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Committee ENVIRONMENTAL SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Date and Time of Meeting

TUESDAY, 4 SEPTEMBER 2018, 4.30 PM

Venue COMMITTEE ROOM 4 - COUNTY HALL

Membership Councillor Patel (Chair)

Councillors Derbyshire, Philippa Hill-John, Owen Jones, Lancaster,

Jackie Parry, Owen, Wong and Wood

Time approx.

1 Apologies for Absence

To receive apologies for absence.

2 Declarations of Interest

To be made at the start of the agenda item in question, in accordance with the Members' Code of Conduct.

Minutes (Pages 5 - 10)

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 3 July 2018.

4	Member Briefing: Second Cardiff Local Development Plan Annual Monitoring Report (Pages 11 - 242)	4.40 pm
5	Parking Enforcement Update (Pages 243 - 264)	5.20 pm
6	Environmental Scrutiny Committee - Draft Work Programme 2018/19 (Pages 265 - 282)	6.00 pm
7	Correspondence Update - Verbal Update	6.25 pm

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8 Committee Business - Webcasting Verbal Update 6.35 pm

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- 9 Urgent Items (if any)
- 10 Way Forward
- 11 Date of next meeting

2nd October 2018 at 4.30pm

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Date: Wednesday, 29 August 2018

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ENVIRONMENTAL SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

3 JULY 2018

Present: Councillor Patel(Chairperson)

Councillors Derbyshire, Philippa Hill-John, Lancaster,

Jackie Parry, Owen, Wong and Wood

11 : APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies were received from Councillor Owen Jones.

12 : DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No declarations of interest were received.

13 : MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on 5 June 2018 were approved by the Committee as a correct record and were signed by the Chairperson.

14 : COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

The Committee noted that Council on the 21 June 2018 appointed Councillor Bob Derbyshire as a Member of the Committee.

15 : PLANNING, TRANSPORT & ENVIRONMENT DIRECTORATE DELIVERY PLAN 2018/19 AND QUARTER 3 & 4 PERFORMANCE REPORTS 2017/18

The Committee received a report on the Planning, Transport and Environment Directorate Delivery Plan 2018/19. The report provided an opportunity to gain an understanding of the operation of the Planning, Transport and Environment Directorate and its key priorities for this year.

Members were advised that the Council's integrated strategic planning framework sets out the "golden thread" in meeting the Council's four key priorities: Working for Cardiff; Working for Wales; Working for the Future; and Working for Public Services.

The Plan was attached to the report at Appendix 1. The Delivery Plan has the following standardised format:

- Introduction;
- Directorate Profile:
- Directorate Self-Assessment of Performance 2017/18;
- Moving Forward: Context, Opportunities and Challenges;
- Contributing to Cardiff's Well-Being Objectives;
- Delivering Welsh Language Standards;
- Strategic Directorate Priorities.

The Directorate's Self-Assessment of Performance which sets out what the Directorate has done well, what the Directorate could/should have done better and

what opportunities and challenges the Directorate faced. The Moving Forward: Context, Opportunities and Challenges Section sets out issues that the Directorate must take into account in planning future delivery.

The Strategic Directorate Priorities section sets out how each Strategic Directorate priority will be achieved by using each of the following headings:

- Summary of Priorities;
- Key Performance Indicators;
- Risk Management;
- Dependencies;
- Key Actions Individual Headline Actions with start/end date; responsible officer; key milestones for each quarter in 2018/19; a link to an equality objective.

The Chairperson welcomed Andrew Gregory, Director and Matt Wakelam, Assistant Director to the meeting. The officers were invited to deliver a brief presentation on the Directorate Delivery Plan and the Quarter 3 & 4 Performance Reports 2017/18.

Members were invited to comment, seek clarification or raise questions on the information received. Those discussions are summarised as follows:

- Members asked whether the lack of a bus station was hampering efforts to switch to 50/50 modal shift and whether providing a bus station was still a priority for the City. Officers agreed that it was a hindrance. The City has been seeking to construct a new station for many years. An effectively funded scheme was now at the planning stage and it will be delivered. The City is moving towards the provision of city-wide transport hubs network and work will be completed in a phased programme. The detailed planning application is a major step forward. The bus station will be delivered within two years and the hub network is moving forward with potential interchanges identified in Cardiff West and the University Hospital of Wales.
- Members asked how modal shift was measured and were advised that modal shift is measured through surveys.
- Members noted the new Performance Indicator CL/AIR/001 'The amount of NO2 measured annually across the City'. Officers commented that there is detailed work ongoing to develop the Clean Air Strategy. Assessment is a dynamic process and there are shifting levels of pollutants in AQMAs and the high risk areas identified by Welsh Government.
- Referring to the City Centre Masterplan proposals Members asked why there were still question marks over the funding given the lead time for the proposals. Officers were asked to clarify the likely effect on services should funding not become available. Officers stated that City Centre Masterplan has had a number of iterations but it now becoming more defined as a result of work around active travel and the South Wales Metro. Detailed options discussion have been held over the past

12 months. The works to the public realm in Westgate Street are estimated to cost around £5.5 million. A number of key partners can potentially fund the scheme and the authority was currently in the midst of those negotiations. In the medium term period the authority will be required to make significant savings. This needs to be carefully considered. Proposals will only come forward when all options have been considered but cuts to services will be the last resort.

- Members referred to the proposals to increase the redundancy reserve set out in the Cabinet Budget Strategy report. Members asked how automation and digitalisation of services would affect staff numbers and how many jobs would be lost as a result of service changes. Officers stated that workload would be reallocated and/or staff would be deployed to deliver new services. There will be no forced redundancies.
- A Member asked how many vacant houses there were in the City and whether there was a target for the percentage of housing stock set aside to enable elderly residents to say in their own homes. Officers stated that vacant houses fall within the remit of the Shared Regulatory Service.
- Members considered that the lack of east/west bus routes was having a negative impact on congestion in the city. Members asked whether officers supported the reinstatement of east/west bus routes. Officer considered this to be an important point, insofar that the lack of east/west services impact highest on the most disadvantaged communities. The Council wholeheartedly supports cross-city movements. It is actively seeking the reshaping of the bus network and it is keen to promote east/west connections that mean journeys into the City Centre are no longer required, as the network of transport hubs will provide those links.
- In terms of improving recycling and waste collection performance, Members asked what challenges have arising since the closure of Wedal Road HWRC and how these have been offset. The Cabinet Member stated that Wedal Road closed at the same time the new facility at Lamby Way opened. The new facility offers opportunities to recycle a broader range of materials. The Council has made a commitment to provide a HWRC in the north of the City.
- Officers were asked to provide further details of the baseline for a new KPI for missed collections. Officers stated the rationale for the new missed collections KPI was two-fold: 1. that missed collections are high in number; and 2. to identify areas where repeat problems exist so the service area can monitor, improve and ensure the service is customer focussed. It would also allow Members to know what goes on in their wards.
- Members sought to clarify the cost of providing a HWRC in the North of the City. Officers stated that no figure was available. Strategic Estates have been given a brief and it was anticipated they will return with

options within 6 to 8 weeks.

- Members asked for an update on the Nextbike Scheme. Officers stated that the Nextbike Scheme was progressing extremely well and the operators were please that the scheme has been accepted and welcomed in the City. The next phase of the scheme, increasing the number of bikes from 250 to 500, and at more locations, would to rolled out in August. Discussions are being held with the Welsh Government with a view to extending the scheme further.
- A Members asked what additional measures are being considered in order for the authority to achieve the increased Welsh Government target of 64% recycling in the near future. Officers were also asked whether residents in new developments are receiving education or publicity materials setting out the Council's expectations and the need for recycling. Officers stated that the recycling education is moving towards being more citizen focussed and the authority will aim to explain more about what happens to the waste we collect. It was also hoped that the 'Cleansing Blitz' programme would also help make a difference by working with citizens in areas where recycling levels are low.
- Referring to the solar farm project, Members asked whether there were any ambitions to generate beyond the projected 6MW of electricity. Officers indicated that, following some discussions with a potential customer, the authority is seeking to extend the solar farm project to generate 7.5MW. The Council is also considering the possibility using the electricity generated to charge its own fleet vehicles. The Cabinet Members stated that the Authority is ambitious and is keen to work with partners looking to exploit clean energy opportunities in the city.
- Members suggested that, upon completion of the solar farm, clean energy targets could be shown on the performance management scorecard in future. Officers welcomed the suggestion and advised that the solar farm was due to be completed at the end of 2019.
- The Committee raised concerns at the levels of sickness absence, which had increased considerable. Members asked what actions and mitigations were being put in place to address this. Officers advised that Sickness Absence Policies and procedures were being rigorously applied. It was recognised that there are underlying productivity and workforce issues that have been identified. Plans are being developed to address these as part of the new street scene service.
- Members were concerned that ambitious budget cuts coupled with rising sickness absence levels will have an impact on the service area. Officers stated that a workforce development plan will look at the demographic of the workforce, the work they do and the types of sickness they are having. There was a need for a greater understanding of why staff sickness levels are increasing so that more can be done to support staff. A plan was being put in place and officers were happy to bring that plan back to the Committee.

- Members suggested that sickness absence levels were much higher in the Summer than in the Winter, and that they would expect the opposite.
- Officers were asked to comment on the budget variance in Waste Services. Member were advised that the Assistant Director Street Scene and colleagues from finance are working on putting zero based accounting systems in place and not allowing variances to drift. More informed information and monitoring is required.

RESOLVED – That the Chairperson write to the Cabinet Member on behalf of the Committee to convey their comments.

16 : SECTION 106 LOCAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROPOSAL LISTS - MEMBER BRIEFING NOTE

The Principal Scrutiny Officer presented a Briefing Notice on Section 106 Local Infrastructure Proposals Lists. Members were advised that changes to the S106 process brought about by the CIL Regulations, planning policy guidance / legislation and the recommendations of the Environmental Scrutiny Committee, it was proposed that 'S106 Local Infrastructure Proposal Lists' be prepared.

It is intended that the creation of the Ward-based Lists will provide Councillors with an opportunity to identify local infrastructure proposals (relating to Public Open Spaces, Community Facilities and Local Highway Improvements) in a more strategic manner and as part of a formalised process. These lists can then be taken into consideration by officers when securing S106 obligations as part of live planning applications and will supplement the consideration of other relevant information such as extant plans, programmes and strategies.

As part of the preparation of the Proposal Lists, an officer-facilitated workshop is being arranged with volunteering Councillors. The workshop will provide the opportunity for Councillors to undertake a trial run at completing the Proposal Lists and to share their views on the work that has been completed to date. It is anticipated that the project will be launched in the autumn. As part of the launch, a series of workshop sessions will be provided for Councillors to introduce the Local Infrastructure Proposal Lists and to offer broader guidance and training on the S106 process.

The Directorate are also preparing Ward Action Plans, which look at more day-to-day issues such as fly-tipping / graffiti and which will be provided as part of a coordinated process for Councillor dialogue and engagement.

RESOLVED – That the briefing note be noted.

17 : PUBLIC SPACE PROTECTION ORDERS - DOG CONTROLS - MEMBER BRIEFING NOTE

Members were advised that the Cabinet is due to receive a report on Public Space Protection Orders – Dog Controls on 5 July 2018. PSPO's are available to Local Authorities to deal with specific nuisance problems in particular areas that are having, or are likely to have, a detrimental effect on the quality of life for those who live, work

or play within the locality. An order can prohibit or restrict certain activities and are designed to ensure that the law-abiding majority can use and enjoy public spaces, safe from anti-social behaviour.

RESOLVED – That the briefing note be noted.

18 : ENVIRONMENTAL SCRUTINY COMMITTEE - WORK PROGRAMMING 2018/19 VERBAL UPDATE

The Committee discussed options for the 2018/19 Work Programme. Members were advised that 2771 responses have been received to the litter/flytipping survey. The Principal Scrutiny Officer stated that a number of volunteer groups have responded to the survey and requested that Committee's approval to invite volunteer groups to a workshop. The workshop would set out to establish what the groups see as their challenges and how the Council can assist them meeting their challenges.

The Committee supported the proposal.

19 : DATE OF NEXT MEETING - 4 SEPTEMBER 2018

Members were advised that the next Environment Scrutiny Committee is scheduled for 4 September 2018.

The meeting terminated at 6.05 pm

CYNGOR CAERDYDD CARDIFF COUNCIL

ENVIRONMENTAL SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

4 SEPTEMBER 2018

MEMBER BRIEFING: SECOND CARDIFF LOCAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN ANNUAL MONITORING REPORT

Reason for the Report

- 1. To provide a short briefing to Members on the content of a Cabinet report titled 'Second Cardiff Local Development Plan Annual Monitoring Report' that is due to be presented to Cabinet at its meeting on Thursday 20th September 2018. Members are asked to note the content of this item and discuss any future actions relating to this report.
- 2. A copy of the 'Cardiff Local Development Plan 2006 to 2026 2nd Annual Monitoring Report October 2018' is attached to this report respectively as **Appendices 1**.

Background

- 3. The Cardiff Local Development Plan 2006 to 2026 (LDP) was formally adopted by the Council on 28th January 2016. As part of the statutory development plan process the Council is required to prepare an Annual Monitoring Report (AMR) and submit to Welsh Government by the 31st October each year after Plan adoption.
- 4. This is the second AMR to be prepared since the adoption of the plan and is based on the period 1st April 2017 to 31st March 2018. The AMR consists of the following sections:
 - Executive Summary;
 - Introduction;
 - Contextual Information changes to policy framework at a national or local level;
 - LDP Monitoring Process explains the monitoring process undertaken;

- LDP Monitoring Indicators reporting on the 107 LDP monitoring indicators which were agreed during the LDP examination process and set out in the Inspectors Report;
- Sustainability Appraisal Monitoring reporting on the 28 sustainability monitoring indicators;
- Conclusions and recommendations setting out an overall overview of all indicators and Plan performance in the first year following adoption.
- 5. This is the second year the LDP has been operative and this AMR provides a two year short-term position statement. It also provides a comparison with the baseline data provided by the first AMR published last year.
- 6. Future monitoring next year in the 3rd AMR will enable trends to be identified and firmer conclusions drawn. It will help inform the extent to which the LDP strategy, objectives and policies are being achieved. Importantly, the findings of this monitoring work over three consecutive years will directly help to inform the LDP review process as the Council is required to undertake a major review of the LDP four years after adoption in 2020.

The AMR Report

- Overall the findings of the second AMR for year two are generally positive with the majority of the indicators shown as green indicating that the majority of LDP policies are being implemented effectively. A summary of performance against the main Plan topics are set out in this report, with **Appendix 1** setting out the data and conclusions in more detail.
- 8. **Employment** Land take up and provision of new jobs over the monitoring period has been strong and targets set out in the AMR have been surpassed with planning permission granted for several office schemes at Capital Quarter and Central Square and an additional 6,000 jobs being provided over the monitoring period.
- 9. **Transportation** Data collected in relation to travel by sustainable modes is reflecting the fluctuations as shown in past trends over the last 10 years. This demonstrates that sustainable travel trends have continued to increase over the last

- 10 years for both work and shopping, although for leisure and education the trends show a slight decrease.
- 10. In terms of sustainable travel modes, significant progress has been made in meeting cycling targets for all journey purposes with cycling to work in particular having experienced growth in the past year (+5.2%). Train use has very slightly declined over the past year but the 10 year trend shows a significant increase. Walking has slightly decreased over the last year with a fluctuating longer term trend. Bus use has decreased, reflecting a longer term downward trend.
- 11. At this juncture, in the second year of LDP monitoring, without the significant roll-out of new houses and provision of supporting sustainable transportation infrastructure, the early stage of Metro delivery together with the ongoing implementation of wider Council initiatives, it is too early to draw any firm conclusions with regard to policy delivery, particularly given that the 50:50 modal split target relates to 2026. Future AMR's will provide formal regular annual updates.
- 12. Housing New homes have now started to be completed on many of the LDP Strategic Sites. Furthermore, on the remaining sites ongoing dialogue with Developers demonstrates positive progress, following the master planning and infrastructure plans approach as set out in the LDP. Therefore, overall the plan-led approach is now starting to successfully bring forward the allocated sites to meet housing needs.
- 13. Specifically, there are new completions on 3 of the Strategic Sites. Approximately 170 completions have been achieved at St Ederyns Village, the North West Cardiff Strategic site has three separate outlets underway with more planned in the near future and works have commenced at Churchlands. In addition, work is set to commence North of Junction 33 shortly and planning applications are expected on the remaining Strategic Sites in the near future.
- 14. However, the monitoring data shows that completions from Strategic Sites allocated in the LDP have not been coming forward at the rates originally set out by Developers. Reasons for this vary from site to site, but it has become evident that there is a lag between LDP adoption and new houses being completed in part

reflective of land ownership/legal technicalities between Developers and landowners and also the complexity of securing planning consents and accompanying Section 106 Agreements which fully deliver the Council's aspirations as set out in the LDP.

- 15. Overall, it is clear that there has been a lag between adoption and delivery. However the evidence summarised above demonstrates that good progress is now being made and importantly adhering to the masterplanning and infrastructure plan approach embedded in the LDP. Future AMR's will capture future delivery but the indications are that delivery will increase significantly in coming years.
- 16. Gypsy and Traveller Sites work on progressing the identification of sites to meet the evidenced need for permanent and transit Gypsy and Traveller sites has been delayed due to the need to undertake additional detailed site investigations. These detailed technical assessments have now been completed and the Council is currently considering the implications of the findings of these assessments and ongoing flood defence works in order to determine options for taking this work forward. This has included ongoing discussions with Welsh Government.
- 17. **Biodiversity and Built Environment** policies are shown to be functioning effectively.
- 18. **Waste** recycling and other targets are being met.
- 19. Minerals the city also has a healthy landbank of mineral reserves and policies relating to the protection of mineral reserves and resources are functioning effectively.
- 20. Supplementary Planning Guidance Significant progress has been made in producing a programme of new Supplementary Planning Guidance (SPG) to support the policies in the adopted Plan and the Cardiff Infrastructure Plan has been updated. Work on this SPG programme will continue through the next twelve months and will be evidenced in the next AMR.

Conclusions

21. Section 7 of the AMR provides the conclusions and recommendations of this second AMR which sets out short term position statement for year two and provides a

comparison with the baseline data provided by the first AMR published last year. The key conclusion is that while it is difficult to determine definitive trends in policy performance in the second year of reporting, overall progress is being made in delivering the identified targets and monitoring outcomes. There is no evidence through the AMR process to suggest the need for a full or partial review of the LDP at this early stage of plan implementation.

21. It is recommended that this AMR be submitted to the Welsh Government in accord with statutory requirements. Continued monitoring in future AMRs will help to identify any definitive trends in the performance of the Plan's strategy and policy framework.

Next Steps

- 22. The third AMR in respect of the Cardiff LDP will be presented to Cabinet at the same time next year, with the broad structure of the AMR remaining the same from year to year in order to provide ease of analysis between successive reports. The AMR reports will be used to help inform the review of the LDP which the Council is required to undertake four years after Plan adoption (2020).
- 23. The AMR will be placed on the Council's website for information.

Way Forward

24. Councillor Caro Wild, Cabinet Member for Strategic Planning & Transport has been invited to attend for this item. He will be supported by officers from the Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate.

