that it is appropriate to increase the optimism bias from the 20% figure that was included in the original scheme cost estimate to 44% but that this is kept under review as the design work progresses.
- 2.11 NYCC and SBC worked together to find a solution to the funding gap and identify funding streams for the 10% local contribution prior to commencing onto Stage 2 of the WSP commission. NYCC and SBC identified £300,000 on a 50:50 cost split basis to form the majority of the local contribution. The £150,000 NYCC contribution is proposed to be funded through the Highways Capital Programme. The remainder of the local contribution will be provided through secured Section 106 funding totalling £75,000, the proposed funding arrangements for the revised schemes are shown in the table below.

<b>Contributing agent</b>	<b>Amount (£)</b>
YNYER LEP	£3,500,000
NYCC funded through the Highways Capital Programme	£150,000
SBC	£150,000
Developer contributions	£75,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£3,875,000</b>

- 2.12 On 25 May 2018 a further report was presented to the Corporate Director BES and BES Executive Members, providing an update and seeking approval to commission WSP for the Stage 2 design work, completion of the preliminary design
- 2.13 NYCC has continued to work jointly with SBC on the development of the business case to secure funding for junction improvements in Scarborough.
- 2.14 On 16 October 2018 a report was presented to Executive seeking approval to submit a business case to the YNYER LEP Infrastructure Board for funding of the Scarborough Junction Improvements Scheme.

- 2.15 It was resolved that the County Council and Scarborough Borough Council (SBC) submit a joint business case to the YNYER LEP to bid for funding of £3.5 million. A local contribution of £150,000 was to be provided by both the County Council and SBC along with £75,000 received from Section 106 contributions.
- 2.16 On 28 February 2019 the YNYER LEP Infrastructure Board gave approval to provide a maximum capped contribution of £3.5 million towards the project. The total project cost is estimated at £3.875 million. This includes a risk/contingency element of approximately 19%.

### **3.0 Delivery Programme**

- 3.1 The local highways office at NYCC are responsible for the delivery of the four junction improvements. The first junction, Scalby Road/Manor Road roundabout was completed in July 2019. The second junction, A170 Stepney Road/Stepney Drive/Sandybed Lane roundabout, is due to commence in October 2019, with utility diversion works commencing in September 2019. The A171 Scalby Road/Stepney Drive junction is due to commence in Spring 2020 and the A170 Stepney Road/Falsgrave Road junction is due to commence in Autumn 2020. All schemes are scheduled to be complete by March 2021. The schemes are currently progressing within budget and to programme.
- 3.2 Plans showing the current intentions for all four junction improvements, together with copies of the consultation letters, are attached as Appendix 2.
- 3.3 A consultation event was held for the proposed A170 Stepney Road/Stepney Drive/Sandybed Lane roundabout improvement on August 7<sup>th</sup> 2019. A number of questions were raised, which resulted in the Answers to Frequently Asked Questions, attached as Appendix 3.
- 3.4 A joint consultation event has been arranged for the A171 Scalby Road/Stepney Drive junction and the A170 Stepney Road/Falsgrave Road junction. This event will be held on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2019 between 2pm and 7pm, at The Church of Jesus Christ Latter-day Saints, 19 Stepney Road, Scarborough, YO12 5BN. This will be an opportunity for the public to view the current designs for both junctions and to ask any questions in relation to the construction of these schemes. Media awareness and large scale letter drops have been carried out to ensure as many people as possible are aware of the consultation event.
- 3.5 Further updates will be presented to this committee as the junction improvement works progress.

### **4.0 Recommendation**

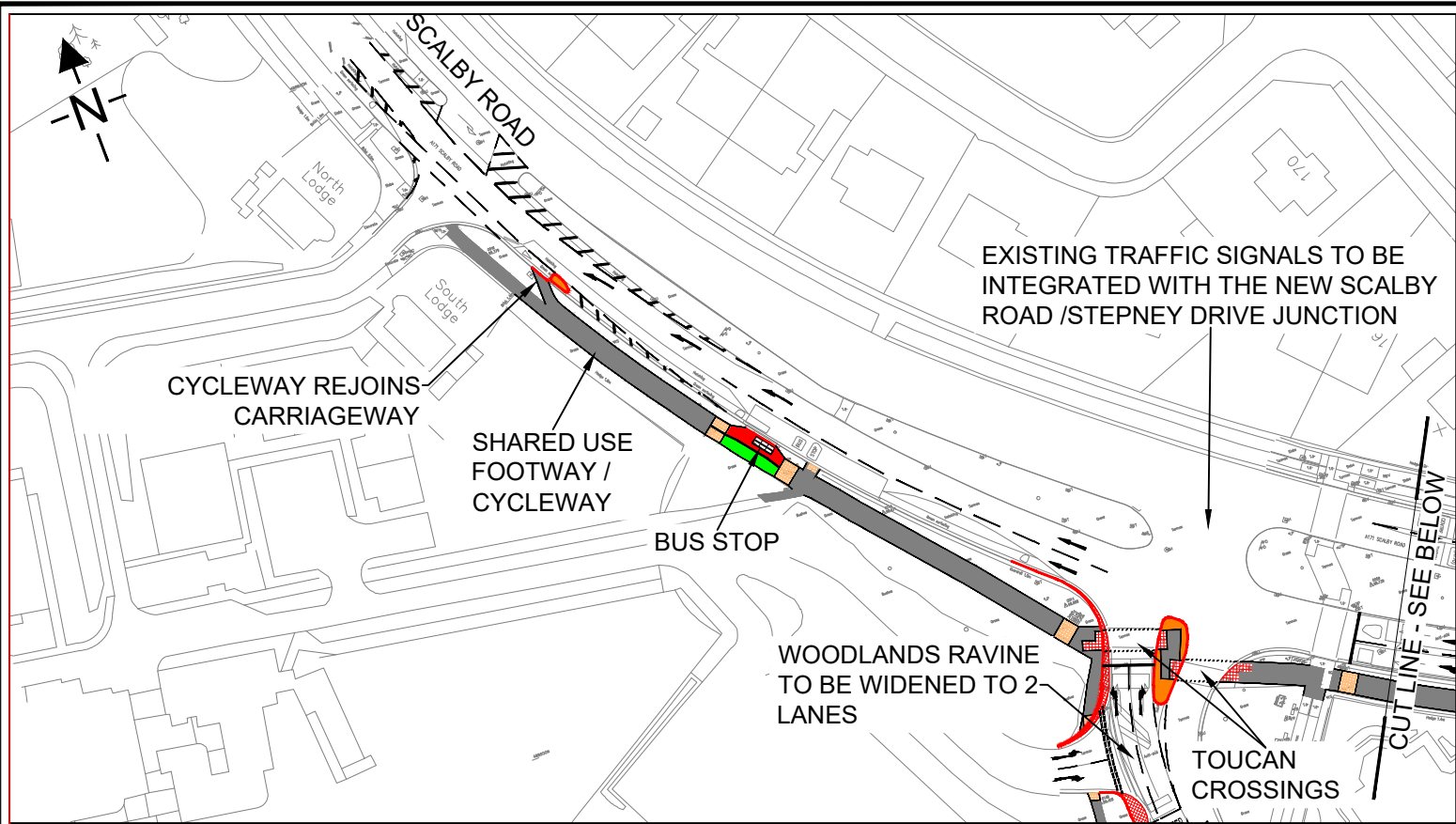
- 4.1 That the committee note the contents of the report, and are able to ask questions of the officer presenting at the meeting.