Legal Implications

22. The Scrutiny Committee is empowered to enquire, consider, review and recommend but not to make policy decisions. As the recommendations in this report are to consider and review matters there are no direct legal implications. However, legal implications may arise if and when the matters under review are implemented with or without any modifications. Any report with recommendations for decision that goes to Cabinet/Council will set out any legal implications arising from those recommendations. All decisions taken by or on behalf of the Council must (a) be within the legal powers of the Council; (b) comply with any procedural requirement

imposed by law; (c) be within the powers of the body or person exercising powers on behalf of the Council; (d) be undertaken in accordance with the procedural requirements imposed by the Council e.g. Scrutiny Procedure Rules; (e) be fully and properly informed; (f) be properly motivated; (g) be taken having regard to the Council's fiduciary duty to its taxpayers; and (h) be reasonable and proper in all the circumstances.

Financial Implications

23. The Scrutiny Committee is empowered to enquire, consider, review and recommend but not to make policy decisions. As the recommendations in this report are to consider and review matters there are no direct financial implications at this stage in relation to any of the work programme. However, financial implications may arise if and when the matters under review are implemented with or without any modifications. Any report with recommendations for decision that goes to Cabinet/Council will set out any financial implications arising from those recommendations.

RECOMMENDATION

The Committee is recommended to:

- i. Note the contents of the report and attached Appendices;
- ii. To consider future actions in relation to future scrutiny of this item.

DAVINA FIORE
Director of Governance & Legal Services
29 August 2018

Cardiff Local Development Plan 2006 - 2026



2nd Annual Monitoring Report

October 2018



Cardiff Local Development Plan 2nd Annual Monitoring Report 2018

Based on data collected for period 1st April 2017 to 31st March 2018

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1. Executive Summary

The Cardiff Local Development Plan (LDP) was adopted on 28 January 2016. As part of the statutory development plan process the Council is required to prepare an Annual Monitoring Report (AMR).

The AMR provides the basis for monitoring the effectiveness of the LDP and ultimately determines whether any revisions to the Plan are necessary. It aims to demonstrate the extent to which the LDP strategy and objectives are being achieved and whether the Plan's policies are functioning effectively. It also allows the Council to assess the impact the LDP is having on the social, economic and environmental well-being of the County and identifies any significant contextual changes that may influence plan implementation or review.

This is the second AMR to be prepared since the adoption of the Cardiff LDP and is based on data collected for the period 1st April 2017 to 31st March 2018. The first AMR was published on 31st October 2017 and provided a baseline for future comparative analysis from which successive AMRs will be able to evidence the emergence of trends.

Key Findings of the Second Annual Monitoring Process 2017-2018

Contextual Information

A summary of the relevant contextual material that has been published since the adoption of the Plan at a national, regional and local level, along with general economic trends is included in Section 3. Overall, none of the changes identified to date suggest the need for an early review of the Plan. The implications of some of the contextual changes will take place over the longer term and subsequent AMRs will continue to provide updates on relevant contextual material and give further consideration to any changes which could affect the Plan's future implementation.

Local Development Plan Monitoring – Policy Analysis

Section 5 assesses how the Plan's strategic policies and associated supporting policies are performing against the identified key monitoring targets and outcomes and whether the LDP strategy and objectives are being delivered. This has enabled the Council to make an informed judgement of the Plan's progress in delivering the targets/monitoring outcomes and policies during this monitoring period. The table below provides a visual overview of the effectiveness of policies during the monitoring period based on the traffic light rating used in the assessment:

Continue Monitoring (Green)	
Where indicators are suggesting the LDP Policies are	
being implemented effectively and there is no cause for	
review.	
Training Required (Blue)	
Where indicators are suggesting that LDP policies are	
not being implemented as intended and further officer	
or Member training is required.	
Supplementary Planning Guidance Required	
(Purple)	
Indicators may suggest the need for further guidance	
to be provided in addition to those already in the Plan.	
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Further Research (Yellow)	
Where indicators are suggesting the LDP policies are	
not being as effective as they should, further research	
and investigation is required.	
Policy Review (Orange)	
Where indicators are suggesting the LDP policies are	
failing to implement the strategy a formal review of the	
Policy is required.	
Further investigation and research may be required	
before a decision to formally review is confirmed.	
Plan Review (Red)	
Where indicators are suggesting the LDP strategy is	
failing and a formal review of the Plan is required. This	
option to fully review the	
Plan will need to be fully investigated and undertaken following serious consideration.	
Tollowing serious consideration.	

Key Findings

This is the second AMR to be prepared and provides a short term 2 year position statement and provides a comparison with the baseline data provided by the first AMR published last year.

Overall the findings of the second AMR for year 2 are generally positive with the majority of the indicators shown as green indicating that the majority of LDP policies are being implemented effectively.

<u>Employment</u> – Land take up and provision of new jobs over the monitoring period has been strong and targets set out in the AMR have been surpassed with planning permission granted for several office schemes at Capital Quarter and Central Square and an additional 6,000 jobs being provided over the monitoring period.

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However, the monitoring data shows that completions from Strategic Sites allocated in the LDP have not been coming forward at the rates originally set out by Developers. Reasons for this vary from site to site, but it has become evident that there is a lag between LDP adoption and new houses being completed – in part reflective of land ownership/legal technicalities between Developers and landowners and also the complexity of securing planning consents and accompanying Section 106 Agreements which fully deliver the Council's aspirations as set out in the LDP.

Overall, it is clear that there has been a lag between adoption and delivery. However the evidence summarised above demonstrates that good progress is now being made and importantly adhering to the masterplanning and infrastructure plan approach embedded in the LDP. Future AMR's will capture future delivery but the indications are that delivery will increase significantly in coming years.

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Waste – recycling and other targets are being met.

<u>Minerals</u> - the city also has a healthy landbank of mineral reserves and policies relating to the protection of mineral reserves and resources are functioning effectively.

<u>Supplementary Planning Guidance</u> – Significant progress has been made in producing a programme of new Supplementary Planning Guidance (SPG) to support the policies in the adopted Plan and the Cardiff Infrastructure Plan has been updated. Work on this SPG programme will continue through the next twelve months and will be evidenced in the next AMR.

Sustainability Appraisal (SA) Monitoring

Section 6 expands the assessment of the performance of the LDP against the SA monitoring objectives. This provides a short term position statement on the performance of the Plan against a number of sustainability indicators.

Conclusions

The key conclusion from this second AMR is that while it is difficult to determine definitive trends in policy performance, good progress is generally being made in delivering the identified targets and monitoring outcomes and there is no evidence to suggest the need for a full or partial review of the LDP at this early stage in its implementation.

This is the second year the LDP has been operative and is the second AMR to be prepared following the adoption of the Plan. This AMR provides a short term short term 2 year position statement and provides a comparison with the baseline data provided by the first AMR published last year.

It is recommended that this AMR be submitted to the Welsh Government in accord with statutory requirements. The Council should continue to monitor the LDP through the preparation of successive AMRs. Future monitoring will be necessary to determine the effectiveness of the Plan's spatial strategy and policy framework particularly in

relation to housing delivery including strategic housing site allocations, the delivery of affordable housing and the progress on strategic employment sites.

The Council is required to commence a full review of the LDP every four years. A review of the LDP in advance of the formal review will only take place if the conclusions of the AMR, or other exceptional circumstances, indicate otherwise.

2. Introduction

The Annual Monitoring Report (AMR) process provides the basis for monitoring the effectiveness of the Local Development Plan (LDP) and helps inform whether any revisions to the Plan are necessary. It aims to demonstrate the extent to which the LDP strategy and objectives are being achieved and whether the Plan's policies are functioning effectively. It also allows the Council to assess the impact the LDP is having on the social, economic and environmental well-being of the County and identifies any significant contextual changes that might influence the Plan's implementation or review.

Monitoring is a continuous part of the plan making process. It provides the connection between evidence gathering, plan strategy and policy formulation, policy implementation, evaluation and plan review.

Adoption of the Cardiff Local Development Plan

Under the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act (2004) and associated Regulations, local planning authorities (LPAs) are required to produce a LDP. The Cardiff Local Development Plan was formally adopted by the Council on 28th January 2016. The LDP provides the land use framework which forms the basis on which decisions about future development in the city, including planning applications, are based.

This is the second AMR to be prepared since the adoption of the Cardiff LDP and is based on data collected for the period 1st April 2017 – 31st March 2018.

The Requirement for Monitoring Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004

The Council has a statutory obligation, under section 61 of the 2004 Act, to keep all matters under review that are expected to affect the development of its area. In addition, under section 76 of the Act, the Council has a duty to produce information on these matters in the form of an Annual Monitoring Report for submission to the Welsh Government at the end of October each year following plan adoption. The preparation of an AMR is therefore an integral part of the statutory development plan process.

In order to monitor LDP performance consistently, plans should be considered against a standard set of monitoring indicators and targets. The Welsh Government has issued regulations and guidance on the required content of AMRs.

Town and Country Planning (Local Development Plan) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2015

The Town and Country Planning (Local Development Plan) (Wales) Regulations have been amended to simplify certain aspects of the local development plan procedures, however, these do not affect the LDP monitoring process. Under Regulation 37 the

AMR is required to:

• Identify policies that are not being implemented;

And for each policy:

- Identify the reasons why the policy is not being implemented;
- Identify the steps (if any) that are intended to be taken to enable the policy to be
- implemented;
- Explore whether a revision to the plan to replace or amend the policy is required.

In addition, the AMR is required to monitor identified core indicators by specifying:

- The housing land supply from the current Housing Land Availability Study, and;
- The number (if any) of net additional affordable and general market dwellings built in the LPA area.

These are both for the year of the AMR and for the full period since the LDP was first adopted.

Other Core Output Indicators for LDPs include:

- Total housing units permitted on allocated sites as a % of overall housing provision
- Employment land permitted (ha) on allocated sites as a % of all employment allocations
- Amount of major retail, office and leisure development (sq m) permitted within and outside established town and district centre boundaries
- The extent of primary land-won aggregates permitted in accordance with the Regional Technical Statement for Aggregates expressed as a percentage of the total capacity required as identified in the Regional Technical Statement (MTAN).

Local Development Plan Manual (Edition 2, 2015)

The LDP Manual states that aspects that are usefully included in an AMR are:

- Key findings, in the form of a 1-2 page Executive Summary.
- Significant contextual change, i.e. a review of wider strategic issues affecting the local area and the context within which the LDP operates, including the fortunes of any significant local industries, emerging national planning guidance or a significant planning application
- Sustainability monitoring related to the SA Report and integrated assessment process (see section 9.2.2).
- Strategy monitoring, to assess whether the plan is achieving its main objectives, and whether it is "on track" in terms of the level of implementation, e.g. the level of new housing development or take-up of major sites.
- Policy monitoring, to highlight any policies which are not functioning effectively, and to highlight how such issues will be addressed.
- Conclusions and recommendations; e.g. identify any improvements/changes to key parts of the plan which would need to be considered in a future review and possible plan revision. Other appropriate responses may include identifying the need for SPG or further research and evidence gathering.

The Manual states that it is not realistic or necessary for all policies to be monitored - this would lead to an unnecessarily large and complicated document. Some key areas

will need to be included consistently each year and this will be for the Authority to determine based on those elements crucial to delivering the plans strategy.

The Manual states the broad structure of the AMR should remain the same from year to year in order to provide ease of analysis between successive reports and build on preceding results. Good use of illustrative material such as charts, graphs and maps will also make the AMR more accessible.

The Manual states that it is important that the AMR has an analytical dimension. There is also merit in incorporating qualitative information from consultation with key stakeholders, for instance, the views of community leaders on their areas, and the plan makers' assessment of trends, conditions and issues driving change.

The Manual states that it is important to consider why information is needed, and to structure the analysis accordingly. The following questions may be relevant:

- What new issues have occurred in the area or in local/national policy (key recent contextual and national policy changes, future prospects)?
- How relevant, appropriate and up-to-date is the LDP strategy and its key policies and targets?
- What sites have been developed or delayed in relation to the plan's expectations on location and timing?
- What has been the effectiveness of delivering policies and in discouraging inappropriate development?

Cardiff LDP Monitoring Framework

A Monitoring Framework is provided in Chapter Six and Appendix 9 of the LDP comprising a series of 5 contextual indicators and 102 core and local indicators, with corresponding targets and triggers for further action, in relation to the Plan's strategic policies. It also indicates the linkages between the Plan objectives, strategic policies and other Plan policies. The indicators were developed in accordance with the above Welsh Government Regulations and guidance on monitoring. The Monitoring Framework forms the basis of the AMR.

Strategic Environmental Assessment Regulations (2004) and The Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2010 (as amended 2011)

In addition the LDP and AMR must comply with European Directives and Regulations. The Final Sustainability Appraisal Report, January 2016 identifies a further set of indicators (26) that will be used to monitor progress on sustainability issues. Whilst interlinked, these are set out separately from the LDP Policy Monitoring Framework and have been used in the AMR to measure the environmental, economic and social impacts of the LDP.

The completion of the AMR accords with the requirements for monitoring the sustainability performance of the Plan through the Strategic Environmental Assessment Regulations (2004) and The Conservation of Habitats and Species Regulations 2010 (as amended 2011).

AMR Format and Content

The AMR has been designed to be a succinct and easily accessible document that can be used as a convenient point of reference for all strategic policy areas.

The structure of the AMR is as follows:

Section 1 Executive Summary - Provides a succinct written summary of the key monitoring findings.

Section 2 Introduction - Outlines the requirement for, the purpose and structure of the AMR.

Section 3 Contextual Information - Provides a brief overview of the relevant contextual information which, although outside the remit of the Plan, could affect the performance of the LDP policy framework. Policy specific contextual information is provided in the relevant policy analysis section, including changes to policy framework at a national or local level.

Section 4 LDP Monitoring Process - Explains the monitoring process undertaken.

Section 5 LDP Monitoring - **Policy Analysis** - Reports on the 107 LDP monitoring indicators which were agreed during the LDP examination process and set out in the Inspectors Report.

Section 6 Sustainability Appraisal Monitoring - Provides an assessment of the LDP's performance against the 28 SA monitoring indicators.

Section 7 Conclusions and Recommendations – Sets out an overall overview of all indicators and Plan performance in the first year following adoption.

Publication – The AMR will be published on the Council's website.

Future Monitoring

The broad structure of the AMR should remain the same from year to year in order to provide ease of analysis between successive reports. However, given that the monitoring process is dependent upon a wide range of statistical information that is sourced from both the Council and external sources, any changes to these sources could make certain indicators ineffective or out-dated. Accordingly, the monitoring framework may evolve over the Plan period and AMRs will be used as a means of identifying any such inevitable changes to the framework.

The Council is required to commence a full review of the LDP every four years after Plan adoption. A review of the LDP in advance of the formal review will only take place if the conclusions of the AMR or other exceptional circumstances indicate otherwise.

3. Contextual Changes

This section provides a brief summary of the relevant contextual material that has been published during the current monitoring period. This includes national legislation and relevant plans, policies and strategies at the national, regional and local level. Any potential overall implications for the LDP as a whole are outlined where appropriate. General economic trends which have occurred since the LDP's adoption are also set out, together with progress on key supplementary planning guidance.

Contextual information which is specific to a particular LDP policy area is provided in the relevant policy analysis section for ease of reference and is therefore not repeated here.

Legislative Changes

Planning (Wales) Act 2015

The Planning (Wales) Act received Royal Assent in July 2015 and came into force in stages between October 2015 and January 2016. It sets out a series of legislative changes to deliver reform of the planning system in Wales, to ensure that it is fair, resilient and enables development. The Act addresses 5 key objectives which includes strengthening the plan-led approach to planning. It introduces a legal basis for the preparation of a National Development Framework (NDF) and Strategic Development Plans (SDP). The NDF is a national land use plan which will set out Welsh Government's policies in relation to the development and use of land in Wales. It is anticipated that this will be produced in 2018/9 when it will replace the Wales Spatial Plan. SDPs will address cross-boundary issues at a regional level such as housing, employment and waste and must be in general conformity with the NDF. The Regulations make reference to three strategic planning areas including South East Wales. It is anticipated that Cardiff will be part of this strategic planning area, in alignment with the emerging Cardiff Capital Region City Deal proposals. LDPs will continue to have a fundamental role in the plan-led system. The Act requires LDPs to be in general conformity with the NDF and any SDP which includes all or part of the area of the authority.

The Town and Country Planning (Local Development Plan) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2015

Amendments to The Town and Country Planning (Local Development Plan) (Wales) Regulations 2005 were carried out in response to the outcome of the LDP Refinement Exercise and aim to simplify certain aspects of the local development plan process. The amended Regulations:

- Remove the statutory requirement to advertise consultation stages in the local press;
- Allow local planning authorities to make revisions to the local development plan where the issues involved are not of sufficient significance to warrant the full procedure, without going through the full revision process;
- Eliminate the need to call for and consult on alternative sites following the deposit consultation; and

Make minor and consequential amendments.

The amended LDP Regulations came into force on 28 August 2015 and together with the related policy and guidance in Planning Policy Wales (PPW) and the revised LDP Manual aim to make the LDP process more efficient and effective (i.e. enabling swifter plan preparation and revision without imposing unnecessary prescription). The amended Regulations do not have any implications for the current LDP but will need to be considered in relation to any Plan review and will be given further consideration as necessary.

Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015

The Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act gained Royal Assent in April 2015 and came into force on 1st April 2016. The Act strengthens existing governance arrangements for improving the well-being of Wales by ensuring that sustainable development is at the heart of government and public bodies. It aims to make a difference to the lives of people in Wales in relation to a number of well-being goals including improving health, culture, heritage and sustainable resource use. The Act provides the legislative framework for the preparation of Local Well-being Plans which will replace Single Integrated Plans. Given that sustainable development is the core underlying principle of the LDP (and SEA) there are clear associations between the aspirations of both the LDP and Act/Local Well-being Plans. Indeed, it is considered that the LDP evidence base, SEA/SA and AMR will inform the Council's Local Well-being Plan. Moving forward, sustainable development principles will continue to inform any review of the Plan.

Environment (Wales) Act 2016

This Act received Royal Assent in March 2016 and came into force on 21st May 2016 and sits alongside the Planning (Wales) Act 2015 and the Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015 in promoting sustainable use, management and development of Welsh resources. The Environment (Wales) Act introduces new legislation for the environment and provides an iterative framework which ensures that managing Wales' natural resources sustainably will be a core consideration in decision-making. It requires Natural Resources Wales (NRW) to prepare a State of Natural Resources Report that provides an assessment of natural resources and considers the extent to which they are being sustainably managed. The Act also requires Welsh Government to produce a National Natural Resources Policy that sets out the priorities, risks and opportunities for managing Wales' natural resources sustainably. NRW will also produce a local evidence base (Area Statements) to help implement the priorities, risks and opportunities identified in the National Policy and set out how these will be addressed. Any subsequent implications for the LDP will be given further consideration as necessary.

Historic Environment (Wales) Act 2016

The Historic Environment (Wales) Act 2016 received Royal Assent in March 2016. The Act makes important changes to the two main UK laws that provide the legislative framework for the protection and management of the historic environment: the Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979 and the Planning (Listed Buildings)

and Conservation Areas) Act 1990. The Act will give more effective protection to listed buildings and scheduled ancient monuments; improve the sustainable management of the historic environment; and introduce greater transparency and accountability into decisions taken on the historic environment. While some of the Act's measures came into force in May 2016, the majority will require further secondary legislation or other preparations before they are brought into effect later in 2017 or in 2018. Any implications for the LDP will be given further consideration as necessary.

Public Health (Wales) Act 2017

The Public Health (Wales) Act 2017 received Royal Assent in July 2017. The Act makes changes to the law in Wales to improve health and prevent avoidable health harms. Some of the relevant changes in the Act include the production of a national strategy on preventing and reducing obesity and a requirement to undertake Health Impact Assessment (HIA) on key decisions.

National Planning Policy Amendments

Planning Policy Wales (Edition 8, January 2016)

A revised version of Planning Policy Wales (PPW) was published in January 2016. The main changes contained in Edition 8 relate to the following matters:

Local Development Plans (Chapter 2):

A revised version of Chapter 2 was published on 25 September 2015 following the refinement of the LDP process. It takes account of related amendments to the Town and Country Planning (Local Development Plan) (Wales) Regulations 2005, to the guidance in the Local Development Plan Manual (Edition 2, 2015) and to the withdrawal of Local Development Plans Wales: Policy on Preparation of LDPs (2005).

Planning for Sustainability (Chapter 4):

Chapter 4 has been updated to take into account the Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015. The amendments insert information on the provisions of the Act, including the seven well-being goals and the sustainable development principle. The description of legislative requirements for sustainable development in the planning system has also been updated. The changes also illustrate how the Welsh Government's planning policy objectives link to the well-being goals. It has also been updated to reflect the Welsh language provisions of the Planning (Wales) Act 2015 which strengthen the consideration given to the Welsh language in the planning system.

Minerals (Chapter 14):

This new Chapter integrates into PPW the Welsh Government's planning policies for minerals development which were previously set out in Minerals Planning Policy Wales (2001). No changes to existing policy have been made as part of this integration exercise and Minerals Planning Policy Wales has been cancelled as a result.

Planning Policy Wales (Edition 9 November 2016)

Edition 9 of *Planning Policy Wales* (PPW) was published in November 2016. This edition of PPW incorporates fully revised chapters on 'The Historic Environment' and on 'Retail and Commercial Development', along with changes to take account of provisions of the Planning (Wales) Act 2015 and the coming into force of the Wellbeing of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015. The main changes to PPW are as follows:

Introduction (Chapter 1)

This has been updated to reflect the introduction of both the 'Planning Performance Framework' and the validation appeals policy expectations.

Local Development Plans (Chapter 2)

Chapter 2 has been updated to take account of changes in legislation, including provisions of the Planning (Wales) Act 2015. Some procedural elements that are covered in the LDP Manual (Edition 2, 2015) have also been removed.

Making and Enforcing Planning Decision (Chapter 3)

Chapter 3 has been streamlined as a result of the publication of the Development Management Manual. The revised chapter also now includes reference to 'Developments of National Significance' following the coming into force of the relevant Regulations related to the Planning (Wales) Act 2015.

Planning for Sustainability (Chapter 4)

Chapter 4 has been updated to include the statutory purpose of the planning system which was introduced by the Planning (Wales) Act 2015. There have also been amendments to take account of the coming into force of the Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015 and regarding Design and Access Statements, linked to the Planning (Wales) Act.

The Historic Environment (Chapter 6)

Chapter 6 has been fully revised in conjunction with Cadw following the consultation exercise that took place earlier this year and Royal Assent of the Environment (Wales) Act 2016.

Retail and Commercial Development (Chapter 10)

Chapter 10 has been refreshed to update the Welsh Government's planning policy for retail and commercial development. The requirement remains to consider retail and commercial centres first and complementary uses, as well as the requirements for retail need and sequential tests and the undertaking of impact assessments where appropriate. The updated Chapter is accompanied by a revised Technical Advice Note 4, Retail and Commercial Development.

Technical Advice Notes (TANs)

TAN 12 Design and Guidance on Site Context Analysis was updated in March 2016, TAN4 Retail and Commercial Development in November 2016 and TAN 20 Planning and the Welsh Language in October 2017. In addition a new TAN 24 The Historic Environment was published in October 2017 which replaced previous Welsh Office

Circulars covering this issue. The potential implications of the changes to these TAN's for the LDP are provided in the relevant policy analysis section.

Regional Context

Cardiff Capital Region and City Deal

South-East Wales is identified as a new city-region in Wales, covering Cardiff and South-East Wales Local Authorities. As set out in the report 'Powering the Welsh Economy'1, the Cardiff Capital Region is intended to encourage the ten local authorities and other key partners in its boundaries to work together and collaborate on projects and plans for the area. A transition board has been established although Progress remains at an early stage and at present the potential consequences for the LDP are not clear. Similarly the Authorities forming the Capital Region are continuing to work on a City Deal bid to fund projects aimed at boosting the competitiveness of the region over the next 20 years. Of note, the City Deal document was signed by the 10 local authority leaders, Secretary of State for Wales, Chief Secretary to the Treasury and First Minister in March 2016. The progress of the Cardiff Capital Region agenda, City Deal Bid and any subsequent implications for the LDP will be given further consideration in subsequent AMRs where appropriate.

Local Context

Capital Ambition Report

This report was issued in July 2017 and sets out the Council's five-year plan for the city. It outlines the Council's vision for Cardiff to become a leading city on the world stage. The plan focuses on four main areas:

- Working for Cardiff Making sure everyone who lives and works here can contribute to, and benefit from, the city's success.
- Working for Wales A successful Wales needs a successful capital city.
- Working for the future Managing the city's growth in a sustainable way.
- Working for public services Making sure public services are delivered efficiently, effectively and sustainably in the face of rising demands and reduced budgets.

Cardiff Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) Update

Consultation on the CIL Draft Charging Schedule commenced during the current monitoring period. As this matter has now been devolved to Welsh Government the Council is currently awaiting guidance from Welsh Government on this matter before deciding how to proceed with the next steps in the preparation process. This guidance is due to issued by Welsh Government in early 2018 The progress of the CIL and any subsequent implications for the LDP will be given further consideration in successive AMRs where appropriate.

General Economic Trends

Economic Activity

Key economic activity data for Cardiff and Wales from the LDP base date of 2006 to the current monitoring period is shown in the tables below. The data demonstrates that Cardiff has experienced improved economic performance in relation to these indicators with employment, unemployment and earnings indicators all higher than the LDP base date of 2006. However, such changes are not considered to be so significant to have any implications for the LDP. These economic indicators will be considered in subsequent AMRs and any potential implications recorded.

Economically Active – In Employment

	Cardiff	Wales
April 2006 to March 2007	66.7%	69.1%
April 2007 to March 2009	68.9%	69.3%
April 2008 – March 2009	69.5%	68.4%
April 2009 – March 2010	68.15	66.6%
April 2010 – March 2011	64.7%	66.4%
April 2011 – March 2012	65.5%	66.7%
April 2012 – March 2013	65.5%	67.6%
April 2013 – March 2014	69.4%	69.5%
April 2014 – March 2015	65.6%	69.3%
April 2015 – March 2016	69.1%	71.1%
April 2016 to March 2017	69.1%	71.4%
April 2017 to March 2018	72.0%	72.7%

Source: Nomis

Economically Active – Unemployed

	Cardiff	Wales
April 2006 to March 2007	6.2%	5.3%
April 2007 to March 2008	6.1%	5.6%
April 2007 to March 2009 April 2008 – March 2009	6.9%	6.8%
April 2009 – March 2010	8.7%	8.3%
April 2010 – March 2011	8.9%	8.4%
April 2011 – March 2012	9.1%	8.4%
April 2012 – March 2013	10%	8.3%
April 2013 – March 2014	8.1%	7.4%
April 2014 – March 2015	8.4%	6.8%
April 2015 – March 2016	6.7%	5.4%
April 2016 – March 2017	4.8%	4.4%
April 2017 – March 2018	6.0%	4.9%

Source: Nomis

Gross Weekly Pay Full-Time Workers (Earnings by Residence)

	Cardiff	Wales
April 2006 to March 2007	£442.2	£414.8
April 2007 to March 2009	£453.2	£424.8
April 2008 – March 2009	£483.0	£444.6
April 2009 – March 2010	£499.3	£456.2
April 2010 – March 2011	£498.5	£455.1
April 2011 – March 2012	£495.4	£454.9
April 2012 – March 2013	£503.6	£475.3
April 2013 – March 2014	£496.4	£480.0
April 2014 – March 2015	£519.0	£487.6
April 2015 – March 2016	£534.4	£499.2
April 2016 – March 2017	£538.5	£505.9
April 2016 – March 2017	£534.4	£499.2
April 2017 – March 2018	£538.5	£505.9

Source: Nomis

House Prices

As demonstrated in the table below, Land Registry data indicates that in general average house prices in Cardiff have increased over the current monitoring period. Average prices in 2017 at £223,081 were higher than the 2006 baseline price (£177,469). The data below shows that house prices have risen by 26% during the monitoring period.

Cardiff Average House Prices 2006 to 2017

Time Period	Average House Price
2006	£177,469
2007	£184,136
2008	£174,278
2009	£173,100
2010	£183,498
2011	£181,529
2012	£181,690
2013	£190,048
2014	£195,390
2015	£202,970
2016	£213,714
2017	£223,081

Source: Land Registry

Supplementary Planning Guidance

A number of supplementary planning guidance (SPG) documents to support key LDP policy areas have been approved during the current monitoring period. These are:

- Houses in Multiple Occupation
- Waste Collection and Storage Facilities
- Locating Waste Management Facilities
- Planning Obligations
- Tall Buildings
- Residential Design Guide
- Childcare SPG
- Planning for Health and Well-being
- Infill Design Guidance
- Residential Extensions and Alterations Guidance
- Green Infrastructure (including Technical Guidance Notes relating to Open Space, Ecology and Biodiversity, Trees, Soils, Public Rights of Way and River Corridors)
- Safeguarding Business and Industrial Land and Premises
- Food, Drink and Leisure Uses

In addition the following SPG were approved by Council on 19th July, 2018 outside the monitoring period:

- Archaeologically Sensitive Areas
- Managing Transportation Impacts (including Parking Standards)

Work on other SPG is ongoing and progress on these will be reported in the next AMR.

Summary

As detailed above, new legislation and national, regional and local plans, policies and strategies have emerged during the current monitoring period, some of which may have implications for the future implementation of the LDP. However, none of contextual changes identified to date suggest the need for an early review of the Plan. Subsequent AMRs will continue to provide updates on relevant contextual material which could affect the Plan's future implementation.

4. LDP Monitoring Process

How is the LDP Monitored?

Section 5 considers the extent to which the LDP's strategy is being realised with reference to the performance of particular policies against the indicators, targets and triggers contained within the LDP monitoring framework. The structure of the section is as follows:

Strategic objective

This is the starting point for the monitoring process. The AMR replicates each of the 4 overarching LDP objectives set out below from which the LDP policies flow.

- **Objective 1** To respond to evidenced economic needs and provide the necessary infrastructure to deliver development
- **Objective 2** To respond to evidenced social needs
- **Objective 3** To deliver economic and social needs in a co-ordinated way that respects Cardiff's environment and responds to the challenges of climate change
- Objective 4 To create sustainable neighbourhoods that form part of a sustainable city

Contextual information

Significant contextual information that has been published since the Plan's adoption is outlined where relevant to a particular strategic policy. This will enable the AMR to determine whether the performance of a policy has been affected by contextual changes. These can include new or amended legislation, national, regional and local plans, policies or strategies as well as external social and economic trends which could affect the delivery of the LDP such as economic conditions. Any such changes lie outside the remit of the LDP.

Indicators

The LDP monitoring framework contains a variety of core and local indicators which will inform policy progress and achievement. The selection of these indicators has been guided by the need to identify output indicators which are able to measure quantifiable physical activities that are directly related to the implementation of LDP policies.

Several of the core indicators are either prescribed by LDP Regulation 37 or recommended by the LDP Manual for their ability to enable an assessment of the implementation of national policy. Further core indicators were identified on the basis of their ability to provide useful information on whether the delivery of the LDP strategy is progressing as anticipated.

The local indicators supplement the core indicators and have been selected based on the availability and quality of data and their relevance to the local area. Some local contextual indicators have also been included which cover key local characteristics against which LDP policies operate.

Targets

The policy indicators are associated with corresponding targets which provide a benchmark for measuring policy implementation. Given the length of the plan period, it is necessary to incorporate 'milestone' targets to determine whether the Plan is progressing towards meeting the overall strategy. The timeframe attributed to such targets primarily relates to the anticipated delivery of development. The Council will investigate any policy that fails to meet its target. The level of consideration given to such policies within the AMR will depend on the reasons identified for the failure and the significance of the policy for the delivery of the overall plan strategy.

Triggers

Trigger levels have also been included for certain targets to more accurately help measure plan performance. They will provide an indication of when policy targets are not being met, or insufficient progress is being made towards meeting them.

Analysis

Having regard to the indicators, relevant targets, triggers and monitoring outcomes, the AMR assesses whether the Plan's policies are being implemented as intended and whether the LDP objectives and strategy are being achieved. This includes the identification and further investigation of any policy that fails to meet its target and/or has reached its trigger point. However, the fact that a policy reaches its trigger level does not automatically imply that the policy is failing. The analysis will consider whether such performance may be due to extraneous circumstances or could be justified in the context of the overall policy framework. In certain instances it has been difficult to identify meaningful trends due to the limited amount of data available and consequently some of the conclusions drawn are preliminary and will need to be verified by a longer period of monitoring. In instances where the Council has been unable to monitor an indicator or where an indicator has been superseded, an explanation will be provided in the relevant policy analysis section.

Recommendations

Taking account of the policy analysis, appropriate recommendations are provided including a statement of any necessary actions required. If policies are found to be failing the AMR will set out clear recommendations on what, if anything, needs to be done to address this.

Overall findings for each strategic objective

Finally, for each strategic objective, an overall statement of performance is provided and a conclusion made on whether that particular objective is being achieved through the combination of policies identified.

Policy Performance Traffic Light Rating

As a visual aid in monitoring the effectiveness of the Plan's strategic policies and to provide a quick reference overview of policy performance a 'traffic light' rating is included for relevant indicators as follows:

Continue Monitoring (Green)	
Where indicators are suggesting the LDP Policies are being implemented effectively and there is no cause for review.	
Training Required (Blue)	
Where indicators are suggesting that LDP policies are not being implemented as intended and further officer or Member training is required.	
Supplementary Planning Guidance Required (Purple)	
Indicators may suggest the need for further guidance to be provided in addition to those already in the Plan.	
Further Research (Yellow)	
Where indicators are suggesting the LDP policies are not being as effective as they should, further research and investigation is required.	-
Policy Review (Orange)	
Where indicators are suggesting the LDP policies are failing to implement the strategy a formal review of the Policy is required. Further investigation and research may be required before a decision to formally review is confirmed.	
Plan Review (Red)	
Where indicators are suggesting the LDP strategy is failing and a formal review of the Plan is required. This option to fully review the Plan will need to be fully investigated and undertaken following serious consideration.	

Sustainability Appraisal Monitoring Framework

The Sustainability Appraisal Monitoring expands the assessment of the performance of the LDP against the Sustainability Appraisal (SA) monitoring objectives. The SA identifies 26 indicators developed to measure the environmental, economic and social impacts of the LDP. This is set out in Section 6 of the AMR.

This section provides a detailed assessment of whether the Plan's strategic policies, and associated supporting policies, are being implemented as intended and whether the LDP objectives and strategy are being achieved. Appropriate recommendations are subsequently provided, together with necessary actions to address any policy implementation issues identified through the monitoring process. Aligned with the LDP, the analysis is set out in strategic policy order.

5. LDP Monitoring Policy Analysis

Contextual Indicators

Contextual Indicators	Target	Trigger	Result 2016/17	Result 2017/2018
Annual unemployment rate	The annual unemploy ment rate decreases	The annual unemployment rate increase for two or more consecutive years	5.3%	6.0%
Percentage of population in the 100 most deprived wards in Wales	The percentage of population in the 100 most deprived wards in Wales decreases	The percentage of population in the 100 most deprived wards in Wales increases for 2 or more consecutive years	The latest Welsh Index of Multiple Deprivation data from 2015 shows that 12% of the population of Cardiff is in the 100 most deprived wards in Wales	Next update to Welsh Index planned for 2019
Level of Police recorded crime in Cardiff	Police Recorded Crime rates decrease	Police Recorded Crime rates increase for two or more consecutive years.	In the quarter ending December 2016, crime rates were up in Cardiff (and in the South Wales force area) compared with the corresponding quarter in 2015. Crime rates in Cardiff increased from 23.08 crimes per thousand residents to 25.32 crimes per thousand residents.	In the quarter ending December 2017, crime rates were up in Cardiff (and in the South Wales force area) compared with the corresponding quarter in 2016. Crime rates in Cardiff increased from 25.32 crimes per thousand residents to 28.33 crimes per thousand residents.
Percentage of adults meeting	The percentage	The percentage of	62% of adults reported being	58% of adults reported being

recommended guidelines for physical activity	of adults meeting recommen ded guidelines for physical activity increases annually over the Plan period	adults meeting recommended guidelines for physical activity decreases for two of more consecutive years	physically active for more than 150 mins in the previous week 23% of adults reported being physically active for less than 30 mins in the previous week	physically active for more than 150 mins in the previous week 27% of adults reported being physically active for less than 30 mins in the previous week
Waste Reduction Rate	Waste reduction rate of 1.2% annually to 2050	The waste reduction rate falls below 1.2% for two or more consecutive years	The amount of household waste collected and generated between 2014/15 and 2015/16 increased by 3% from 170,715 to 177,457 tonnes	The amount of household waste collected and generated between 2015/16 and 2016/17 decreased by 0.3% from 177,457 to 176,952 tonnes

Objective 1 – To respond to evidenced economic needs and provide the necessary infrastructure to deliver development

Topic Area: Employment Land Permitted on Allocated Sites

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP9, EC1 – EC7

Indicator reference: OB1 EC1

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Core Employment land permitted (ha) on allocated sites as a percentage of all employment allocations.	None		None
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
Total land area of Allocati	ons = 132ha	Total land a	rea of Allocations = 132ha
Employment development permitted on allocated sites (April 2016-31 st March 2017) = 11.6ha. This equates to 9%		allocated sit	t development permitted on es (April 2017 - 31 st March 2 ha. This equates to 1.7%

Analysis

Please see monitoring table below for a breakdown of employment land permitted during the monitoring period on allocated sites.

Application No.	Proposal	Address	Site Area (ha)	Status
16/01749/MJR	HYBRID APPLICATION COMPRISING OF FULL DETAILED APPLICATION FOR THE PROPOSED MIXED-USE COMMERCIAL OFFICE BUILDING AT NUMBER 4 CAPITAL QUARTER AND OUTLINE	PLOT 1, J AND L, WESTERN COURTYARD, CAPITAL QUARTER, TYNDALL STREET, ATLANTIC WHARF	0.69	Under Construction (Granted 13/04/2017)

	APPLICATION FOR REMAINING PARTS OF WESTERN COURTYARD AT PLOT J AND L FOR RESIDENTIAL AND ASSOCIATED PUBLIC REALM AND LANDSCAPING			
17/01751/MJR	31,630 SQ M (GIA)/24,837 SQ M (NIA) OF USE CLASS B1 (OFFICE) FLOORSPACE,	STREET, WEST OF HAVELOCK STREET, SOUTH OF PARK STREET AND EAST OF NO.6 PARK STREET. (THE SITE ENCOMPASSES PLOTS 6 (IN PART), 7 AND 8 OF THE CENTRAL SQUARE	0.6	Under Construction (Granted 13/09/2017)
17/02615/MJR	HYBRID APPLICATION COMPRISING OF FULL APPLICATION FOR THE PROPOSED MIXED USE COMMERCIAL BUILDING ON THE SOUTH SITE NO.1 JOHN STREET OUTLINE APPLICATION PROPOSED MIXED USE COMMERCIAL & LEISURE HOTEL FOR THE NORTH SITE NO.2 JOHN STREET. INCLUDING	LAND ON THE NORTH AND SOUTH SIDE OF JOHN STREET, CALLAGHAN SQUARE, BUTETOWN	0.83	Granted 07/02/18 subject to S106

ASSOCIATED PARKING, PUBLIC REALM AND LANDSCAPE		
WORKS.		