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# Appendix 1 – Junction improvement locations

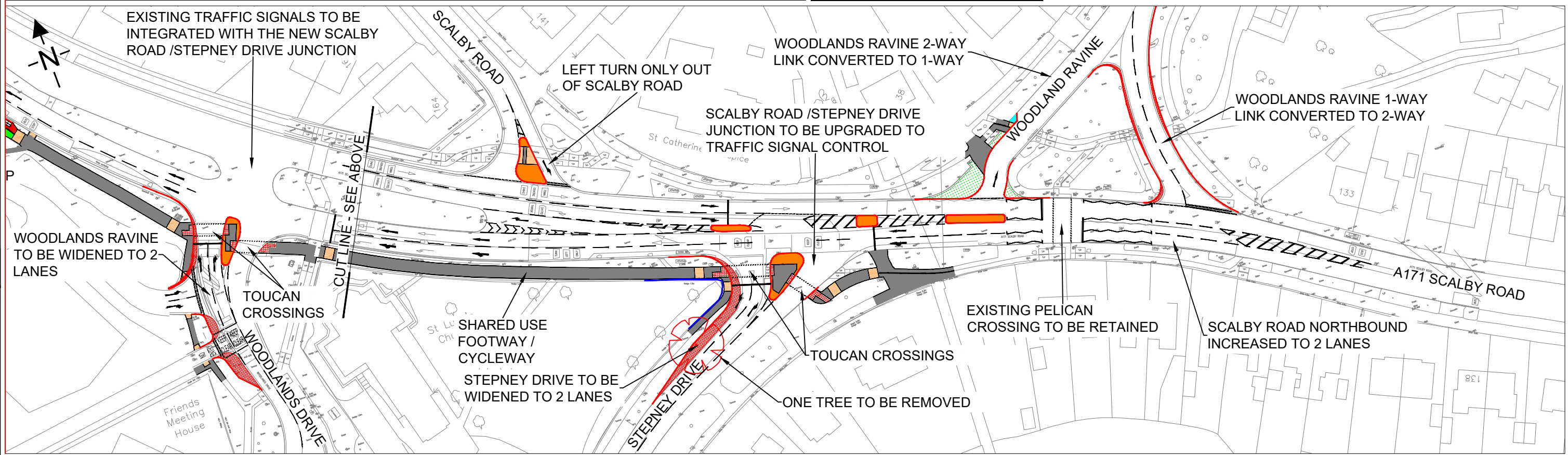


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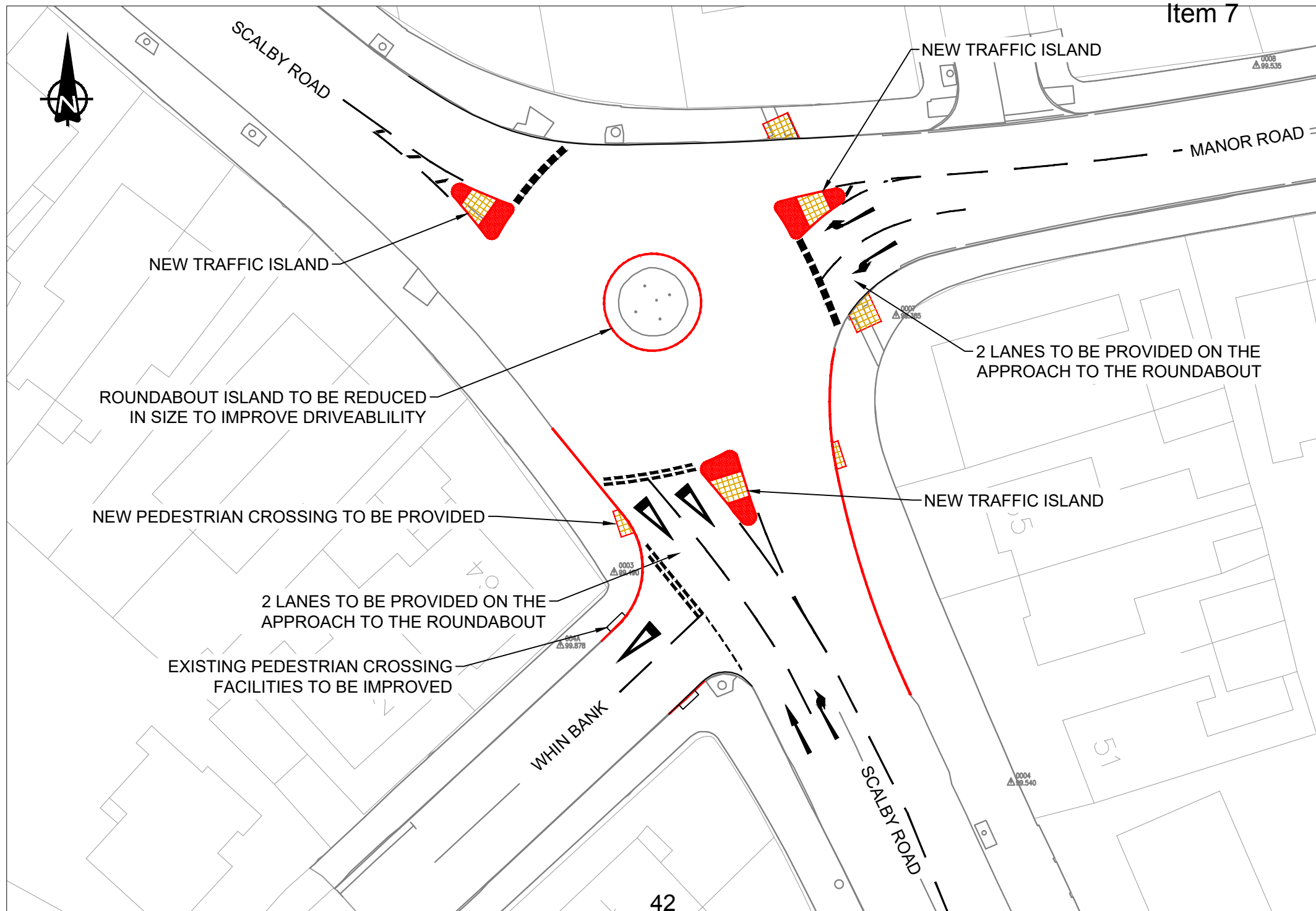