The employment land permitted (ha) on allocated sites during the period 1st April 2017 to 31st March 2018 as a percentage of all employment allocations is 1.7%. Please note a significant area of this allocation has an existing development footprint, or has already been developed during the LDP plan period. Furthermore, a significant proportion of mixed use development is expected to come forward, in addition to employment schemes in this zone.

It is also worth noting that although the take up in terms of hectares is lower than the previous 12 months, the schemes permitted are high density, high rise offices which have smaller land requirements.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Employment Land Take Up

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP9, EC1-EC7

Indicator reference: OB1 EC2

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Core Annual Employment land take up (based on completions) in Cardiff	33,400 sqm annually.		Offices (B1) = Take up is more than 10% above or below the target for 2 or more consecutive years
(including on Strategic Sites – Policy KP2)	= 4 to 7 ha annually		(B1b/c, B2, B8) = Take up is more than 10% above or below the target for two or more consecutive years.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 20		Performan	ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
Office Take Up (April 2016 to April 2017) = 9760 sqm		Office Take = 14,969 sq (please see	
Industrial Take up (April 20 2017) = 12.3 ha	·		ake up (April 2017 to April ha
Analysis			

Analysis

Office Take up is based on completions during the period April 2017 to 31st March 2018. In this period 14,969 sqm of office floorspace was completed, This floorspace was largely attributed to the completion of Capital Quarter, No 3, Tyndall Street, and One Canal Parade, Dumballs Road. Although this falls below the target set, it is important to note that Plot 2 Central Square is nearing completion. This equates to a further 14,550 sqm. If these figures were to be considered this would provide a further 29,519 sqm of office floorspace, which would be in excess of the target.

Taking these figures into consideration, Cardiff's Office market is deemed to be strong, and no concerns are raised in relation to this indicator.

Industrial Take-up is based on completions during the period April 2017 to 31st March 2018. Although there have been no significant industrial completions within this period, the industrial take up last year well exceeded the upper target. The 0.5 ha completion was the New Lexus showroom and workshops, Hadfield Road, Leckwith. There are also a number of current planning permissions for industrial use, the most significant being 15.4 ha of commercial development (B2 and B8 uses), on land adjacent to Longships Road and Compass Road, Cardiff Bay. Taking these factors into consideration no concerns are raised in relation to this indicator.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Loss of Employment Land

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, EC1 – EC7

Indicator reference: OB1 EC3

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Local Amount of employment land lost to non- employment uses in primary and local employment sites (Policy EC1)	No loss of employment land (Policy EC1) unless in accordance with Policy EC3.		No loss of employment land on EC1 protected sites, except for developments which have been considered a complimentary use under Policy EC2, or which have been considered to satisfy Policy EC3.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017		Performan	ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
No loss of employment land occurred on EC1 protected sites except where the proposal was considered a complimentary use under Policy EC2, or which satisfied Policy EC3.		protected sit proposal	employment land on EC1 ees occurred except where the was considered a ary use under Policy EC2 or 3.

Analysis

In relation to complimentary uses, a number of small scale gyms were approved.

A dogs rehoming centre was approved at Ocean Park (EC1.1) and this included a substantial office (B1) element.

Student accommodation was approved on land at East Bay Close (EC1.22) as assessed against Policy EC3, the site had been marketed since 2009 without success.

It is therefore considered that policy EC1 and Policy EC3 are functioning effectively. The council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issue.

The Council was also successful at appeal following a refusal to grant planning permission for residential development at Cardiff Gate Business Park.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Employment Provision Cardiff Central Enterprise Zone

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2(A), KP9, EC1 – EC7

Indicator reference: OB1 EC4

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Local Employment provision of Allocated Sites – (KP2 (A) – Cardiff Central Enterprise Zone)	B1 use at least 14.5 per		No trigger is set at present but will be revised once further details are known
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st	_		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to
31 st March 20 ²	17		31 st March 2018
Office completions – 9760	sqm	Office completions – 14,969 sqm	
Offices under construction	- 23,380 sqm	Offices under construction – 42,652 sqm	
Offices in pipeline with plar			peline (since April 2017) with
permission – 157,897 sqm		•	rmission – 13,275 sqm

Analysis

Within the Allocated Site (KP2A) the amount of office floorspace completions and office floorspace under construction has increased on the previous year with 14,969 sqm of office floorspace completed and 42,652 sqm of office floorspace currently under construction (April 2017 - 31st March 2018).

Since April 2017 a further 13,275 sqm of office floorspace is in the pipeline with planning permission.

Completions

Application No.	Proposal	Address	Floorspace (sqm)	Status
15/02766/MJR	6-7 STOREY OFFICE BUILDING, NUMBER 3 CAPITAL QUARTER WITH LOWER GROUND FLOOR PARKING	BLOCK H, CAPITAL QUARTER, TYNDALL STREET, ATLANTIC WHARF	8700 sqm	Complete

15/02	956/MNR	DEMOLITION AND NEW BUILD FOUR STOREY OFFICE DEVELOPMENT	14 TRADE STREET, BUTETOWN	626 sqm	Complete
15/03	144/MJR	VARIATION OF CONDITIONS 2 (ARCHITECTUR AL DETAILING), 3 (HARD AND SOFT LANDSCAPING), 5 (DETAILS OF JUNCTION) AND 18 (APPROVED DRAWINGS), AND REMOVAL OF CONDITION 11 (PUBLIC ART) OF PLANNING APPLICATION 04/00819/C TO ENABLE THE DEVELOPER TO COMMENCE PRELIMINARY WORKS ON SITE WITHOUT DISCHARGING PRE-COMMENCEMENT CONDITIONS. THE APPROVED DESIGN TO BE AMENDED ALSO	FUSION POINT 3, DUMBALLS ROAD, BUTETOWN, CARDIFF	5600 sqm	Complete

Under Construction

Application No.	Proposal	Address	Floorspace (sq m)	Status
16/01749/MJR	HYBRID APPLICATION COMPRISING OF FULL DETAILED APPLICATION FOR THE PROPOSED MIXED-USE COMMERCIAL OFFICE BUILDING AT NUMBER 4 CAPITAL QUARTER AND OUTLINE	PLOT 1, J AND L, WESTERN COURTYARD, CAPITAL QUARTER, TYNDALL STREET, ATLANTIC WHARF	11,022 sqm	Under Construction (Granted 13/04/2017)

	APPLICATION FOR REMAINING PARTS OF WESTERN COURTYARD AT PLOT J AND L FOR RESIDENTIAL AND ASSOCIATED PUBLIC REALM AND LANDSCAPING			
17/01751/MJR	CLASS B1 (OFFICE) FLOORSPACE,	OF WOOD STREET, WEST OF HAVELOCK STREET, SOUTH OF PARK STREET AND EAST OF NO.6 PARK STREET. (THE SITE ENCOMPASSES PLOTS 6 (IN PART), 7 AND 8 OF THE CENTRAL SQUARE	31,630 sqm	Under Construction (Granted 13/09/2017)

Application No.	Proposal	Address	Floorspace (sqm)	Status
17/02615/MJR	HYBRID APPLICATION COMPRISING OF FULL APPLICATION FOR THE PROPOSED MIXED USE COMMERCIAL BUILDING ON THE SOUTH SITE NO.1 JOHN STREET OUTLINE APPLICATION PROPOSED MIXED USE COMMERCIAL & LEISURE HOTEL FOR THE	LAND ON THE NORTH AND SOUTH SIDE OF JOHN STREET, CALLAGHAN SQUARE, BUTETOWN	13,275 sqm	Not started

NORTH SITE NO.2 JOHN STREET. INCLUDING ASSOCIATED PARKING, PUBLIC REALM AND LANDSCAPE WORKS.
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The data above shows Policy KP2(A) is effectively delivering the development of multi storey high density office developments in the Central Enterprise Zone with completions and office floorspace under construction higher than the previous year. The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issue.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Employment Provision North West Cardiff

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2(C), KP9, EC1 – EC7

Indicator reference: OB1 EC5

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Employment provision on Allocated Sites – (KP2 C – North West Cardiff)	15,000sq m (B1 & B1 (b&c)		No trigger was set at present but will be revised once further details are known.
Performance 1st AMR 1st April 2016 to			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
31 st March 2017 15,500sq m B1(a), B1(b) & B1(c) included in planning application (ref 14/02733/MJR) approved 20/03/2017		The office depermission a	evelopment granted planning as part of this strategic ed mixed use development

Analysis

Planning permission 14/02733/MJR granted 20/03/2017 for residential led mixed use development of this strategic sites which includes the target level of B1 floorspace.

Although not yet started, the residential development has begun. It is therefore considered that policy KP2 is functioning effectively. The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issue.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Employment Provision North of Junction 33

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2 (D&E), KP9, EC1 – EC7

Indicator reference: OB1 EC6

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual change relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Employment provision on Allocated Sites – (KP2 D&E – North of J33 & South of Creigiau)	3 ha by J33 plus 2.5ha flexible local employment space.		No trigger set at present but will be revised once further details are known.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
6.7ha employment space including interchange included in planning application (ref 14/00852/MJR) granted		No yet starte	ed.

Analysis

28/02/2017.

Planning permission 14/00852/MJR granted 28/02/2017 for the residential led mixed use development of this strategic site which includes the target level of employment floorspace. Development has not yet started.

As the site has been granted planning permission it is considered that policy KP2 D&E is functioning effectively. The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of this policy framework relating to this issues.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Employment Provision North East Cardiff

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2 (F), KP9, EC1 – EC7

Indicator reference: OB1 EC7

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target	Trigger
LOCAL Employment provision on Allocated Sites – (KP2 F – North East Cardiff)	6.5ha B1 & B1 (b&c) employment space	No trigger is set at present but will be revised once further details are known
Dorformonos 1St AMD 1St	April 2016 to Dorformon	on and AMD 4st April 2047 to

Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017	Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
No application submitted to date	No application submitted to date

Analysis

No application submitted to date.

The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issues.

Recommendations

<u>Topic Area: Employment Provision South of St Mellons Business</u> <u>Park</u>

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2 (H), KP9, EC1 – EC7

Indicator reference: OB1 EC8

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target	Trigger
LOCAL Employment provision on Allocated Sites – (KP2H- South of St. Mellons Business Park)	80,000 to 90,000sq m (B1(b)/(c)	No trigger is set at present but will be revised once further details are known.

Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to	Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to
31 st March 2017	31 st March 2018
No application submitted to date	No application submitted to date

Analysis

No application submitted to date.

The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issue.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Net Job Creation

Relevant LDP Policies: KP1, KP9, EC1 – EC7

Indicator reference: OB1 EC9

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Net job creation over the	19,100 by 2026 or 1,736 annually. Target is set at		If annual creation of new jobs falls more than 10%
remaining Plan period (Total = 40,000 over	1,750 jobs annually over the remaining plan		below the anticipated rate of 1,750 jobs for 2 or more
whole Plan period, 20,900 jobs created	period.		consecutive year.
Performance 1st AMR 1st April 2016 to			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
31 st March 2017 Total jobs in Cardiff - 202,000 in 2015		Total jobs in	Cardiff – 208,000 in 2016
(latest Nomisweb.co.uk figures, May 2017).		(latest Nomi	sweb.co.uk figures, 2016).

Analysis

The total number of jobs in Cardiff has risen to 208,000 jobs, a rise of 6,000 jobs since the last AMR, and is well above target.

It is therefore considered that KP1 is functioning effectively. The Council will continue to monitor this indicator this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issue.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Active A1 Retail Units within District and Local Centres

Relevant LDP Policies: R1-R8
Indicator reference: OB1 EC10

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Active A1 (retail) units within District and Local Centres remaining the predominant use.	A1 units compof all units wit & Local Centr Level in 2013	hin District es (Base	A1 units comprising less than 40% of all units within a centre
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017		Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
District Centres – Average of 46% active A1 retail units within centres.			res – Average of 45% active ts within centres.
Local Centres – Average of 47% active A1 retail units within centres.		Local Centres – Average of 46% active A1 retail units within centres.	
		For an indivi	dual breakdown please see section.

Analysis

District Centres

District Centre	Total No of Units	No active A1 (retail) units	Percentage Active A1 (retail) units
Albany Road/Wellfield Road	199	95	48%
City Road	166	67	40%
Clifton Street	96	53	55%
Cowbridge Road East	190	85	45%
Crwys Road/Woodville Road	133	51	38%
Bute Street/James Street	61	19	31%
Merthyr Road, Whitchurch	96	51	53%
Penarth Road/Clare Road	68	33	49%
St Mellons	20	8	40%
Thornhill	8	5	63%
Whitchurch Road	118	43	36%
		Average	45%

The average percentage of active A1 retail units within District Centres is 46 percent. The majority of District centres well exceed the 40 percent target with the exception of Bute St/James Street, Crwys Road/Woodville Road and Whitchurch Road. It is acknowledged that Bute Street/James Street has historically had a large element of restaurants/cafes given its location within Mermaid Quay, Cardiff Bay. Being 9% below the 40% target in terms of active retail units does not raise cause for concern in this instance.

Crwys Road/Woodville Road, and Whitchurch Road centre fall just below the 40% threshold. Any further non-shopping uses within these centres will be scrutinised in light of this evidence, however each case will be assessed on its merits.

Local Centres

Local Centre	Total No of Units	No active A1 (retail) units	Percentage of Active A1 (retail) units
Birchgrove	44	17	39%
Bute Street (Loudoun Square)	12	9	75%
Cathedral Road	28	14	50%
Countisbury Avenue	35	18	52%
Caerau Lane	9	6	67%
Fairwater Green	16	8	50%
Gabalfa Avenue	15	4	27%
Grand Avenue	15	8	53%
High Street, Llandaff	32	11	34%
Maelfa, Llanedeyrn*	N/A*	N/A*	N/A*
Newport Road, Rumney	45	21	47%
Rhiwbina Village	46	26	57%
Salisbury Road	45	15	33%
Splott Road	39	13	33%
Station Road, Llanishen	29	14	48%
Station Road, Llandaff North	32	13	41%
Station Road, Radyr	15	9	60%
Tudor Street	34	15	44%
Willowbrook Drive	5	1	20%
Wilson Road	15	8	53%
		Average	46%

^{*}Maelfa Local Centre is currently undergoing a mixed use redevelopment (Planning Application 11/1082/DCO)

The average percentage of active A1 retail units within Local Centres is 46 percent. The majority of Local centres well exceed the 40 percent target with the exception of High Street, Llandaff, Salisbury Road, and Splott Road. These centres fall just below the 40% threshold. Any further non-shopping uses within these centres will be scrutinised in light of this evidence, however each case will be assessed on its merits.

Splott Road has experienced a high vacancy rate over the last few years and this trend seems set to continue, despite retail policy designation.

Willowbrook Drive and Gabalfa Avenue fall well below the 40% target.

Willowbrook Drive has also failed to attract new A1 occupiers during the plan period, whereby two large retail units have been vacant for over 10 years. These long term vacancies have attracted various forms of anti-social behaviour by way of theft, damage, graffiti, fly-tipping, and vandalism. Gabalfa Avenue did have a higher A1 occupier rate of 33% A1 for last year's AMR and this should be taken into consideration.

Recommendations

No action is required at present. The majority of centres are providing a strong retail function. Carefully scrutinise further applications for change of use of A1 units in the following Local centres Gabalfa Avenue, High Street, Llandaff, Salisbury Road and Splott Road. Continue to monitor.

Topic Area: Protected City Centre Shopping Frontages

Relevant LDP Policies: R2, R3

Indicator reference: OB1 EC11

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Proportion of protected City Centre shopping frontages with over 50% Class A1 (Shop) units.	100%		90%
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017		Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
54 (84.4%) of the city centres 64 Protected Shopping Frontages had over 50% Class A1 units in 2016.		· ·	of the city centres 64 nopping Frontages have 50% ss A1 units.

Analysis

- The Council's City Centre Land Use and Floorspace Survey (LUFS) is published each autumn.
- The first Performance AMR survey undertaken in October 2016 identified that 54 (84.4%) out of city centres 64 Protected Shopping Frontages comprised of 50% or more Class A1 units.
- It was noted at the time that the 10 Protected Shopping Frontages which were identified as falling below the 50% threshold were weaker frontages that have not historically achieved 50%, but were included as protected frontages in the LDP for their group value within the Central Shopping Area (CSA).
- It was therefore recommended that 54 Protected Shopping Frontages represents the 100% target for the future monitoring of this benchmark.
- The August 2018 survey identifies that 53 out of city centres 64 Protected Shopping Frontages comprised of 50% or above Class A1 units. This represents a total of 98.1% when measured against the first AMR target of 54 frontages (100%).

Recommendations

No actions are triggered under the second year of performance monitoring.

<u>Topic Area: Vacancy Rates in Central Shopping Area, District and Local Centres</u>

Relevant LDP Policies: KP10, R1-R8

Indicator reference: OB1 EC12

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Percentage of ground floor vacant retail units in the Central Shopping Area, District and Local Centres	Vacancy levels are no higher than the national UK average (12%). Current vacancy levels in Cardiff are 9% (City Centre), 10% (District Centres) and 9% (Local Centres)		Vacancy levels rise above national UK average for more than two consecutive years
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 20°			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
District Centres – Average of 6% vacancy rate within centres. Local Centres – Average of 7% vacancy rate within centres. 13.9% of the Central Shopping Areas (CSA) ground floor retail units are currently (at October 2016) vacant. This equates to 9.4% of the CSA's ground floor retail floor space (sqm)		District Cent vacancy rate Local Centre rate within c For an indivi the analysis 12.2% of the (CSA) groun currently (at	eres – Average of 7% e within centres. es – Average of 9% vacancy entres. idual breakdown please see section e Central Shopping Areas and floor retail units are August 2018) vacant. This

Analysis

District Centres

District Centre	Total No of Units	No vacant retail units	Percentage vacant retail units
Albany Road/Wellfield Road	199	13	7%
City Road	166	19	11%
Clifton Street	96	6	6%
Cowbridge Road East	190	10	5%
Crwys Road/Woodville Road	133	12	9%
Bute Street/James Street	61	8	13%
Merthyr Road, Whitchurch	96	5	5%

Penarth Road/Clare Road	68	6	9%
St Mellons	20	1	5%
Thornhill	8	0	0%
Whitchurch Road	118	7	6%
		Average	7%

All the District centres fall below the 10% vacancy trigger, with the exception of Bute Street/James Street which has a 13% vacancy rate. However, this centre has a reduced the vacancy rate by 3% from last year. City Road, marginally exceeds the target by 1%. Continue to monitor this centre for improvements next year.

Local Centres

Local Centre	Total No of Units	No vacant retail units	Percentage vacant retail units
Birchgrove	44	5	11%
Bute Street (Loudoun Square)	12	0	0%
Cathedral Road	28	1	4%
Countisbury Avenue	35	2	6%
Caerau Lane	9	1	11%
Fairwater Green	8	0	0%
Gabalfa Avenue	15	2	13%
Grand Avenue	15	2	13%
High Street, Llandaff	32	3	9%
Maelfa, Llanedeyrn*	N/A*	N/A*	N/A*
Newport Road, Rumney	45	2	4%
Rhiwbina Village	46	1	2%
Salisbury Road	45	2	4%
Splott Road	39	7	18%
Station Road, Llanishen	29	1	3%
Station Road, Llandaff North	32	0	0%
Station Road, Radyr	15	2	13%
Tudor Street	34	7	21%
Willowbrook Drive	5	2	40%
Wilson Road	15	0	0%
		Average	9%

^{*}Maelfa Local Centre is currently undergoing a mixed use redevelopment (Planning Application 11/1082/DCO)

A significant number of Local centres meet or fall below the 9% vacancy trigger, with the exception of Birchgrove, Caerau Lane, Gabalfa Avenue, Grand Avenue, Tudor Street, Splott Road and Willowbrook Drive. It is noted that Caerau Lane only has 1 vacant unit which does not raise cause for concern. Gabalfa Avenue and Grand Avenue are both small centres, and only have 2 vacant units.

Tudor Street, Splott Road and Willowbrook Drive well exceed the 9% trigger. Splott Road has experienced a high vacancy rate over the last few years and this trend seems set to continue, despite retail policy designation.

Willowbrook Drive has also failed to attract new A1 occupiers during the plan period, whereby two large retail units have been vacant for over 10 years. These long term vacancies have attracted various forms of anti-social behaviour by way of theft, damage, graffiti, fly-tipping, and vandalism. Tudor Street has also experienced a small increase in the vacancy rate since last year's monitoring period.

The Council's City Centre Land Use and Floor space Survey (LUFS) is published each autumn.

The August 2018 survey identifies that 12.2% of the Central Shopping Areas (CSA) ground floor retail units are currently (at August 2018) vacant. It should be noted however that this equates to only 8% of the CSA's ground floor retail floor space (sqm).

The first survey in 2016 identified vacancy rates of 13.5%. This year (2018) has seen a 1.3% improvement with the number of vacant units reduced to 12.2%, which is consistent with the national average. We will need to monitor the survey results over the next few years to check if this improvement is a result of long-term occupiers or whether the 2018 survey has coincided with an increased number of units being occupied on short-term tenancies.

Monitoring over future years will evidence if these trends continue.

Recommendations

No action is required at present. Vacancy rates are predominantly below the required threshold. Continue to monitor.

Monitoring over future years will evidence if these trends continue.

Topic Area: Retail Development Outside Designated Centres

Relevant LDP Policies: KP10, R1, R2, R3, R4, R5, R6, R7 & R8

Indicator reference: OB1 EC13

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy are during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Number of Retail Developments permitted outside of the central Shopping Area and District Centres not in accordance with Policy R6 and as assessment of need and strict application of the sequential test.	No retail developments permitted outside these areas (unless in accordance with Policy R6 and an assessment of need and strict application of the sequential test).		1 or more retail development permitted outside of the Central Shopping Area and District Centres not in accordance with Policy R6 and as assessment of need and strict application of the sequential test.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
27 applications approved for retail development outside the Central Shopping Area and District Centres. 7 applications were accompanied by an		developmen Shopping Ai	ons approved for retail at outside the Central rea and District Centres. 3

27 applications approved for retail development outside the Central Shopping Area and District Centres. 7 applications were accompanied by an assessment of need and sequential test. The remaining 20 were not accompanied by an assessment as specific circumstances did not require them.

17 applications approved for retail development outside the Central Shopping Area and District Centres. 3 applications were accompanied by an assessment of need and the sequential test. The remaining 14 were no accompanied by and assessment as specific circumstances did not require them.

Analysis

During the monitoring period 17 applications were approved for development within the A Use Class or as part of mixed use development including A Use Class outside the Central Shopping Area and District Centres. Of these, 14 did not submit as assessment of need or demonstrated that they satisfied the sequential test as specific circumstance did not require them. The reasons for this are outlined below:-

1 application was part of the village centre in an allocated strategic site and considered policy compliant with Policy R6 and R7.

In all other cases the retail floorspace was small scale (less than 200sq m) and well below the TAN4 threshold of 2,500sq m. 2 applications were considered complementary uses as part of mixed use development and/or in a business/industrial

area. The remaining 11 applications were for changes of use of existing commercial premises.

It is therefore considered that Policy R6 is functioning effectively. The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issue.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Achievement of 50:50 Modal Split

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP6, KP8, T1-T9

Indicator reference: OB1 EC14

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

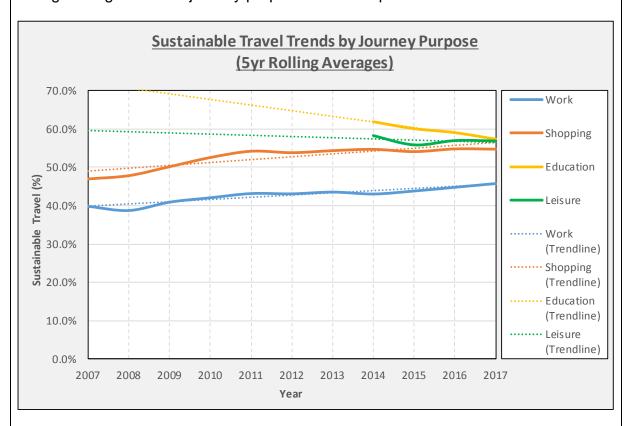
Indicator	Target		Trigger
Local Achievement of 50:50 modal split for all journeys by 2026	Increase the sustainable travel proportion of the modal split by 1% per annum for each journey purpose: 1) Work = 45.2% (2014) 2) Education = 57.8% (2014) 3) Shopping (City Centre) = 67.1% (2014) 4) Shopping (Other) = 43.2% (2014) 5) Leisure = 58% (2014)		Failure to achieve an annual increase of 1% for each journey purpose for two or more consecutive years
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 20°		Performan	ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
1) Work: 2014 = 45.2% 2015 = 45.0% (-0.2%) 2016 = 48.1% (+3.1%) 2) Education: 2014 = 57.8% 2015 = 50.4% (-7.4%) 2016 = 59.6% (+9.2%) 3) Shopping (City Centre): 2014 = 67.1% 2015 = 66.0% (-1.1%) 2016 = 67.9% (+1.9%) 4) Shopping (Other): 2014 = 43.2% 2015 = 41.3% (-1.9%) 2016 = 45.6% (+4.3%) 5) Leisure:		1) Work: 2016 = 48.1 2017 = 48.4 2) Education 2016 = 59.6 2017 = 55.9 3) Shopping 2016 = 67.9 2017 = 64.7 4) Shopping 2016 = 45.6 2017 = 38.8 5) Leisure: 2016 = 60.2 2017 = 56.4	% (+0.3%) n: % % (-3.7%) (City Centre): % % (-3.2%) (Other): % % (-6.8%)
5) Leisure: 2014 = 58.0% 2015 = 54.8% (-3.2%) 2016 = 60.2% (+5.4%)			

Analysis

The target 1% increase in sustainable travel, has failed to be achieved for all journey purposes, albeit that a small increase has been achieved for journeys to Work.

However, results are shown to vary by year, as demonstrated by the general decrease in sustainable travel between 2014 and 2015, and yet increases between 2015 and 2016.

In order to better understand the overall trend in sustainable travel, the historic 5yr rolling average for each journey purpose has been plotted below –



The above demonstrates that overall the trend for travelling sustainably for both Work and Shopping trips is increasing, while Leisure has seen a slight decrease overall, only Education is shown to be subject to a marked decrease.

It should be noted that the vast majority of respondents to the Ask Cardiff Survey on which the above results are based, are adults aged over 24 (96% in 2017), with only 4% (2017) aged between 16-24, and none under 16. Therefore to clarify, travel to Education journeys in this instance will refer to a combination of university and college levels students, those in adult education, and parents/guardians escorting children to school.

However, results of the annual 'Cardiff Schools Hands-up Survey' show that for school travel specifically, the proportion of pupils travelling by sustainable modes has actually increased from 63% in 2016 to 65% in 2017.

The choice to travel sustainably is subject to a number of variables, many of which are externalities outside of the Council's direct influence. Nevertheless, examples of factors which may impact on mode-choice are – fuel prices, bus/rail fares, inflation, level of bus service provision, population trends, congestion effects in terms of bus journey times/reliability, parking availability/charges, changes in travel patterns (e.g. the rise in internet shopping), weather conditions, public health trends, infrastructure improvements etc.

Recommendations

No action is required at present. Continue to monitor. If however a target 1% increase is also failed to be achieved for the following year, then this shall trigger the need for more in-depth analysis to be undertaken.

Topic Area: Percentage of People Walking

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP6, KP8, T1-T9

Indicator reference: OB1 EC15

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

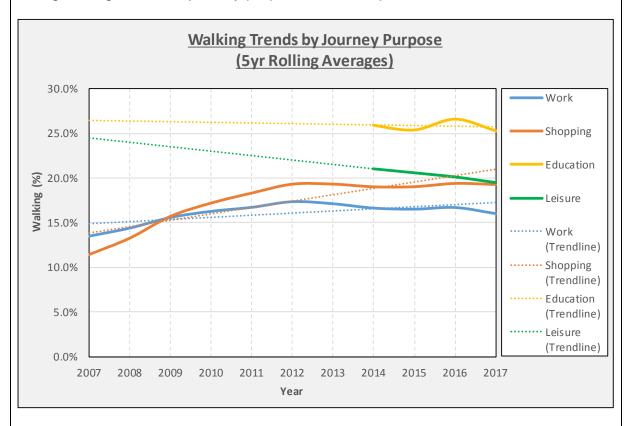
this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Local Percentage of people walking (all journeys)	An annual increase of journeys made on foot for each journey purpose: 1) Work = 15.9% (2014) 2) Education = 24.1% (2014) 3) Shopping (City Centre) = 16.7% (2014) 4) Shopping (Other) = 22.3% (2014) 5) Leisure = 19% (2014)		Failure to achieve an annual increase for each journey purpose for two or more consecutive years
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201		Performan	ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
1) Work: 2014 = 15.9% 2015 = 16.6% (↑) 2016 = 17.9% (↑) 2) Education: 2014 = 24.1% 2015 = 22.6% (↓) 2016 = 27.6% (↑) 3) Shopping (City Centre): 2014 = 16.7% 2015 = 16.5% (↓) 2016 = 18.4% (↑) 4) Shopping (Other): 2014 = 22.3% 2015 = 22.2% (↓) 2016 = 23.5% (↑) 5) Leisure: 2014 = 19.0% 2015 = 18.9% (↓) 2016 = 21.8% (↑)		1) Work: 2016 = 17.9 2017 = 14.0 2) Education: 2016 = 27.6 2017 = 23.3 3) Shopping: 2016 = 18.4 2017 = 16.1 4) Shopping: 2016 = 23.5 2017 = 19.9 5) Leisure: 2016 = 21.8 2017 = 17.89	% (↓) n: % % (↓) (City Centre): % % (↓) (Other): % % (↓)

Analysis

The target increase in walking, has failed to be achieved for all journey purposes. However, results are shown to vary by year, as demonstrated by the general decrease in walking between 2014 and 2015, and yet increases between 2015 and 2016.

Therefore, in order to better understand the overall trend in walking, the historic 5yr rolling average for each journey purpose has been plotted below –



The above demonstrates that overall the trend for walking to Work and to Shopping is increasing. However it is also evident that there is a clear decline in the proportion walking to Leisure, together with a slight decrease overall in the proportion walking to Education.

The marked decrease in Leisure walking, is replicated by the automatic count of the number of annual pedestrians crossing the Pont y Werin bridge, which has decrease by 1.4% between 2016 and 2017 (from 349,989 to 344,955).

Meanwhile, as with sustainable travel overall, results of the annual 'Cardiff Schools Hands-up Survey' show that for school travel specifically, the proportion of pupils walking to school has increased from 44% in 2016 to 50% in 2017, suggesting that the overall decrease in walking for journeys to Education may be attributable to changes in travel behaviour amongst university level and college students.

Some of the potential reasons for the apparent decline in walking is discussed in OB1 EC14 previous. However, weather conditions in particular have a notable impact on the choice to walk, with temperatures around the time of the Ask Cardiff Survey having

been warmer in 2016 than these were in 2017 (16.5°C compared with 15.0°C). Also, there is a general trend of people increasingly travelling further, with the propensity being that these trips are more likely to be made by other modes.

To illustrate the above point, the average distance travelled to work by Cardiff residents, increased by 12% between the 2001 and 2011 Census (i.e. from 11.3km to 12.7 km). Meanwhile according to the 'Cardiff Travel Behaviour Research Baseline Report (September 2013)', the average distance of walking trips is 1.1 km, with 63% of these being less than 1 km, and 95% being less than 3 km. Therefore, it is evident that if people are travelling further, then the likelihood will be that they will increasingly choose to travel by a mode other than walking.

Of note, respondents to the 2017 Ask Cardiff Survey, when questioned how safe they felt when walking in Cardiff, only 51% stated that they felt 'Safe', which could be another factor which has adversely impacted on the number of walking trips.

Similarly, also in the 2017 Ask Cardiff Survey, 36% of respondents stated that they would like to see improvements to 'pedestrian crossing facilities and walking routes', which represents an increase from the 29% the previous year.

Recommendations

No action is required at present. Continue to monitor. If however the target increase is also failed to be achieved for the following year, then this shall trigger the need for more in-depth analysis to be undertaken.

Topic Area: Percentage of People Cycling

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP6, KP8, T1-T9

Indicator reference: OB1 EC16

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

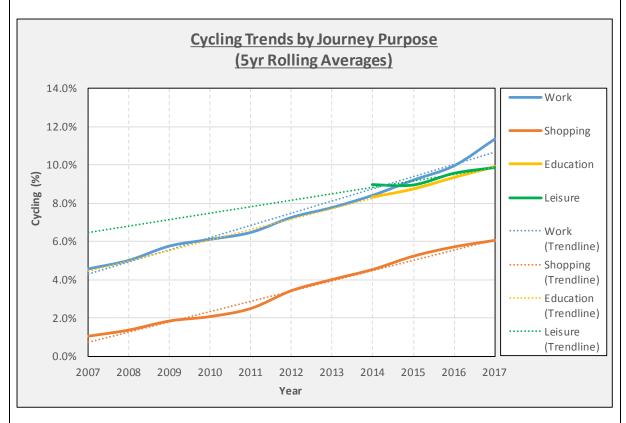
this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger	
Local Percentage of people cycling (all journeys)	An annual increase of journeys made by bike for each journey purpose: 1) Work = 10.6% (2014) 2) Education = 9.5% (2014) 3) Shopping (City Centre) = 5.9% (2014) 4) Shopping (Other) = 5.7% (2014) 5) Leisure = 10.1% (2014)		Failure to achieve an annual increase for each journey purpose for two or more consecutive years	
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 20		Performan	ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to	
1) Work: 2014 = 10.6% 2015 = 10.0% (\$\frac{1}{2}\$) 2016 = 11.3% (\$\frac{1}{2}\$) 2) Education: 2014 = 9.5% 2015 = 8.9% (\$\frac{1}{2}\$) 3) Shopping (City Centre): 2014 = 5.9% 2015 = 5.9% (\$\frac{1}{2}\$) 4) Shopping (Other): 2014 = 5.7% 2015 = 5.3% (\$\frac{1}{2}\$) 4) Shopping (Other): 2014 = 5.7% 2015 = 5.3% (\$\frac{1}{2}\$) 5) Leisure: 2014 = 10.1% 2015 = 9.6% (\$\frac{1}{2}\$)	1) Work: 2016 = 1 2017 = 1 2) Educa 2016 = 9 2017 = 1 3) Shopp 2016 = 6 2017 = 7 4) Shopp 2016 = 6 2017 = 6 5) Leisui 2016 = 1		31 st March 2018 Fork: $6 = 11.3\%$ $7 = 16.5\%$ (†) ducation: $6 = 9.6\%$ $7 = 12.8\%$ (†) hopping (City Centre): $6 = 6.6\%$ $7 = 7.8\%$ (†) hopping (Other): $6 = 6.0\%$ $7 = 6.6\%$ (†)	

Analysis

The above demonstrates significant growth in the proportion cycling for each of the journey purposes.

However, given that result can be variable year-on-year as discuss previously, the overall trend in cycling is presented by the historic 5yr rolling average for each journey purpose as plotted below –

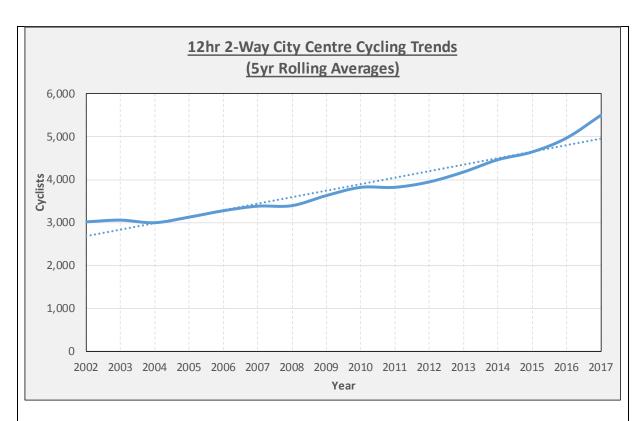


The above confirms an overall trend of increasing numbers cycling for all the journey purposes, with cycling to Work in particular having experienced significant growth in the past year (+5.2% mode-shift). Similarly, cycling to Education has also seen a significant growth in the past year (+3.2% mode-shift).

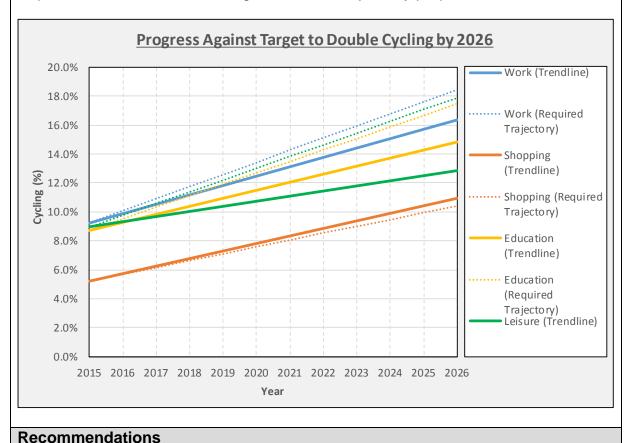
The rising trend for cycling to Education is also reflected in the results of the annual 'Cardiff Schools Hands-up Survey', whereby it is shown that the proportion of pupils cycling to school has increased from 3.9% in 2016 to 4.6% in 2017.

As further evidence of the increases in levels of cycle use, the 5yr rolling average trends for daily number of cyclists crossing the City Centre cordon (12hr 2-way), based on Council classified counts) are provided below.

This demonstrates that between 2002 and 2017, the number of cyclists in the City Centre has increased by around 82%, which corresponds to an average relative increase of around 6% per annum.