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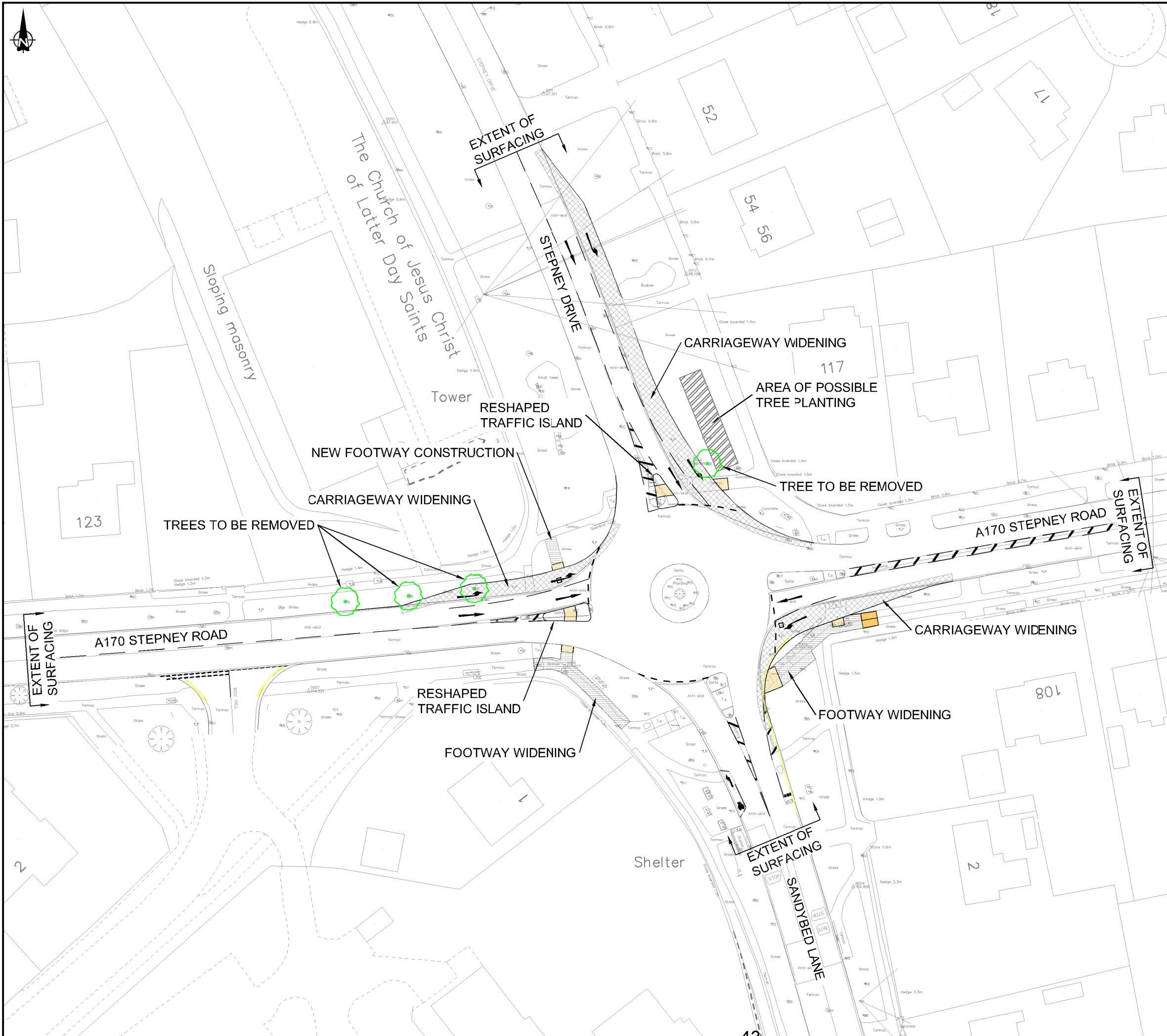
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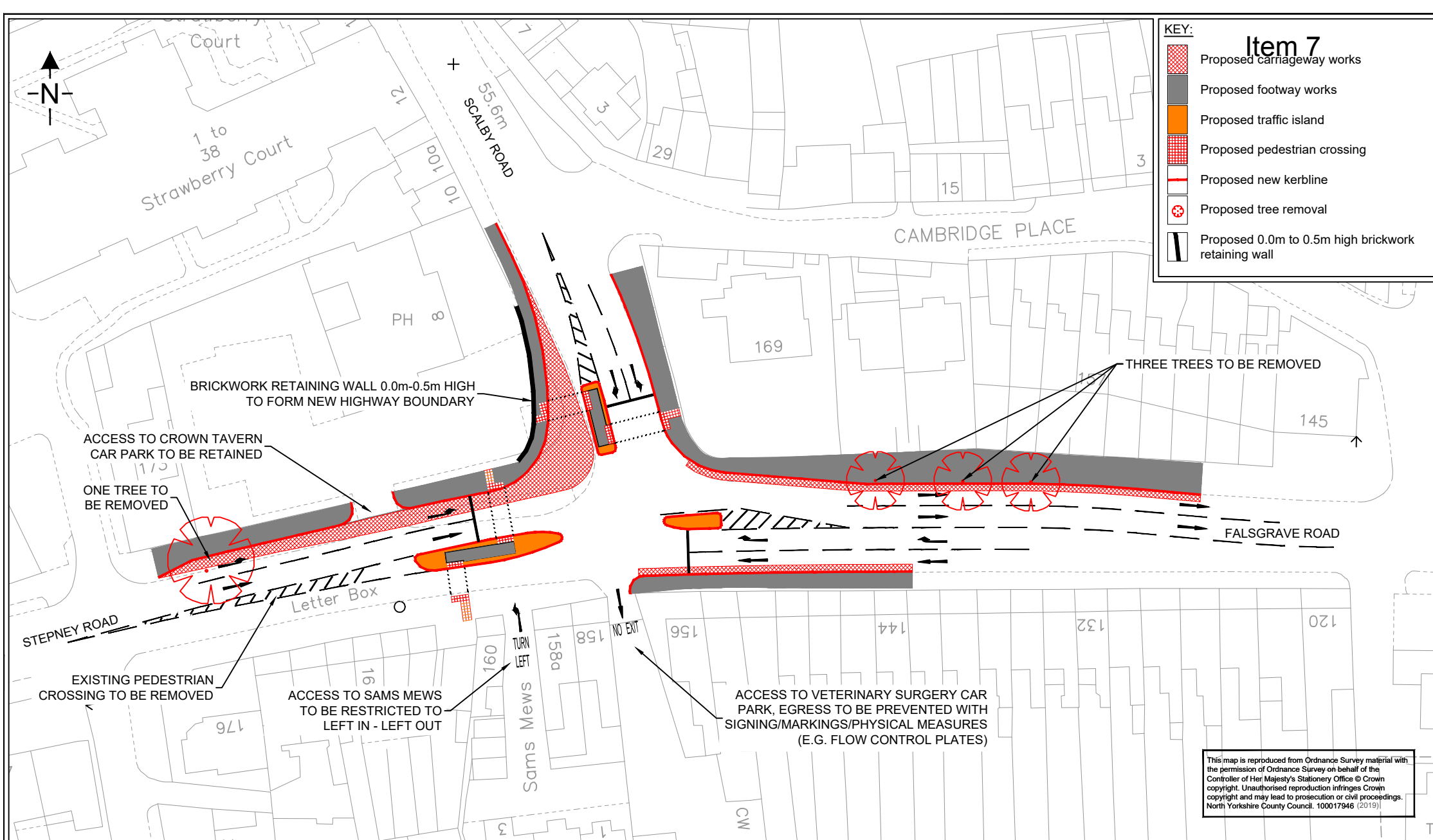
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9<sup>th</sup> September 2019