The results also show that Cardiff is on target to achieve its ambitious aspiration to double the numbers cycling for Shopping journeys, but that further efforts will be required in order to meet the target for the other journey purposes, as shown below -



No action is required at present. Continue to monitor.

Topic Area: Percentage of People Travelling by Bus

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP6, KP8, T1-T9

Indicator reference: OB1 EC17

Contextual Changes: The previous Cardiff Bus Station closed in August 2015, and is to be replaced as part of a new Integrated Transport Hub, with Transport for Wales responsible for its delivery and ultimate operation as part of the Metro. There have been ongoing reductions in bus subsidies, leading to a decline in service frequency on some services, in particular a reduction in service provision during evenings and on Sundays. Cardiff Bus increased its fares from October 2017 for the first time since 2015, citing the reason for this being 'increased congestion' and 'rising running costs'. There has been increased competition from other operators, also with the expansion of cross-city services such as the introduction of services X8 and X45 in March 2017. Further contextual changes are discussed in OB1 EC21.

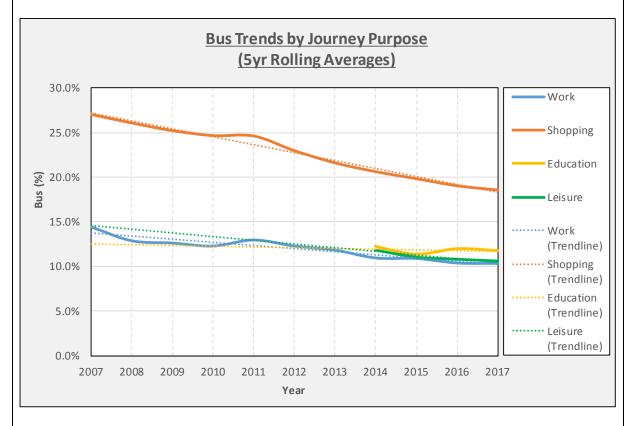
Indicator	Target		Trigger
Local Percentage of people travelling by bus (all journeys)	An annual increase of journeys made by bus for each journey purpose: 1) Work = 11.1% (2014) 2) Education = 13% (2014) 3) Shopping (City Centre) = 29.4% (2014) 4) Shopping (Other) = 8.6% (2014) 5) Leisure = 11.2 (2014)		Failure to achieve an annual increase for each journey purpose for two or more consecutive years
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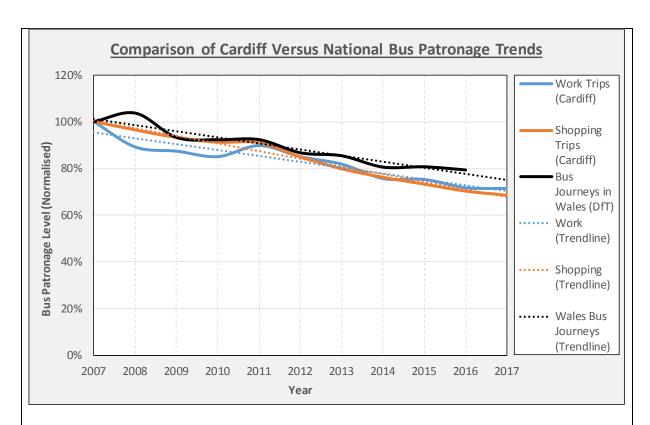
Analysis

The above demonstrates the failure to achieve an increase in the proportion of bus use for all journey purposes, with journeys to Work, Shopping (City Centre) and Leisure in particular, having shown a decrease in two consecutive years as per the monitoring trigger.

The above decline in bus use for each journey purpose, is evident when looking at the overall trend as per the historic 5yr rolling averages plotted below –



Nevertheless, this decline is not specific to Cardiff, and is symptomatic of a nationwide decline in bus use, as evident when comparing the above data for Cardiff, with that for the number of journeys in Wales, which shows a remarkably similar pattern of decline.



Some of the key factors in influencing the choice to travel by bus are – frequency, journey times and reliability (as discussed in OB1 EC19-20) particularly in the face of increasing congestion, and fares when compared with fuel prices.

Because of having met the trigger this year, further consideration is required as to why this may be, therefore...

Of note, Cardiff Bus increased its fares from October 2017 for the first time since 2015, citing the reason for this being 'increased congestion' in the City, together with 'rising running costs'.

This in combination with the lack of a replacement central bus station, may have had a significant detrimental impact on the numbers travelling by bus.

Of further note, when comparing the responses received between 2017 and 2016 with regards what improvements residents would like to see to buses in Cardiff, there appears to be an increased dissatisfaction and a growing desire to make improvements, as evident below –

Respondents very/fairly satisfied:	2016	2017	Change
Provision of Real-Time Information	50%	39%	-11%
Bus Service Reliability	55%	44%	-11%
Condition of Bus Stops/Shelters	56%	48%	-8%
Bus Service Frequency	57%	49%	-8%
Provision of PT Information	55%	43%	-12%
Bus Service Overall	57%	45%	-12%

Improvements residents would like to see:	2016	2017
Improved bus service frequency and reliability	32%	48%
Reduced congestion	51%	64%
Enforcement of traffic using bus lanes illegally	21%	28%
Integrated ticketing	40%	54%
Improved City Centre transport interchange	49%	57%

The above results also mask a stark difference in views between users and non-users, with typically around a 60% level of satisfaction amongst users, compared with only 30% amongst non-users. The 2017 results comparing both are provided below

Respondents very/fairly satisfied:	Users	Non-users	Overall
Provision of Real-Time Information	68%	29%	39%
Bus Service Reliability	54%	27%	44%
Condition of Bus Stops/Shelters	63%	29%	48%
Bus Service Frequency	56%	35%	49%
Provision of PT Information	55%	27%	43%
Bus Service Overall	59%	24%	45%

This large disparity in level of satisfaction, suggests the negative perception amongst non-users as being a major barrier to encouraging mode-shift to bus amongst this group, and highlights the need for significant future investment in bus improvements.

Comparing relative satisfaction between the users of the main bus operators in Cardiff, as reported in the 'Bus Passenger Survey 2018' by Passenger Focus, we have the following -

Satisfaction by Operator:	Value for Money	Punctuality	Journey Times	Overall
Cardiff Bus	65%	76%	85%	89%
New Adventure	-	79%	93%	89%
Newport Bus	68%	72%	79%	87%
Stagecoach	62%	73%	86%	90%

The above demonstrates that user satisfaction is fairly high with New Adventure Travel in particular, which may be as a result of their recent expansion of services across Cardiff in the last year.

Recommendations

Continue to monitor, with the expectation that when the Integrated Transport Hub has been completed, and with investment as part of the Metro and through developer contributions, that the decline in bus use may be able to begun to be reversed.

Topic Area: Percentage of People Travelling by Train

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP6, KP8, T1-T9

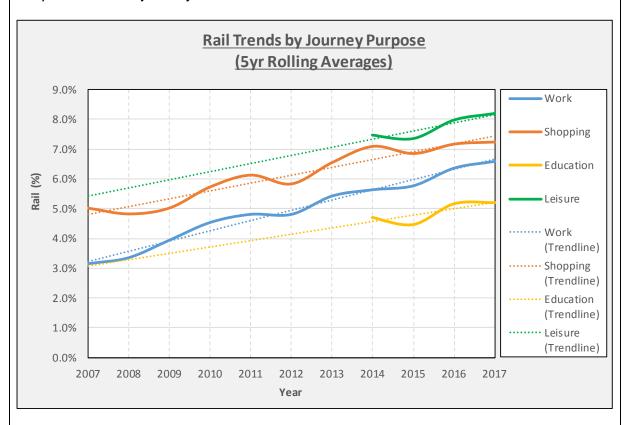
Indicator reference: OB1 EC18

Contextual Changes: A contract to operate the Wales and Borders franchise and to progress the Metro between 2018 and 2033, was awarded by Transport for Wales to partnership KeolisAmey in May 2017, although responsibilities for this will not be transferred over from Arriva Trains Wales until the 14th of October 2018.

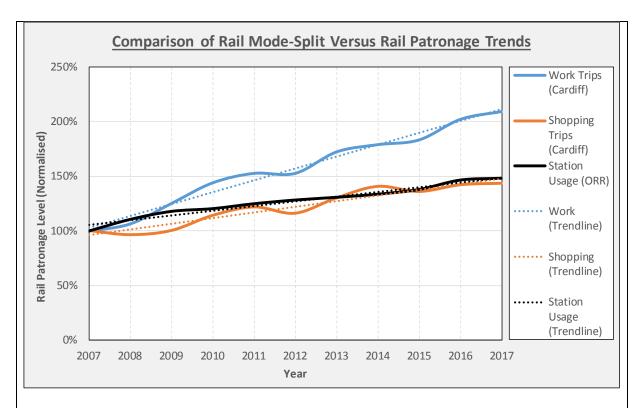
Indicator	Target		Trigger
Local Percentage of people travelling by train (all journeys)	An annual increase of journeys made by train for each journey purpose: 1) Work = 5.8% (2014) 2) Education = 5.2% (2014) 3) Shopping (City Centre) = 10.6% (2014) 4) Shopping (Other) = 3.8% (2014) 5) Leisure = 8.7% (2014)		Failure to achieve an annual increase for each journey purpose for two or more consecutive years
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
1) Work: 2014 = 5.8% 2015 = 6.0% (↑) 2016 = 7.6% (↑) 2) Education: 2014 = 5.2% 2015 = 4.8% (↓) 2016 = 5.6% (↑) 3) Shopping (City Centre): 2014 = 10.6% 2015 = 10.1% (↓) 2016 = 11.3% (↑) 4) Shopping (Other): 2014 = 3.8% 2015 = 3.0% (↓) 2016 = 4.4% (↑) 5) Leisure: 2014 = 8.7% 2015 = 7.5% (↓) 2016 = 8.8% (↑)		1) Work: 2016 = 7.6% 2017 = 6.8% 2) Education 2016 = 5.6% 2017 = 5.2% 3) Shopping 2016 = 11.3 2017 = 11.0 4) Shopping 2016 = 4.4% 2017 = 2.7% 5) Leisure: 2016 = 8.8% 2017 = 8.3%	(a) (↓) (b) (c) (↓) (City Centre): % (c) (↓) (Other): (c) (↓)

Analysis

While the above demonstrates a decline from last year in the proportion of rail travel for each of the journey purposes; looking at the overall trend in rail as presented by the historic 5yr rolling averages below, it is evident that the general trajectory for rail is upwards for all journeys –



Setting the above trends in context with station usage in Cardiff as reported each year by the ORR, as given below; it can be seen that the trend in Shopping trips closely tracks that of the overall growth in station patronage (having increased by around 50% between 2007 and 2017), while Work trips appear to have increased at a far higher rate (more than doubled since 2007) –



As with travel by bus, there is an increasing desire for improvements to be made to rail, as evident in the results of the Ask Cardiff Survey below –

Improvements residents would like to see:	2016	2017
Improved local train services	32%	47%
Improved national train services	25%	33%

Looking further at public perceptions of rail travel, the 'National Rail Passenger Survey 2018' (Passenger Focus) enables the following comparison of user satisfaction for the rail operators in Cardiff to be made –

Satisfaction by Operator:	Value for Money	Punctual/ Reliability	Level of Crowding	Stations	Delays	Overall
Arriva TW	2016 = 57%	2016 = 81%	2016 = 72%	2016 = 76%	2016 = 38%	2016 = 84%
	2017 = 55%	2017 = 80%	2017 = 70%	2017 = 74%	2017 = 34%	2017 = 82%
Cross	2016 = 55%	2016 = 86%	2016 = 72%	2016 = 89%	2016 = 60%	2016 = 88%
Country	2017 = 50%	2017 = 83%	2017 = 67%	2017 = 86%	2017 = 45%	2017 = 86%
Great	2016 = 53%	2016 = 76%	2016 = 71%	2016 = 83%	2016 = 46%	2016 = 81%
Western	2017 = 50%	2017 = 70%	2017 = 72%	2017 = 81%	2017 = 44%	2017 = 81%

The above shows a general decline in user satisfaction over the last year, with satisfaction levels being particularly low with regard to value for money and how well companies deal with delays.

Also of note, the ability of Cardiff residents to use the trains on the Valley Lines is limited by those travelling into Cardiff from the region, as inbound trains typically arrive

at Cardiff's outlying stations already standing room only during the morning peak period.

For example, seated capacity compared with level of utilisation was surveyed in November 2017, and is presented for each of Cardiff's outlying stations for the 2hr AM Peak (07:30-09:30) travelling inbound, below –

Station:	Total Seated Capacity	Total Patronage on Arrival	Capacity Utilisation
Radyr (Merthyr Line)	2,160	2,245	104%
Lisvane & Thornhill (Rhymney Line)	1,514	1,566	103%
Grangetown (Vale of Glamorgan Line)	1,182	1,281	108%

The expectation being that additional capacity will begin to become available as part of the new Wales and Borders franchise and under proposals for the Metro.

Recommendations

No action is required at present. Continue to monitor. If however the target increase is also failed to be achieved for the following year, then this shall trigger the need for more in-depth analysis to be undertaken.

Topic Area: Improvement in Journey Times by Bus

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP6, KP8, T1-T9

Indicator reference: OB1 EC19

Contextual Changes: The Council currently do not have access to bus monitoring data held by Cardiff Bus, and are therefore not able to determine bus journey times and reliability directly. Therefore, the level of bus user satisfaction of journey times and reliability as recorded in the Ask Cardiff Survey, will once again be used as a proxy, until such time that the required monitoring tools become available. Further contextual changes relating to bus use are defined in OB1 EC17.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Local Improvement in journey times by bus	An annual 1 percent improvement in journey times for key corridors (North West Corridor, North East Corridor, Eastern Corridor and		Failure to achieve an annual improvement in bus journey times of 1% for two or more consecutive years
	Southern Corridor) from adoption of the Local Development Plan		
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
Public Satisfaction Regarding Bus Journey Times (Ask Cardiff Survey):			faction Regarding Bus les (Ask Cardiff Survey):
2015 = 59.8% 2016 = 62.6% Change = +2.7%		2016 = 62.6 2016 = 52.1 Change = -1	%

Analysis

There has been a large decrease in satisfaction over the last year, not only with regards bus journey times, but more generally with bus services overall. The results and potential reasons for which are provided for OB1 EC17.

A breakdown of the satisfaction in bus journey times is given below –

	2016	2017	
Very Satisfied	557	439	
Fairly Satisfied	1,661	1,711	
All Respondents	3,545	4,129	
TOTAL Satisfied	2,218	2,150	Change
TOTAL Satisfied (%)	62.6%	52.1%	-10.5%

From the 'Bus Passenger Survey 2018' (Passenger Focus), the proportion of bus journeys in Wales affected by various factors, and the extent this varies between operators, is provided below –

Factor:	Journeys Affected
Congestion	13% - 27%
Passengers Boarding	10% - 16%
Road Works	11% - 16%
Waiting at Stops	3% - 5%
Poor Weather	4% - 6%
Driving Too Slowly	4%

As can be seen above, the most significant factor, and likely reason for the decline in bus journey time satisfaction is increased congestion on Cardiff's network.

In exploring this further, annual measures of congestion in Cardiff are provided by INRX with their 'Traffic Scorecard', and by TomTom with their 'Traffic Index'.

While the results from these are very different, nevertheless these demonstrate that congestion in Cardiff has increased between 2016 and 2017, with congestion claimed to add an additional 27% time to journeys overall in 2017, compared with 26% in 2016 (TomTom Traffic Index); and the average hours spent in congestion in 2017 also having increased from the year before (INRX Traffic Scorecard).

The current level of congestion in Cardiff according to these is as follows -

- Cardiff UK Congestion Ranking = 33rd of 111 (INRX) / 15th of 25 (TomTom)
- Cardiff EU Congestion Ranking = 221st of 748 (INRX)
- Cardiff Global Congestion Ranking = 347th of 1,360 (INRX)
- Minutes spent Each Day in Congestion = 31 (TomTom)
- Hours spent Each Year in Congestion = 119 (TomTom)
- Peak Hours spent in Congestion Each Year = 23 (INRX)
- Peak Time spent in Congestion = 14% (INRX) / 51% (TomTom)
- Off-Peak Time spent in Congestion = 8% (INRX)
- Time Overall spent in Congestion = 10% (INRX) / 27% (TomTom)

The TomTom Traffic Index also highlights key corridors which are the most congested in Cardiff. Those of most concern with regards to bus journey times/reliability are as follows –

- A470 Northern Avenue and North Road
- A4161 Newport Road
- A4119 Cardiff Road and Cathedral Road
- A48 Eastern Avenue and Western Avenue
- A469 Caerphilly Road

Whilst various bus priority has been provided along each of these corridors in recent years (further detail provided in OB1 EC22), it is clear that additional priority is

required for these and for other key bus corridors across Cardiff, such that buses can bypass queuing traffic, which in turn should encourage modal-shift towards increasing bus use.

Recommendations

No action is required at present. Continue to monitor. If however the target 1% increase is also failed to be achieved for the following year, then this shall trigger the need for more in-depth analysis to be undertaken.

Topic Area: Improvement in Bus Journey Time Reliability

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP6, KP8, T1-T9

Indicator reference: OB1 EC20

Contextual Changes: The Council currently do not have access to bus monitoring data held by Cardiff Bus, and are therefore not able to determine bus journey times and reliability directly. Therefore, the level of bus user satisfaction of journey times and reliability as recorded in the Ask Cardiff Survey, will once again be used as a proxy, until such time that the required monitoring tools become available. Further contextual changes relating to bus use are defined in OB1 EC17 and EC21.

Indicator	Target		Trigger	
Local Improvement in bus journey time reliability	improvement in journey time reliability for key corridors (North West		Failure to achieve an annual improvement in bus journey time reliability of 1% for two or more consecutive years	
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•	Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018		
Public Satisfaction Regardi Journey Time Reliability (A Survey):		Journey Tim Survey):	faction Regarding Bus ne Reliability (Ask Cardiff	
2015 = 50.4% 2016 = 55.2% Change = +4.8%		2016 = 55.2 2017 = 43.9 Change = -1	%	

Analysis

There has been a large decrease in satisfaction over the last year, not only with regards bus journey time reliability, but more generally with bus services overall. The results and potential reasons for which are provided for OB1 EC17.

A breakdown of the satisfaction in bus journey times is given below –

	2016	2017	
Very Satisfied	412	306	
Fairly Satisfied	1,544	1,506	
All Respondents	3,545	4,128	
TOTAL Satisfied	1,956	1,812	Change
TOTAL Satisfied (%)	55.2%	43.9%	-11.3%

The reason for the above decline is likely to be as a result of decreasing bus journey time reliability due to increased congestion on Cardiff's network, as demonstrated in the discussion for OB1 EC19.

Similarly, the solution is to provide additional priority (e.g. bus lanes, bus gates, signal priority etc.) for buses across Cardiff, such that these can bypass queuing traffic, and thereby encourage modal-shift towards increasing bus use.

Recommendations

No action is required at present. Continue to monitor. If however the target 1% increase is also failed to be achieved for the following year, then this shall trigger the need for more in-depth analysis to be undertaken.