Dear Resident/ Proprietor,

**SCARBOROUGH – PROPOSED JUNCTION IMPROVEMENT SCHEMES**  
**A171 Scalby Road/Stepney Drive; and**  
**A171 Scalby Road/Falsgrave Road**

This letter is to inform you that North Yorkshire County Council intend to undertake junction improvement works at the above locations. The proposed work at these junctions is part of a £4m LEP funded junction improvement programme in Scarborough, these modifications are essential to support the growth of Scarborough.

At the A171 Scalby Road/Stepney Drive junction, the work will involve the installation of traffic signals at the junction of Scalby Road/Stepney Drive. These signals will synchronise with the existing signals at the Scalby Road/Woodlands Drive junction. Additionally, the Stepney Drive approach to Scalby Road will be widened to two lanes. The Woodlands Drive two lane approach to Scalby Road will be increased in length.

At the A171 Scalby Road/ Falsgrave Road junction, work will involve the installation of traffic signals and carriageway widening.

Work at the A171 Scalby Road/Stepney Drive junction is currently programmed to commence Spring 2020 and work at the A171 Scalby Road /Falsgrave Road junction is currently programmed to commence Autumn 2020.

I would like to invite you to a consultation event which is being held on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2019 between 2pm and 7pm, at The Church of Jesus Christ Latter-day Saints, 19 Stepney Road, Scarborough, YO12 5BN. This will be an opportunity for you to view the current design and ask any questions you may have in relation to this scheme's construction. The team involved with the schemes look forward to meeting you on the 26<sup>th</sup>.

Yours faithfully

Customer Resolution Centre



## £4m works to upgrade junctions

Almost £4m of upgrades are to be made to four junctions in Scarborough. These modifications are essential to support the proposed growth of the town over the period of the Local Plan up to 2032. In their current layout, all of the junctions are expected to reach capacity during that time.

The junctions to be upgraded are:

- A171 Scalby Road/Manor Road roundabout.
- A170 Stepney Road/Stepney Drive/Sandybed Lane roundabout;
- A171 Scalby Road/Stepney Drive; and
- A171 Scalby Road/Falsgrave Road.

The first junction, Scalby Road/Manor Road roundabout was completed in July. The second junction, A170 Stepney Road/Stepney Drive/Sandybed Lane roundabout, is due to commence in Autumn 2019. The A171 Scalby Road/Stepney Drive junctions is due to commence Spring 2020 and the A171 Scalby Road/Falsgrave Road junction is due to commence Autumn 2020. All schemes are scheduled to be complete by March 2021.

County Councillor Don Mackenzie, Executive Member for Access, said: "This is an investment in the future of Scarborough. The modifications to these junctions are crucial to the aspirations for the growth of the town."

The County Council and Scarborough Borough Council are working in partnership on the scheme, contributing £150,000 each, with the bulk of the funding coming from the York, North Yorkshire and East Riding Local Enterprise Partnership, plus developer contributions.

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26 July 2019

Dear Resident/ Proprietor,

**STEPNEY ROAD / STEPNEY DRIVE ROUNDABOUT, SCARBOROUGH – ROUNDABOUT IMPROVEMENT SCHEME**

This letter is to inform you that North Yorkshire County Council intend to undertake junction improvement works at the A170 Stepney Road/Stepney Drive roundabout, Scarborough. The work to this roundabout is part of a £4m LEP funded junction improvement programme in Scarborough, these modifications are essential to support the growth of Scarborough.

The work will include widening the carriageway to provide short lengths of 2 lane approaches from Stepney Drive (north) and Stepney Drive (East & West). Improvements to the pedestrian dropped kerbs and islands will also be made.

The scheme is currently programmed to commence in Autumn 2019 and is expected to be completed within six weeks.

Working hours will be predominantly weekdays. However, carriageway resurfacing will be undertaken during night working. Notification of the weeknight operations will be given by signs erected locally.

Daytime traffic management will be by means of temporary traffic lights and night works under road closures. Pedestrian access will be maintained at all times. Further details will be provided by letter.

Vehicular access will be restricted from time to time due to the nature of the works and the physical constraints of the site but please be assured that our site personnel, including an accredited Traffic Control Safety Officer, will be on hand to assist you where possible.

Parking restrictions will apply for the duration of the scheme and you are asked to assist, by refraining from parking on-street in the works areas denoted by cones, signs or barriers.

A consultation event is being held on Wednesday 7 August 2019 between 2pm and 7pm, at The church of Jesus Christ Latter-day Saints, 19 Stepney Road, Scarborough, YO12 5BN. This will be an opportunity for you to view the current design and ask any questions you may have in relation to this scheme's construction.

I would like to take this opportunity to apologise for any disruption that these works may cause and would again request your cooperation to help ensure an efficiently and safely executed project.

Yours faithfully

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## **Stepney Road / Stepney Drive Roundabout Improvement Scheme**

Thank you for attending the Consultation Event which was held on 7<sup>th</sup> August and providing comments to the proposed junction improvement design. Below are the answers to the frequently asked questions which we hope you will find helpful.