Topic Area: Delivery of Regional Transport Hub

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP6, KP8, T4

Indicator reference: OB1 EC21

Contextual Changes: Demolition of the previous bus station began on the 1st of August 2015, followed by redevelopment of Central Square by developer Rightacres. Planning approval for the new Integrated Transport Hub was granted in March 2017, with completion anticipated in December 2017. However, delivery of the hub has been subject to a number of key funding challenges since then, as set out in the Report to Cabinet on 27/07/17 – Agenda Item 10 "Funding the New Bus Transport Interchange". However, responsibility for delivery and ultimate operation of the new hub has now been transferred to Transport for Wales (TfW), as being part of the Metro Delivery Partnership (MDP).

Indicator	Target		Trigger	
Local Delivery of a regional transport hub			Failure to deliver a regional transport hub by 2018	
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 20	Performance 1st AMR 1st April 2016 to		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
Progress behind schedule, funding difficulties		Progress behind schedule; responsibilit for delivery and operation now with TfW as part of the Metro; completion now		

Analysis

The new Integrated Transport Hub/Interchange forms part of the wider Central Square redevelopment, which includes the new BBC Cymru Wales HQ (1,200 staff), which is currently in the process of being fitted out.

anticipated 2020/2021.

Responsibility for delivery and operation of the new hub now falls with Transport for Wales (TfW), to be progressed as part of the Metro Delivery Partnership (MDP), with completion currently anticipated for 2020/2021.

The current proposal for the new hub include – 14 bus stands based on a drive-in-reverse-out (DIRO) arrangement; a 1,200 sqm. ground-floor concourse comprising of 6 retail units and public toilets; and above the interchange – 10,318 sqm. of office space, 305 residential apartments, 249 private car parking spaces, and 144 bicycle parking spaces.

Funding allocated for the above elements is as follows – bus station = £20 million, residential apartments = £60 million, and office space = £20 million.

Recommendations

No action is required at present. Continue to monitor.

Topic Area: Delivery of Sustainable Transportation Infrastructure

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP6, KP8, T1-T9

Indicator reference: OB1 EC22

Contextual Changes: Lack of available funding and engagement by developers in general, continue to be significant constraints to the delivery of LTP schemes, and in securing the sustainable infrastructure necessary to support modal shift and the delivery of the Master-planning principles set out in the LDP.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Local Delivery of new sustainable transportation infrastructure including: Rapid Bus Corridors, Cycle Network, Transport Hubs and LTP schemes to mitigate development impacts and support modal shift	To prepare & implement a range of sustainable transport schemes including schemes identified in the Cardiff LTP which support modal shift and the delivery of the Master-planning principles set out in the LDP		Failure to deliver projects identified in LTP timeframes and/or failure to deliver sustainable key principles as referenced in OB4 SN12
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
Schemes Completed = 3 (9	,	Schemes Completed = 9 (17%)	
Schemes On-Going = 15 (47%) Schemes On-hold = 14 (44%)		Schemes On-Going = 27 (52%) Schemes On-hold = 16 (31%)	
TOTAL Schemes = 32	- 70)	TOTAL Sch	· /

Analysis

Not all schemes have been able to be delivered within the timeframes originally set out, due to a lack of funding and resources, together with shifting priorities.

Nevertheless, good progress has continued to be made, with an additional 6 schemes having been delivered since reporting the 1st AMR.

Progress against LTP and LDP identified sustainable transport infrastructure schemes for the period 2015-2018, are summarised below:

Timeframe	Туре	Scheme	Completed?	Commentary
2015-2016	Strategic Highway	Eastern Bay Link - Phase 1: A4232 Queensgate to Ocean Way	YES	Opened on 15/06/17 as 'Ffordd Ewart Parkinson'. 1- Year post scheme monitoring currently under review
2015-2016	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	North Cardiff Community Route (NCCR) - Phase 4	On-hold	Route is identified as a secondary Integrated Network Map route

2015-2016	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 1 - Heath Halt Road	On-going	To be provided as part of the North-South Superhighway; concept
				designs completed
2015-2016	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 1 - King George V Drive East	On-going	To be provided as part of the North-South Superhighway; concept designs completed
2015-2016	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 5 (Penarth Road Corridor) - Phase 2	YES	Scheme completed in 2015
2015-2016	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 50 (Wood St- Leckwith Rd)	YES	Scheme completed in 2015
2015-2016	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 6 - Cowbridge Rd East/West	On-going	Cowbridge Road East Toucan completed in 2016; Ely River Bridge completed in 2017; WCAT design on- going
2015-2016	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	WNP Llanrumney, St Mellos and Ely & Caerau - Phase 1	YES	Phase 1 completed in 2015/2016; Phase 2 completed in 2016/2017; Phase 3 completed in 2017/2018
2015-2016	Rail Improvements	Access Improvements to Danescourt, Waun-Gron Park & Fairwater Stations	On-going	Responsibility for delivery transferred to TfW as part of the Metro
2015-2016	Rapid Bus Corridors	A469 Phase 1: St Georges Road to Birchgrove Road	On-hold	Subject to funding
2015-2016	Rapid Bus Corridors	A470 Phase 1: Coryton to Gabalfa	On-hold	Subject to funding
2015-2017	Multi-Modal	Newport Road / West Grove Junction Improvements	YES	Phase 1: East Grove/Howard Place = completed 05/05/16; Phase 2a: West Grove/The Parade = completed 25/08/16; Phase 2b: Newport Road/West Grove = completed 14/03/17; Phase 3: Newport Road/Fitzalan Road = completed 22/11/1717
2015-	Rail Improvements	Electrification of South Wales Mainline	On-going	Bridge works completed - Beresford Road (July 2016- February 2017); Splott Road (February 2017-February 2018); Mardy Road (March 2017-April 2018). Expected to be delivered in 2019
2015-	Rail Improvements	Electrification of Valleys Lines	On-going	Responsibility for delivery transferred to TfW as part of the Metro

2015-	Rail	Other CCC-Led	On-going	Responsibility for delivery
	Improvements	Station Improvements as specified in the LDP Infrastructure Plan		transferred to TfW as part of the Metro
2015-	Transport Hubs	Park & Ride North of M4 J33	On-going	1,000-space P&R to be delivered as part of SSD; timeline to be agreed
2016-2017	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 3 (Newport-Cardiff) - Phase 1	On-going	Segregated cycle route on Newport Rd to be provided as part of East-West Superhighway - Newport Road concept completed; Greenway Rd identified as secondary Integrated Network Map route
2016-2017	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 34 - Bute Dock Footway Shared Use	On-hold	Route is identified as a secondary Integrated Network Map route scheme 119
2016-2017	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 34 - Bute East Dock- Hemingway Rd	On-hold	Route is identified as a secondary Integrated Network Map route scheme 120
2016-2017	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 34 - Connection to Route 3	On-hold	Route is identified as a secondary Integrated Network Map route
2016-2017	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 34 - Sanquahar/ Windsor Rd	On-hold	New crossing has been implemented; route is identified as a secondary Integrated Network Map route
2016-2017	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 34 - Tyndall St/Schooner Way)	On-hold	Route is identified as a secondary Integrated Network Map route scheme 138a
2016-2017	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 50 (Leckwith) - Phase 2	On-hold	Route is identified as a secondary Integrated Network Map route
2016-2017	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 6 - Ely Bridge Roundabout	On-going	Cowbridge Road East Toucan completed in 2016; Ely River Bridge completed in 2017; WCAT design on- going
2016-2017	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	WNP Splott, Grangetown and Llandaff North - Phase 1	On-hold	WNP superseded by Integrated Network Map; SRiC has been implemented in area.
2016-2017	Rail Improvements	Access Improvements to Radyr, Ty-Glas & Birchgrove Stations	On-going	Responsibility for delivery transferred to TfW as part of the Metro
2016-2017	Rapid Bus Corridors	A469 Phase 2: Birchgrove Road	YES	Delivered in 2016/2017

		to Maes-y-Coed Road		
2016-	Rail Improvements	WG Metro Station Improvements: Llandaf Station	YES	Works completed in 2017
2016-	Rail Improvements	WG Metro Station Improvements: Radyr Station	YES	Works completed in 2017
2016-	Rapid Bus Corridors	A469 Phase 3 (previous Phase 2): North of Maes- y-Coed Road	On-hold	Consultation complete; awaiting funding
2016-	Rapid Bus Corridors	A470 Phase 2: Gabalfa/Heath Hospital to City Centre	On-going	Reviewing in light of City Centre improvements
2016-	Rapid Bus Corridors	City Centre Improvements: Bus Lanes, Bus Gates & Bus Priority	On-going	Central Square: concept designs complete, consultation on-going; Westgate Street: Stage 1 WelTAG & concept designs complete; Station Terrace: Stage 1 WelTAG & concept designs complete
2016-	Rapid Bus Corridors	Part-time Bus Lanes on Strategic Routes	On-hold	Has not yet been required but may be needed where there is conflict with parking requirements
2016-	Multi-Modal	City Centre Improvements: Junction Improvements	On-going	Central Square: concept designs complete, consultation on-going; Westgate Street: Stage 1 WelTAG & concept designs complete; Station Terrace: Stage 1 WelTAG & concept designs complete
2017-2018	Rail Improvements	Access Improvements to Heath High Level, Rhiwbina, Coryton & Whitchurch Stations	On-going	Responsibility for delivery transferred to TfW as part of the Metro
2017-2018	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 3 (Newport-Cardiff) - Phase 2	On-going	Scheme has been superseded by Cycle Superhighway scheme. Initial concept designs complete
2017-2018	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 6 - Grand Avenue	On-going	Currently under investigation
2017-2018	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 6 - Cowbridge Rd West/Vincent Rd	On-going	Concept designs currently being progressed
2017-2018	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 80 - Excelsior Road, Taff Trail	On-going	Initial concept designs have been progressed, further design work required

2017-2018	Cycle Networks /	Strategic Cycle Network Route 9 -	YES	Scheme completed
	Active Travel	North Road between Gabalfa & St Georges Rd		
2017-2018	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 9 - Pantbach Road	On-hold	No progress to-date
2017-2018	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 9 - Footbridge over Western Av with Gabalfa Int.	On-hold	No progress to-date
2017-2018	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 3 - Newport Road/Rover Way	On-going	Scheme has been superseded by Cycle Superhighway scheme. Initial concept designs complete
2017-2018	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 3 - Newport Road, East of Rover Way	On-going	Scheme has been superseded by Cycle Superhighway scheme. Initial concept designs complete
2017-2018	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 3 - Newport Road, near 'Carpet Right'	On-going	Scheme has been superseded by Cycle Superhighway scheme. Initial concept designs complete
2017-2018	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	Strategic Cycle Network Route 3 - Newport Road Bus Stop, o's No. 302	On-going	Scheme has been superseded by Cycle Superhighway scheme. Initial concept designs complete
2017-2018	Multi-Modal	New Road Bus Lane & Cycle Improvements	On-hold	No progress to-date
2017-2018	Rapid Bus Corridors	A48 Eastern Avenue Bus Lane Improvements	On-hold	Subject to funding
2017-2018	Rapid Bus Corridors	Cardiff Bay Barrage Link	On-going	Structural surveys completed; shortly to go out to consultation (Vale of Glamorgan Council)
2017-2018	Cycle Networks / Active Travel	WNP Llanishen & Pentwyn - Phase 1 + Llanrumney - Phase 2	On-going	WNP superseded by Integrated Network Map; viewing in light of NE Cardiff development
2017-	Rapid Bus Corridors	North East Corridor Bus Lane & Priority Improvements	On-going	Options identified
2017-	Rapid Bus Corridors	A4119 Llantrisant Road North West Corridor Phase 2	On-going	Phase 2A completed in 2017; Phase 2B completed in June 2018; Phase 2Cshortly to go out to consultation

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No action is required at present. Continue to monitor.

Topic Area: Central Shopping Area Protect Frontages SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: R3

Indicator reference: OB1 EC23

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant changes relating to this policy

area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Central Shopping Area Protected Frontages SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 12 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017		Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
The Central Shopping Area Protected Frontages SPG is due to be issued for public consultation in March 2018.		the delivera	will be undertaken to assess ability or otherwise of SPG and if so, the appropriate

Analysis

At the current juncture, the need to prepare this guidance will be more fully assessed as the existing policy framework is considered sufficient and appropriate. Further work will be undertaken to assess the deliverability or otherwise of SPG preparation, and if so, the appropriate timescale.

Recommendations

No action is required at present. Continue to monitor.

Topic Area: Shop Fronts and Signs Guidance SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: KP5

Indicator reference: OB1 EC24

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Shop Fronts and Signs Guidance SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017		Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
The Shop Fronts and Signs Guidance SPG is due to be issued for public consultation in November 2017.		A draft of the Shop Fronts and Signs SPG has been prepared and is currently being reviewed / finalised internally prior to being issued for public consultation	
Analysis			

The Council adopted the LDP on the 28th of January 2016. The intention was that the SPG should have been adopted by the end of July 2017.

However, progress on the document has been delayed due to the extensive additional technical work and internal consultation which has been required in preparing the guidance, in combination with limitations of workloads and staffing capacity.

Preparatory work on the SPG is now at an advanced stage and is being reviewed/finalised internally prior to be issued for public consultation. An update on this will be provided in 3rd AMR in 2019.

Recommendations

Prioritise resources to the delivery of the SPG as per the above timescales, to ensure adoption in 2019.

Topic Area: Protection of Employment Land and Premises SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: EC1, EC3

Indicator reference: OB1 EC25

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Protection of Employment Land and Premises for Business and Industry and Warehousing SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017		Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
The Protection of Employment Land and Premises for Business and Industry and Warehousing SPG was issued for public consultation in June 2017 and is due to be considered by Cabinet and Council for approval in October 2017		The Protection of Employment Land for Business and Industry SPG was approved in November 2017	

The SPG was approved by Council on 30th November 2017 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.

Recommendations

No action is required.

Objective 2 – To respond to evidenced social needs

Topic Area: Housing Land Supply

Relevant LDP Policies: KP1

Indicator reference: OB2 SO1

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
CORE The housing land supply taken from the current Housing Land Availability Study (TAN1)	A minimum 5 year supply of land for residential development is maintained throughout the Plan period.		Less than a 5 year supply of residential land is recorded for any year.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017		Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
The housing land supply taken from the current Joint Housing Land Availability Study (1st April 2017) is 3.6 years.		The housing land supply taken from the current Joint Housing Land Availability Study (1st April 2018) is 3.5 years.	
Analysis			

Analysis

TAN1/Residual Methodology

It is important to stress that the Council believes that in reality more land is potentially available for development than the figure derived through the rigid residual methodology prescribed in TAN1 which is solely based on the LDP housing figure as opposed to taking account of past build rates. In this respect, it should be noted that the current land bank (sites over 10 units) is 24,936 dwellings which compares to 10,839 dwellings which meet the requirements of the JHLAS reporting process. Much land, while physically available in Cardiff is not eligible for inclusion in the 5-year calculation. This includes sites subject to the signing of a s106 agreement (214 units) or sites with consent categorised as constrained in the C3/C4 categories (13,883 units). These categories are not eligible to be counted in the JHLAS, but could add considerably (around 4.2 years' worth of land) to the official 3.5 year supply.

While no longer permitted, TAN1 previously allowed comparison of the current land supply with past building rates. The past build rate methodology was introduced in 1992 by PPG3 (Wales) to address instances where the residual calculation does not accurately reflect supply. Comparison with both the previous 10-year past building rate and 5-year building rate provide land supply figures for Cardiff of 14.5 years and

¹ Where a Section 106 agreement remains unsigned for more than one year after the date of the resolution to grant planning permission

15.9 years, respectively. Whilst it is accepted that these build periods may reflect the effects of recession it nevertheless offers a useful perspective.

Students

Historically, private student accommodation was eligible for inclusion in Cardiff's 5year land supply. This was established practice since students living in private student accommodation are included in the dwelling requirement which underlies the development plan. This form of accommodation also reduces pressure on the traditional private rented sector thereby contributing to overall stock. Revised TAN1 guidance (January 2015) introduced a condition that only dwellings within the C3 Use Class Order definition can be counted towards the supply. This restricts student accommodation from the JHLAS which is considered Sui Generis rather than C3. This sector has provided an important source of accommodation in Cardiff over the past 15 years and has more recently experienced a boom. To provide an indication of scale, approximately 480 student units were eligible to be included in Cardiff's 5-year supply in the 2014 JHLAS. Between 1st April 2014 and 1st April 2016 a further 1,699 additional units (2,975 bed spaces) were approved. Typically, these schemes have been built readily without experiencing the delays affecting traditional residential schemes. Current evidence shows the further strength of the student accommodation market in Cardiff.

Revised TAN1 came into effect after Cardiff's LDP had been submitted for Examination and this change of Policy had not been anticipated since it did not form part of the consultation proposals. As such, household projections within the adopted LDP, and the subsequent dwelling requirement (41,415) take into account the requirements of students living in private accommodation but new student accommodation cannot technically contribute to the supply. This issue was acknowledged by Inspectors during the LDP Examination, reported in paragraphs 4.18 & 4.19 of the Inspectors' Report. Future work will be required to address this matter of reconciling student demand and supply ahead of the Plan review process.

Short-term Delays on Strategic Sites

For the current JHLAS period (2019-2023) completion forecasts amounted to a combined contribution of 7,835 units on strategic sites. A further 4,026 units were anticipated to be completed prior to the Study, between 2015 and 2018. During this year's JHLAS process the Council has received revised forecasts for each strategic site representing a total contribution of 6,235 contribution over the period 2019-2023, resulting in a loss 1,600 units from the anticipated 5-year supply equivalent to approximately 0.5 years supply. Similarly, only 326 completions have taken place to date on strategic sites, a shortfall of 3,700 from anticipated completions over the period, representing 1.1 years. Under the residual method, any shortfall in anticipated completions is factored in to the calculation (residual requirement) thereby making it more difficult to achieve a 5-year supply.

Reasons for delays vary from site to site, but in general start dates have slipped post adoption. The Council considers that these delays are therefore at least partly responsible for the lack of a 5-year housing land supply in Cardiff, and that in reality Cardiff is not faced with a supply issue, but a delivery challenge where the development sector is not delivering the rates previously anticipated.

National Perspective

It should be noted that the lack of a 5-year supply in Cardiff is no exception when considered within the context of Wales as a whole; many LPAs have experienced similar land supply situations, post LDP adoption. In 2013, 2014 and 2015 respectively, 18 (72%) Welsh LPAs had less than 5-years' housing land supply. The situation has not improved over time, with 19 LPAs recording a sub 5-year land supply in 2016. Average land supply across Wales also fell during this period, from 4.3 years in 2013 to 2.5 years by 2016. The widespread difficulty in demonstrating a 5-year housing land supply across Welsh LPAs is recognised by Welsh Government who have conducted research into the issues surrounding delivery. While viability appears to be a key underlying factor throughout much of Wales, other primary factors are evident in Cardiff, as described above.

Conclusion

This Council has identified several underlying reasons which it believes may be significant in considering the latest housing land availability figure set out in the 2018 JHLAS. The Council consider these technical factors distort the reality of a much healthier supply of housing land which exists in practice with a key challenge being the ability of the housing sector to effectively deliver build rates promoted during the LDP examination process. Notwithstanding the recent disapplication of paragraph 6.2 of TAN1 these factors should be taken into account where attributing weight to the 5-year supply figure for the purpose of determining planning applications.

It is considered that the Council is being proactive in following the enabling approach set out by Welsh Government, and positive dialogue is taking place with the development sector to achieve mutual objectives of delivering a plan-led approach. Continuous review of new evidence through the AMR process will help to ensure the land supply situation remains closely monitored.