### **Answers to frequently asked questions arising from the consultation event held on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> August 2019**

**1. There is a need for better facilities for pedestrians now they are having to cross two lanes of traffic in each direction.**

Having to cross two lanes of traffic is not something we would consider unusual or carrying an unacceptably high level of risk, as it is an arrangement that exists at many junctions. The widened pedestrian islands which would allow pedestrians to have a safe space to wait between crossing each half of the carriageway remain part of the proposed scheme. However, we do accept that there are large numbers of young people using this junction as pedestrians, and some with their cycles.

Following the consultation event and comments received, we are considering the possibility of installing a Puffin signalised crossing on Stepney Road, in the vicinity of the Sixth Form College. This will however be dependent on whether it can be provided within the scope of the scheme and current funding levels. Also, we are looking into including enhanced road signage to alert drivers to young pedestrians crossing the road and to the fact that they are in an area where there are several schools.

**2. Traffic speeds on Stepney Hill. We need more speed signs/traffic calming measures.**

Traffic may become more freely flowing if the improvements go ahead, but the speed of the traffic approaching the roundabout should not increase significantly. We have recent speed measurement data for A170 Stepney Road (west), and we will continue to monitor the speed of traffic and any injury collision record. There is not a history of injury collisions occurring at this junction. A speed activated sign to encourage drivers to adhere to the speed limit has been introduced recently. The power supply for the sign has had problems which we are looking to correct.

**3. Will the trees be replaced as plans states “area of possible tree planting”?**

It is necessary to remove some of the trees around the existing junction to allow for the improvement works to be undertaken. Replacement trees will be replanted in the verges adjacent to Stepney Drive.

#### **4. Why is it necessary to have a left-hand turn lane from Stepney Drive?**

The roundabout has been designed to cater for future predicted traffic movements, taking into account future developments and traffic growth. The figures we are using to test whether the design is 'future proof' are for the year 2032.

As Stepney Road west is so much busier with traffic than Stepney Drive, Stepney Drive traffic has less opportunity to get onto the roundabout. There is also a large proportion of traffic turning right from Stepney Drive when compared to the proportion going left and ahead from Stepney Drive.

Our calculations show that in 2032, at peak times, the vehicles on Stepney Drive waiting to turn right would queue to a point roughly outside number 54 Stepney Drive. So, for drivers to be able to manoeuvre into the left/ahead lane, the new left/ahead lane needs to be as least as long as the queue of vehicles waiting to turn right.

Reducing the length of any of the proposed new lanes would reduce the benefits the scheme is designed to give.

#### **5. Bus parking at peak times causes more congestion.**

Funding for the current road improvement scheme does not allow for the provision of a bus lay-by, any funding for such a scheme would have to be separate from this project. We are however in discussion with the 6<sup>th</sup> form college to better understand the bus movements and, if a more convenient drop-off/pick-up can be located, this will be looked in to.

#### **6. Can the height of the planting on the roundabout be reduced?**

The tree on the roundabout will not be removed because it is not hindering visibility to a significant degree.

#### **7. There are no additional facilities for cyclists.**

We recognise that encouraging cycling (and walking) is a key aim. However the funding for this scheme does not allow for new facilities for cyclists. Adding facilities to encourage cycling remains a longer-term aspiration should funding become available in the future. The segregated cycleway delineation line will be repainted.

#### **8. Can we have additional road markings, i.e. double yellow lines to stop parking?**

A number of issues were raised at the consultation event regarding parking at peak times at the college/school. These are an ongoing existing issues and not ones that affect the design of the roundabout. We will continue talking with the schools about this, but as you may appreciate, it is difficult to resolve completely.

**9. Gullies are blocked and there are drainage issues when there is heavy rainfall.**

We carry out routine maintenance to ensure gullies are not blocked. Any reports of blocked gullies should be sent to [Area3.Whitby@northyorks.gov.uk](mailto:Area3.Whitby@northyorks.gov.uk)

We are looking to install extra gully connections but need permission from Yorkshire Water to do so.

We are aware of some circumstances where residents have taken action to guard against floodwater caused by heavy rainfall.

If particular properties have issues with floodwater at times of heavy rainfall, we would be interested to hear from these householders so we can be fully aware of the situation.

**10. Why was the consultation so late?**

Generally we do not make proposals public until we are certain of receiving funding. Funding for this scheme, and the three other Scarborough junction improvements which are part of the same package, was anticipated but not confirmed until Spring 2019. As a result, we have had very little time to add detail to the design so that it is ready to be shared with local residents, the schools and businesses.

It is not too late for us to make changes to the scheme and, as a direct result of comments received during the August public consultation, we are considering adding extra pedestrian facilities and signing.





**North Yorkshire County Council  
Scarborough & Whitby Area Constituency Committee  
25 September 2019 at 10:30am  
Committee Work Programme**

**1.0 Purpose of Report**

- 1.1 The report asks Members to consider the Committee's draft work programme for 2019/20 – shown at Annex A, and propose topics for future consideration.

**2.0 Committee Remit**

2.1 The Area Constituency Committees:

- Act as a forum for Members to bring forward issues affecting their local Electoral Divisions
- Hear and respond to questions and statements from members of the public relating to anything affecting the community within the constituency area
- Agree a Work Programme which lists items of business which the Committee wishes to consider at future meetings
- Undertake meaningful scrutiny of local health issues within their constituency area, complementing the strategic work undertaken by the Scrutiny of Health Committee
- Undertake meaningful scrutiny of local transport issues within their constituency area, complementing the strategic work undertaken by Transport, Economy and Environment Overview and Scrutiny Committee
- Act as consultees in major decisions that affect their constituency area (including responding to consultations)
- Make recommendations on the application of Innovation funding (supported by the Stronger Communities Team)
- Develop a working relationship with the local MP, sharing updates and information on relevant local issues being addressed by the committee.

**3.0 Scheduled Committee Dates**

3.1 Forthcoming committee dates are:

10am on Wednesday 11 December 2019  
10am on Wednesday 18 March 2020.

#### 4.0 Work Programme

- 4.1 The Committee's current work programme for 2019/20 is attached at Annex A. To support members in their identification of future areas of work, below is a list of areas of focus that the other Area Constituency Committees have either already looked at or are scheduled to consider:

Unpaid Carers and community based care	The role of unpaid carers and the support that is given to them
Digital economy	Development of the digital economy in rural areas, links to employment and long term sustainability of rural communities
Tourism and economic development	Tourism and the promotion of local heritage and natural environment
Homelessness/Rough Sleeping	To consider how the Constituency area is affected by this issue and what is being done in respect of this and its links to the next item
Mental Health	To consider how the Constituency area is affected by this issue and what is being done in respect of this and its links to the above item
Profile of non-crime data (to be trialled by Selby & Ainsty)	To provide Members with details of non-crime data in the ACC area to provide a context to underlying issues affecting the work of North Yorkshire Police
Cybercrime and scams	To consider the action being undertaken by Trading Standards to address cybercrime and scams

- 4.2 In an effort to better co-ordinate the work of the ACC's with Overview & Scrutiny, the work programmes for the five thematic overview and scrutiny committees have also be provided – see Annex B.

#### 5.0 Recommendation

- 5.1 Members are asked to consider, amend and add to the Committee's work programme shown at Annex A.

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## Scarborough and Whitby Area Constituency Committee Work Programme 2019/20

10.30am on 19 June 2019 at The Street, Scarborough	
Subject	Description
Rural Crime Strategy	NYP Response to rural crime – Insp. Jon Grainge NYP Rural Taskforce
Schools, Educational Achievement & Finance	An overview of the local educational landscape, educational achievement and the financial challenges which affect schools in the Scarborough & Whitby constituency area.
NYCC Digital Strategy Presentation	An update on the development of a range of technologies that will improve connectivity, access to services and the opportunities for business - Robert Ling, AD Technology & Change - DEFERRED
Work Programme	Review of areas for Scrutiny
10.30am on 25 September 2019 at The Street, Scarborough	
Subject	Description
Attendance of local MP	Opportunity for the RT Hon Robert Goodwill MP to share his main issues of local interest
NYCC Digital Strategy Presentation	An update on the development of a range of technologies that will improve connectivity, access to services and the opportunities for business - Robert Ling, AD Technology & Change
Scarborough Junctions	Update on construction phase of four junction improvements – Helen Watson, Improvement Manager, Area 3 Highways, BES
Work Programme	Review of areas for Scrutiny
10.30am on 11 December 2019 - venue to be agreed	
Subject	Description
Update on Scarborough & Whitby Hospitals	
Yorkshire Water - Environmental Performance	Invitation issued 10 September 2019
Work programme	Review of areas for Scrutiny
10:30am on 11 March 2020 - venue to be agreed	
Subject	Description
Work programme	Review of areas for Scrutiny

**Areas of work identified but not yet scheduled:**

1. Public Health Area Profile
2. Police 101 Service – Customer feedback on responsiveness and effectiveness
3. Access to alternative sources of funding for community projects (not public or private sector)
4. Funding opportunities?
5. Coastal Growth Plan
6. Overview of community safety issues inc. updates from Police; Fire and Rescue; Community Safety

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## Care and Independence Overview and Scrutiny Committee

### Scope

The needs of vulnerable adults and older people and people whose independence needs to be supported by intervention from the public or voluntary sector

### Meeting Details

Committee meetings	Thursday 27 June 2019 at 10am
	Thursday 26 September 2019 at 10am
	Thursday 28 November 2019 at 10am
	Thursday 5 March 2019 at 10am

### Programme

<b>BUSINESS FOR THURSDAY 27 June 2019</b>			
Direct Payments	Take up of Direct payments as a part of personal budgets. Update on Directorate performance	How NYCC is ensuring that Direct Payments enable more choice and control over the support people receive and how their social care needs are met.	Chris Jones-King / Toya Bastow
Learning Disabilities	Progress against the HWB Strategy Understanding Co-production		Chris Jones-King / Cara Nimmo / Abigail Barron
<b>BUSINESS FOR THURSDAY 26 September 2019</b>			
Annual Safeguarding Board Report	.	On hold. Difficulty encountered finding suitable dates	Sheila Hall and Sue Proctor
Health and Social Care Integration	Task Group Report - Final		Ray Busby
Budget position	Operational Actions overspend update	Assurance item	Anton Hodge

## Annex B

Short Breaks/respite review –	possible update and report of the findings of engagement sessions	More likely date for Short Breaks/respite review is the next committee meeting in November	Dale Owens
Mental Health – implementation and pathway	Probable approach more towards implementation and pathway rather than SBA work		Chris Jones-King
Living Well - evaluation	Possible link to Stronger communities item and social proscripting		Chris Jones-King/Cath Simms
Assistive Technology - Independent Living. To include reference to procurement	How NYCC uses Assistive Technology	Understanding and evaluation	Dale Owens/Mike Rudd
<b>BUSINESS FOR THURSDAY</b> 28 November 2019			
Short Breaks/respite review – possible news on engagement sessions	More likely date for Short Breaks/respite review		Dale Owens
Transfers of Care Annual update	Performance item		
<b>BUSINESS FOR THURSDAY</b> 5 March 2020			
Commissioned Services: The Provider perspective	Series managed dialogue/conversation with providers:	eg Wellbeing, Prevention and mental health contracts, Advocacy, Dementia Support	

**Mid Cycle Briefings Dates – all at 10am****25 July 2019**

Suicide prevention and audit

Support for Carers – in particular how we respond to pressures upon families. Preparation for committee item.

DoLS /LPS informal briefing

Harrogate Integrated Working

Primary Care Engagement -informal briefing?

**31 October 2019**

DPH Annual Report

Public Health grant review - priorities

Public Health Campaigns briefing

Reablement Prevent Reduce Delay current situation informal briefing

Local Account

Meeting Substance Misuse Providers

**13 February 2020**

Market Intervention and Residential Care/Domiciliary trade

Review in-house residential provision

Extra Care Programme Update and overview

## Corporate & Partnerships Overview and Scrutiny Committee Remit

### Scope

- The Council's corporate organisation and structure, resource allocation, asset management, procurement policy, people strategy, equality and diversity, performance management, communication and access to services.
- Partnership working, community development, community engagement, community strategies and community safety.
- This Committee is the Crime & Disorder Committee for the purposes of Part 3 of the Police and Justice Act 2006.

**Agenda Briefings** (Attended by Group Spokespersons only) - will be held at 9.30am on the day of the committee meeting, in the Elm Room

## Corporate and Partnerships Overview and Scrutiny Committee Draft 2019-2020 Work Programme

### Committee Meeting - 17 June 2019 @ 10:30am in Brierley Room

Community Safety	Bi-annual Update on Community Safety Plan Delivery & Partnership Working – Odette Robson
Community Libraries	Update on Libraries Services – Chrys Mellor
Locality Budgets	Annual Update on delivery – Neil Irving
2020 Council – Partnerships and Traded services	Overview of Partnership Arrangements & Traded Services – Annual Report of the Brierley Group – Gary Fielding - DEFERRED
Customer Access	Update on the Operation of the Parish Portal and Parish Council engagement – Nigel Smith
Adult Reoffending Review	Draft Final Report – Melanie Carr

### Mid Cycle Briefing – 29 July 2019 @ 10:30am - CANCELLED

Work Plan 2019/20	Consideration of the work programme for this municipal year

### Committee Meeting – 2 September 2019 @ 10:30am in Brierley Room

Corporate Volunteering Project	Six-monthly progress update on corporate volunteering project – Marie-Ann Jackson
Equality and Diversity	Overview of progress with achieving the Council's Equality and Diversity objectives & update on the development of an Action Plan by Management Board Task Group – Deb Hugill
Annual Council Budget Setting	An overview of the approach to budget setting; key pressures; options for the forthcoming year; longer term aims etc – Gary Fielding

Brierley Group Annual Report 2018/19	Annual update on the work of the Brierley Group – Gary Fielding (deferred from June 2019 meeting) – Gary Fielding / Michael Leah
Notice of Motion on Social Housing	Officer response to notice of motion on social housing and Brierley Homes - Michael Leah
Community Safety – Youth Justice	Presentation on Annual Update on Implementation of the Youth Justice Strategic Plan – Vicky Metherringham & Steve Walker
<b>Mid Cycle Briefing – 28 October 2019 @ 10:30am in</b>	
Work Plan 2019/20	Consideration of the work programme for this municipal year
NYCC Property / Land Holdings	Discussion regarding possible scrutiny review of NYCC property/land holdings
<b>Committee Meeting – 2 December 2019 @ 10:30am in Brierley Room</b>	
Community Safety - PFCC	Update on the implementation of plans for collaboration between North Yorkshire Police and North Yorkshire Fire & Rescue Service – Julia Mulligan, Police, Fire & Crime Commissioner
Investment Strategy	Update on NYCC's Investment Strategy & its Investments – Karen Iveson
Customer Access	Update on the Operation of the Customer Portal - Sarah Foley
<b>Mid Cycle Briefing – 20 January 2020 @ 10:30am in</b>	
Work Plan 2019/20	Consideration of the work programme for this municipal year
<b>Committee Meeting – 2 March 2020 @ 10:30am in Brierley Room</b>	
Community Safety - NYCSP	Bi-annual Update on Implementation of the CSP Plan and Partnership Working
North Yorkshire Syrian Refugee Settlement Programme	Annual Programme Update – Jonathan Spencer
Annual Workforce Plan	Review of Annual Plan – Justine Brooksbank
Corporate Risk Register	Annual Review of Corporate Risk Register – Fiona Sowerby
Insurance	Annual Update on Insurance Claims, Risk Exposure & Management – Fiona Sowerby
<b>Mid Cycle Briefing – 20 April 2020 @ 10:30am in</b>	

**NORTH YORKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**Scrutiny of Health Committee – Work Programme/Areas of Involvement – 2019/20**

	13 Sep	1 Nov	13 Dec	24 Jan	13 Mar	
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<b>Strategic Developments</b>						<b>Comment</b>
1. NHS Clinical Commissioning Groups and Foundation Trust funding						A briefing for committee members - TBC
2. New models for health and social care delivery in rural areas					✓	Initial presentation by NYCC and NHS on models and best practice elsewhere and how it could be applied locally
3. Patient Transport Service – changes to the application of eligibility criteria			✓			12 month follow up to committee meeting on 14 December 2018 to ascertain whether there have been any adverse consequences to the changes.
4. Air Ambulance Service – overview					✓	Overview of the Air Ambulance Service and how it links in with other emergency services.
<b>Local Service Developments</b>						
5. Integrated prevention, community care and support in Scarborough and Ryedale – Humber NHS Foundation Trust and North Yorkshire CCGs					✓	Update on the services that are provided by the FT in Whitby and the use of the two in-patient wards in Malton Community Hospital – commissioner and provider to attend
6. Future plans for Whitby Hospital – HRW CCG			✓			Update on progress with the new model of delivery – co-ordinate with the Area Constituency Committee
7. Scarborough East Coast Review	✓					Update on progress with the review of services and any proposed changes
8. General surgery provision at Scarborough Hospital					✓	6 month review of the provision of a single Trust – wide rota
9. Breast oncology services at Scarborough			✓			6 month review of the impact of the temporary transfer of the service to York and Hull and recruitment of consultants
10. Stroke service provision in Harrogate					✓	Review of first 12 months of operation of new hyper acute stroke service.

11. Mental health services in the north of the county (Friarage and Roseberry Park) – TEWV and HRW CCG	✓					Updates on progress with the: rectification of the Roseberry Park site; the transfer of patients from the 2 in-patient wards at the Friarage; and progress with the development of the new community hub in Northallerton.
12. Mental Health Service in York/Selby area and Bootham Hospital – TEWV and VoY CCG	✓					Progress with the build of the new York Hospital (opening April 2020) and the development of the Selby community hub
13. Mental Health Services in Harrogate and the surrounding area – TEWV and HRD CCG	✓					Outcome of engagement (24 June 2019 - 13 September 2019) on the new model for enhanced community care, details of proposed closure of 2 mental health in-patient wards at Harrogate Hospital and projected use of York mental health hospital.
14. Sustainable Future for the Friarage Hospital in Northallerton – HRW CCG and South Tees FT	✓		✓			Consultation launch in September and early analysis of results in December
15. Decommissioning of GP based minor injury service in HRW CCG area	✓					Impact of the decommissioning of the enhanced minor injury service in general practice in Hambleton, Richmondshire and Whitby Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) area. Review of similar services in other CCG areas.
16. Acute Provider Collaboration - Airedale NHS Foundation Trust, Bradford Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust		✓	✓			Early discussion - to the Mid Cycle Briefing on 1 November 2019 to determine lines of enquiry for the committee.
<b>Public Health Developments</b>						
1. Development of base-line data and an on-going monitoring system on the impact of shale gas extraction – Public Health England						Lincoln Sargeant and Simon Padfield PHE - TBC
2. Dentistry provision in North Yorkshire – NHS England						NHS England (Yorkshire and Humber) – review the plan for commissioning the wider dental pathway - TBC
3. Community pharmacies – market adjustment and access to services						NHS England, Public Health and Community Pharmacy North Yorkshire - TBC

4. Optometry - market adjustment and access to services						Lines of enquiry to be confirmed
5. Immunisation coverage in North Yorkshire			✓			Public Health overview of take up rates, disease prevalence and communications campaigns
6. Public Health funding reductions		✓				Overview of impact and mitigating actions. To Mid Cycle Briefing on 1 November 2019 and then committee meeting.
<b>In-depth Projects</b>						
1. Health and social care workforce planning – Scrutiny of Health and Care & Independence OSC			✓			Progress report
2. Dying well and End of Life Care - HWB					✓	Progress report
3. Joint scrutiny of health and social care integration with the Care and Independence OSC	✓					Interim copy of report to be circulated to the membership of the committee
<b>Joint scrutiny</b>						
Joint health scrutiny committee review by North Yorkshire, Leeds and York held on 15 February 2019						Follow up on October 2019 subject to the outcome of the engagement exercise on the new model for enhanced community services.
Children's mental health services						Joint scrutiny with the NYCC Young People's Overview and Scrutiny Committee - TBC
Integrated health and social care services in Harrogate						Joint scrutiny with the NYCC Care and Independence OSC - TBC

### Meeting dates 2019/20

Agenda Briefing*	10 September 2019 at 10.30am	10 December 2019 at 10.30am	
Scrutiny of Health Committee	13 September 2019 at 10am	13 December 2019 at 10am	13 March 2020 at 10am
Mid Cycle Briefing*	1 November 2019 at 10.30am	24 January 2020 at 10.30am	

\*Agenda Briefings and Mid Cycle Briefings are attended by the Chair, Vice Chair and Group Spokespersons only.

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### Scope

‘Transport and communications infrastructure of all kinds, however owned or provided, and how the transport needs of the community are met.

Supporting business, helping people develop their skills, including lifelong learning.

Sustainable development, climate change strategy, countryside management, waste management, environmental conservation and enhancement flooding and cultural issues.’

### Meeting dates

<b>Scheduled Committee Meetings</b>	<b>24 Oct 2019</b> 10am	<b>23 Jan 2020</b> 10am	<b>15 April 2020</b> 10am	<b>13 July 2020</b> 10am	<b>22 Oct 2020</b> 10am	<b>21 Jan 2021</b> 10am	<b>14 April 2021</b> 10am
<b>Scheduled Mid Cycle Briefings</b> Attended by Group Spokespersons only	5 Dec 2019 10am	27 Feb 2020 10am	2 June 2020 10am	10 Sept 2020 10am	10 Dec 2020 10am	25 Feb 2021 10am	

### Reports

Meeting	Subject	Aims/Terms of Reference	
<b>Consultation, progress and performance monitoring reports</b>			
Each meeting as available	Corporate Director and / or Executive Member update	Regular update report as available each meeting	
	Work Programme	Regular report where the Committee reviews its work programme	

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Meeting	Subject	Aims/Terms of Reference	
24 October 2019	Highways England	Regular annual update	
	Rail developments	Update report on the rail franchise, Rail North and Transport for the North	
Items where dates have yet to be confirmed	HGV overnight parking in North Yorkshire	To explore the issues of HGV overnight parking in North Yorkshire and ways to respond once a county-wide draft policy has been developed.	
	Tourism in North Yorkshire	Overview of the work and future plans of Welcome to Yorkshire.	
	Promoting access to our heritage	Overview of the County Council's heritage service	
	Winter Highways Maintenance	Overview of the policy on Winter Highways Maintenance	
	Traffic management in the county: tackling traffic congestion	Overview of the ways that the County Council can tackle traffic congestion problems in the county such as through the use of smart traffic lighting to control traffic flow. Road junction road improvements in Harrogate and Scarborough town to be taken as examples.	
	Countryside access	Overview of the County Council's countryside service and priorities (including unclassified roads, prioritisation of the public rights of way network and improving the definitive map processes)	

## In-depth Scrutiny Projects/Reviews

## Annex B

Subject	Aims/Terms of Reference	Timescales	
The North Yorkshire economy post-Brexit	Steering group (via mid cycle briefings) comprising of the Group Spokespersons set up to consider the measures required to support the local economy following the triggering of Article 50 of the Treaty of Lisbon by the UK government.	Ongoing (commenced March 2017)	
20 mph speed limit policy	Response to the publication of the National Research project by the Department for Transport examining 20mph speed limits	Commenced May 2019	

Please note that this is a working document, therefore topics and timeframes might need to be amended over the course of the year.

## YOUNG PEOPLES OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

### Scope

The interests of young people, including education, care and protection and family support.

### Meeting Details

Committee Meetings	Friday 6 September 2019 at 10am
	Friday 6 December 2019 at 10am
	Friday 28 February 2020 at 10am

### Programme

Friday 6 September 2019 Committee Meeting at 10am. Brierley Room			
TOPIC	CONTENT	APPROACH	LEAD
Safeguarding Young People.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How well local safeguarding arrangements work effectively to protect children and young people.</li> <li>Briefing on the merging of the Children Safeguarding Strategy Groups (CSSGs), Local Safeguarding Adults Groups (LSAGs) and the non-operational element of the Local Delivery Team (LDT)</li> </ul>	Presentation and consideration of Annual Report (if available).	Professor Maggie Atkinson and James Parkes
Children in education who have a medical condition.	Consideration of public consultation on a proposed Medical Education Service to enable a more flexible delivery model for those children/young people who cannot access education because of medical needs.	Consideration of Key Decision and Consultation Documents. Presentation.	Jane le Sage
Friday 6 December 2019 Committee Meeting at 10am. Brierley Room			
TOPIC	CONTENT	APPROACH	LEAD
Report of the Young Peoples Champion		Consideration of report.	Cllr Annabel Wilkinson
Looked After Children	Annual Report of the Looked After Children Members Group	Consideration of report. Assessment of progress against the LAC strategy	Chair - Cllr Annabel Wilkinson

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			assisted by Julie Bunn and Vicky Metherringham
Teacher recruitment - the Rural Challenge			
Young people and Sex Education; Managing Risk and Safeguarding			
Children, Adolescents and the Media (online networks, social inclusion and bullying			
The experience of young people in foster care as they transition into adulthood			
Friday 28 February 2019 at 10am			
Young Carers	Especially those who support adults with mental health issues		

**Mid Cycle Briefing Items**

Date	Probable Item
18 October 2019	This date will be changed. Provisionally 1 November 2019 Academies and how they serve communities

Date	Probable Item
17 January 2020	Small Schools and their sustainability - scoping
3 April 2020	The Citizenship Agenda: Education and Democratic Citizenship

Other sessions

### **Young People with additional needs transitioning to Adulthood**

How NYCC supports and offers guidance to a young person aged 14 to 25 with special educational needs or a disability. Including access to education, training and employment, and to live as independently as possible. Possible informal workshop session with Care and Independence Overview and Scrutiny Committee members.

### **Elective Home Education**

Provisional Date 1 November at 2pm agreed. New guidance may be available for this date