Recommendations

Whilst there is clearly a 'delivery lag' following LDP adoption, the Council is liaising successfully with landowners and developers with the aim of stimulating an enhanced trajectory of provision on Strategic Sites. It is considered that this proactive and enabling approach will secure enhanced delivery rates in future years and the matter will remain an on-going priority. Future AMR's will provide regular annual updates.

Topic Area: Number of General market Dwellings Built

Relevant LDP Policies: KP1

Indicator reference: OB2 SO2

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
CORE The number of net general market dwellings built	Provide 22,55 general market over the remarket period in account the cumulative targets set ou 2016: 2,495 2018: 4,096 2020: 4,153 2022: 4,042 2024: 4,010 2026: 3,759	et dwellings iining Plan ordance with e 2 year	Failure to deliver the required number of dwellings for each 2 year period.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017		Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
The total number of general dwellings built during 2014. The total number of general dwellings built during 2015. The combined total of general dwellings built by 1st April 2866.	al market /15 was 377. al market /16 was 489. eral market	The total number of the to	mber of general market ailt during 2016/7 was 547. mber of general market ailt during 2017/18 was 636. ed total of general market ailt by 1st April 2018 was
Analysis			

Analysis

This is now the second year the LDP has been operative and this is the second AMR to be prepared. The LDP is therefore still at an early stage in its lifetime and this year's AMR provides a short term comparison to the AMR produced in 2017.

There has been an increase in the number of general market dwellings when compared to the 2 year cumulative figure from 2016. The target was for 4,096 general market dwellings to be built by 1st April 2018 and just over half of this target was achieved at 2,049 dwellings having been constructed.

It is considered that good progress has been made since the adoption of the LDP in January 2016 with the majority of Strategic Sites having planning permission and a number are well under construction. However, there are also a range of factors which impact upon the rate at which dwellings are built – in part reflective of land ownership/legal technicalities between developers and landowners and also the complexity of securing planning consents and accompanying Section 106 Agreements which fully deliver the Council's aspirations as set out in the LDP.

Recommendations

It is not considered that the failure to deliver the required number of general market dwellings for each 2 year period would give cause for a review of the LDP. It is inevitable that there will be some 'delivery lag' following the adoption of the LDP and the rate of construction is increasing when compared to the previous 2 year cumulative total.

The Council is continuing to liase with landowners and developers with the aim of stimulating an enhanced trajectory of provision on Strategic Sites, as well as developing a variety of addition windfall brownfield sites. It is hoped that this proactive and enabling approach will, over time secure enhanced delivery rates in future years and the matter will remain an on-going priority. Future AMR's will provide regular annual updates and delivery rates will be carefully monitored.

Topic Area: Number of Affordable Dwellings Built

Relevant LDP Policies: KP1, KP2, KP4, KP13, H3

Indicator reference: OB2 S03

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger	
CORE	Provide 6,646 net		Failure to deliver	
The number of	affordable units		the required	
net additional	over the		number of	
affordable	remaining Pla	ın	dwellings for each	
dwellings built	period	11 1	2 year period.	
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	average of 22			
	of total housing	ıg		
	provision).			
	Expected deli			
	rate to meet t	he		
	target set out			
	below:			
	2016: 735			
	2018: 1,207			
	2020: 1,224			
	2022: 1,191			
	2024: 1,181			
	2026: 1,108			
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st	April 2016 to	Performand	ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to	
31 st March 2017		31 st March 2018		
The total number of afforda	•	The total number of affordable dwellings		
provided during 2014/15 w	provided during 2014/15 was 105.		provided during 2016/17 was 230.	
The total number of affordable dwellings		The total number of affordable dwellings		
provided during 2015/16 was 244.		provided du	ring 2017/18 was 194.	
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The combined total of affordable			ed total of affordable	
dwellings provided by 1st April 2016			ovided by 1 st April 2018 was	
was 349.	424.			
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This is now the second year the LDP has been operative and this is the second AMR to be prepared. The LDP is therefore still at an early stage in its lifetime and this year's AMR provides a short term comparison to the AMR produced in 2017.

There has been an increase in the number of affordable dwellings when compared to the 2 year cumulative figure from 2016. The target was for 1,207 affordable dwellings to be built by 1st April 2018 and over half of this target was achieved with 773 dwellings having been constructed.

It is considered that good progress has been made since the adoption of the LDP in January 2016 with the majority of Strategic Sites having planning permission and a number are well under construction. However, there are also a range of factors which impact upon the rate at which dwellings are built – in part reflective of land ownership/legal technicalities between developers and landowners and also the complexity of securing planning consents and accompanying Section 106 Agreements which fully deliver the Council's aspirations as set out in the LDP.

Recommendations

It is not considered that the failure to deliver the required number of general market dwellings for each 2 year period would give cause for a review of the LDP. It is inevitable that there will be some 'delivery lag' following the adoption of the LDP and the rate of construction is increasing when compared to the previous 2 year cumulative total.

The Council is continuing to liase with landowners and developers with the aim of stimulating an enhanced trajectory of provision on Strategic Sites, as well as developing a variety of addition windfall brownfield sites. It is hoped that this proactive and enabling approach will, over time secure enhanced delivery rates in future years and the matter will remain an on-going priority. Future AMR's will provide regular annual updates and delivery rates will be carefully monitored.

Topic Area: Annual Dwellings Completions

Relevant LDP Policies: KP1

Indicator reference: OB2 S04

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
CORE Annual dwelling completions (all dwellings)	Provide 29,20 dwellings ove remaining Plaperiod in accordance with cumulative year targets sout below: 2016: 3,230 2018: 5,303 2020: 5,377 2022: 5,233 2024: 5,191 2026: 4,866	r the in vith e 2	Failure to deliver the required number of dwellings for each 2 year period.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017		Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
The total number of all dwellings provided during 2014/15 was 482.		The total number of all dwellings provided during 2016/17 was 777	
The total number of all dwellings provided during 2015/16 was 733.		The total number of all dwellings provided during 2017/18 was 830	
The combined total by 1st April 2016 was 1,215.		The combined total by 1st April 2018 was 1,607.	
Analysis			

Analysis

This is now the second year the LDP has been operative and this is the second AMR to be prepared. The LDP is therefore still at an early stage in its lifetime and this year's AMR provides a short term comparison to the AMR produced in 2017.

There has been an increase in the total number of dwellings when compared to the 2 year cumulative figure from 2016. The target was for 5,503 affordable dwellings to be built by 1st April 2018 and over half of this target was achieved with 2,822 dwellings having been constructed.

It is considered that good progress has been made since the adoption of the LDP in January 2016 with the majority of Strategic Sites having planning permission and a

number are well under construction. However, there are also a range of factors which impact upon the rate at which dwellings are built – in part reflective of land ownership/legal technicalities between developers and landowners and also the complexity of securing planning consents and accompanying Section 106 Agreements which fully deliver the Council's aspirations as set out in the LDP.

Recommendations

It is not considered that the failure to deliver the total required number of dwellings for each 2 year period would give cause for a review of the LDP. It is inevitable that there will be some 'delivery lag' following the adoption of the LDP and the rate of construction is increasing when compared to the previous 2 year cumulative total.

The Council is continuing to liase with landowners and developers with the aim of stimulating an enhanced trajectory of provision on Strategic Sites, as well as developing a variety of addition windfall brownfield sites. It is hoped that this proactive and enabling approach will, over time secure enhanced delivery rates in future years and the matter will remain an on-going priority. Future AMR's will provide regular annual updates and delivery rates will be carefully monitored.

Topic Area: Number of Windfall Units Completed

Relevant LDP Policies: KP1

Indicator reference: OB2 S05

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
CORE Number of windfall units completed per annum on all sites	contributions for the		Delivery varies by more than 10% above or below 488 dwellings per annum for any consecutive 2 year period.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The total number of windfall contributions during 2016/17 was 449 dwellings.		The total number of windfall contributions during 2017/18 was 401 dwellings.	

Analysis

During the monitoring period for 1st April 2017 to 31st March 2018, there were 401 dwellings completed which were considered 'windfall' sites as they were over 10 dwellings, were not the result of a change of use and did not form part of an LDP allocated site. The 401 completed windfall units fall outside the 10% buffer set out in the trigger. However, as this trigger is for 2 consecutive years it will be monitored again next year to establish whether there appears to be a trend.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Settlement Boundaries

Relevant LDP Policies: KP3(B, EN1

Indicator reference: OB2 SO6

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Core Number of dwellings permitted annually outside the defined settlement boundaries that does not satisfy LDP policies.	Number of dwellings permitted that are not in accordance with KP3(B)		1 or more permission that does not satisfy LDP policies
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
No applications permitted outside the settlement boundary that do not satisfy policy.		• •	ons permitted outside the oundary that do not satisfy

Analysis

During the 2nd monitoring period no applications were permitted outside the settlement boundary that did not satisfy policy. During the monitoring period four application for residential development were approved two the principal of development had been established through a previous consent or an LDP allocation and the remaining two were considered to be policy compliant and related to conversions within a residential curtilage. Given this it is considered that Policy KP3(B) is functioning effectively. The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issue.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Gypsy and Traveller Accommodation Provision

Relevant LDP Policies: H7

Indicator reference: OB2 SO7

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Keep the Seawall Road site under review for potential permanent residential Gypsy and Traveller accommodation			Site is no longer categorised within Flood Risk Zone C2
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
Site is still categorised within Flood Risk Zone C2 in latest Development Advice Maps		Site is still categorised within Flood Risk Zone C2 in latest Development Advice Maps	

Analysis

This site was included as an allocation for a Gypsy and Traveller site in the Deposit LDP in September 2013. However the site was deleted from the Plan at the LDP Examination in 2015 as it was located in a C2 Flood Risk Zone where highly vulnerable development such as Gypsy and Traveller sites are precluded by Welsh Government Planning Guidance. It was agreed at the LDP Examination that an indicator would be included in the Monitoring Framework to keep the site under review should the position regarding flood risk change over the lifetime of the Plan. This will ensure that the site can continue to be considered along with other sites to accommodate the need for new Gypsy and Traveller pitches.

The status of the site in terms of flood risk remains unchanged and the site is still lies within Flood Risk Zone C2 in the latest Development Advice Maps produced by Welsh Government and Natural Resources Wales.

A feasibility Study has been undertaken by the Council to investigate options to improve flood defences along the Rover Way Foreshore and River Rhymney. This Study recommends design options for improving the flood defences along this stretch of the coastline and has been submitted to Welsh Government for grant funding to implement the recommended works.

Welsh Government have now approved the funding and the Council is due to go out to Tender shortly for the works to be implemented. It is anticipated the flood defence works will be completed in early 2020.

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<u>Topic Area: Gypsy and Traveller Provision – Permanent Sites</u>

Relevant LDP Policies: H7

Indicator reference: OB2 SO8

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target	Trigger
Provision is made for meeting identified needs for permanent Gypsy and Traveller accommodation	 Agree project management arrangements including reporting structure and representatives – July 2015 Agree methodology for undertaking site search and assessment – December 2015 Undertake Gypsy and Traveller Needs Assessment for both permanent and transit pitches in accordance with Housing (Wales) Act 2014 – February 2016 Undertake a site search and assessment and secure approval of findings – July 2016 Secure planning permission and funding (including any grant funding from Welsh Government) for identified site(s) required to meet short term need for 43 pitches by May 2017 Secure planning permission and funding (including any grant funding from tyelsh Government) 	Failure to achieve these targets

for identified site(s) required to meet long term need for 65 pitches by May 2021

Performance 1st AMR 1st April 2016 to 31st March 2017

Project management arrangements, including reporting structure and representatives have been established and a methodology for undertaking site search and assessment was approved at Cabinet in January 2016. In addition an updated Gypsy and Traveller Accommodation Assessment (GTAA) was approved by Welsh Government in November 2016.

Cabinet in September 2016 noted that good progress has been made in undertaking a city wide search for land which could be suitable for Gypsy and Traveller sites but agreed that the assessment is not yet fully complete and there was a clear need to undertake more detailed technical investigations. At Cabinet it was agreed that it would be premature to conclude the site assessment process until these have been completed.

Work on undertaking these more detailed technical assessments has been ongoing throughout the year. When these assessments are complete the Council will consider the findings and determine a way forward

Although this represents a delay to the agreed targets the Council recognise that it clearly has an obligation to progress the site assessment as soon as possible; however, this needs to be balanced against the need to find the best possible site for the community.

The Council also remains firmly and absolutely committed to comply with the requirements of the Housing (Wales) Act 2014.

Performance 2nd AMR 1st April 2017 to 31st March 2018

The detailed technical assessments have now been completed and the Council is currently considering the implications of the findings of these assessments and options in terms of taking this work forward. This has included ongoing discussions with Welsh Government.

Although this represents a delay to the agreed targets the Council recognise that it clearly has an obligation to progress the site assessment as soon as possible; however, this needs to be balanced against the need to find the best possible site for the community

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Analysis

The Gypsy and Traveller Study is being project managed jointly by Officers from Housing and the Planning Service. Work undertaken by the Group is overseen by a Steering Group comprising senior Officers from the Housing and Planning Service and relevant Cabinet Members. The aim of the study is to identify the need for permanent and transit Gypsy and Traveller accommodation within the city and identify sites to meet this need.

Progress to date includes the completion of an updated Gypsy and Traveller Accommodation Assessment (GTAA), which was approved by the Welsh Government in November 2016. This identifies a reduced need for 72 permanent pitches in the city by 2026 (compared to a need for 108 pitches in the previous 2013 GTAA) and a regional need for a transit site of 10 pitches. Of the 72 permanent pitches 48 are required short term in the next five years compared to 43 in the previous 2013 GTAA.

In order to meet this need a comprehensive city wide search for suitable sites for Gypsy and Travellers has been undertaken using site selection criteria approved by the Council's Cabinet in January 2016. The approved site selection criteria sets outs assessment criteria around three main headings relating to availability, site suitability and achievability. Availability considerations include whether the site is genuinely available long term and there are no legal issues. Site suitability considerations include a comprehensive list of policy and physical constraints, and deliverability considerations relate to the consideration of total cost (including any abnormal costs) to ensure it does not prejudice the ability to develop the site.

To date good progress has been made with undertaking a city wide search for land which could be suitable for Gypsy and Traveller sites and Cabinet in September 2016 noted that the study had reached the point where there is a clear need to further investigate technical aspects identified in the agreed methodology. Given this Cabinet considered that it would be premature to conclude the site assessment process until these detailed technical investigations have been carried out and detailed technical investigations, particularly flood risk assessments, were commissioned to fully establish the extent of risk at this stage, along with the potential scope of mitigation measures and any other relevant site-specific technical matters. This work was carried out in liaison with Natural Resources Wales and took account of the most up to date information with regard to flood risk data.

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Progress with this will continue to be monitored and reported on in future AMR's.

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<u>Topic Area: Gypsy and Traveller Provision – Transit Sites</u>

Relevant LDP Policies: H7

Indicator reference: OB2 SO9

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target	Trigger
LOCAL Provision is made for meeting identified needs for transit Gypsy and Traveller accommodation	 Agree project management arrangements including reporting structure and representatives – July 2015 Agree methodology for undertaking site search and assessment – December 2015 Undertake Gypsy and Traveller Needs Assessment for both permanent and transit pitches in accordance with Housing (Wales) Act 2014 – February 2016 Undertake a site search and assessment and secure approval of findings – July 2016 Secure planning permission and funding (including any grant funding from Welsh Government) for identified site(s) required to meet short term need for 43 pitches by May 2017 Secure planning permission and funding (including any grant funding from years) from the grant funding from years funding funding funding funding from years funding fund	Failure to achieve these targets

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Progress with this will continue to be monitored and reported on in future AMR's.

Recommendations
No action is required at present. Continue to monitor.

Topic Area: Gypsy and Traveller Provision

Relevant LDP Policies: H7

Indicator reference: OB2 SO10

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Total number of Gypsy and Traveller pitches for residential accommodation	Ensure the existing supply of pitches is maintained (Should existing pitches be no longer available alternative pitches will be sought)		Any net loss of existing Gypsy and Traveller pitch provision
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
There has been no net loss of existing Gypsy and Traveller pitch provision during the monitoring period		Gypsy and	een no net loss of existing Fraveller pitch provision nonitoring period

Analysis

The latest Gypsy and Traveller Accommodation Assessment (GTAA) approved by the Welsh Government in November 2016 states that there are 80 pitches on two local authority owned sites at Shirenewton (59 pitches) and Rover Way (21 pitches). In addition there are four authorised private sites with a total of 22 pitches giving a total of 92 pitches for the County as a whole. There has been no net loss of existing Gypsy and Traveller pitch provision during the monitoring period.

Recommendations

<u>Topic Area: Dwelling Completions on Strategic Site A Cardiff</u> Central Enterprise Zone

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2

Indicator reference: OB2 SO11

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Total annual dwelling completions of Strategic Housing Site A – Cardiff Central Enterprise Zone	2,150 dwellings will be delivered over the remainder of the Plan period on this Strategic Site in accordance with the 2 year cumulative delivery rates set out below. Expected delivery rates based on the JHLAS 2014 and developer intentions: 2016: 231 2018: 254 2020: 405 2022: 400 2024: 400		Failure to deliver the required number of dwellings for each 2 year period.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 20	_		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
As at 1st April 2017 there had been no completions on Strategic Housing Site A.			ril 2018 there had been no on Strategic Housing
Analysis			

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As at 1st April 2018, there had been no residential completions on Strategic Site A and so the target of 485 dwellings by 2018 has not been met. There are two existing residential planning permissions on this site, representing a total of 2,259 dwellings (i.e. above the allocated figure of 2,150). These are summarised below:

 14/00430 – Hybrid application granted 15/08/2014 comprising: Full consent for 690 dwellings and Outline consent for 1,460 dwellings 17/00159 – Planning committee (21/06/2017) resolved to grant Full planning consent for a mixed-use development comprising 109 no. 1 and 2 bedroom apartments

There are no new updates with regard to this site compared to the 2016/17 AMR. Whilst it is accepted that there has been some slippage on this site, at this stage it is not envisaged that the delivery of Strategic Site A will slip beyond the Plan period. The Council will continue to monitor the delivery of this site through subsequent annual monitoring.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Dwelling Completions on Strategic Site B Gas Works, **Ferry Road**

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2

Indicator reference: OB2 SO12

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger	
LOCAL Total annual dwelling completions of Strategic Housing Site B – Gas Works, Ferry Road.	500 dwellings will be delivered over the remainder of the Plan period on this Strategic Site in accordance with the 2 year cumulative delivery rates set out below. Expected delivery rates are based on developer intentions: 2016: 0 2018: 80 2020: 140 2022: 170 2024: 110		Failure to deliver the required number of dwellings for each 2 year period.	
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 20°	-		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
In line with the target for th as at 1 st April 2017, there h completions on Strategic S	had been no comple		As at 1st April 2018 there had been no completions on Strategic Housing Site B.	
Analysis				

The agent for this site has advised that there has been some delay in marketing the site. The site was marketed in late 2016 and remediation work is scheduled to be completed by mid-2018. On this basis it is expected that development will commence in 2019/20, with the first completions coming forward in 2020. It is not envisaged that there will be any change to delivery rates thereafter.

Whilst some slippage to the delivery targets set out above is now inevitable, based on recent dialogue with the agent it is not envisaged that the delivery of Strategic Site B will slip beyond the Plan period. The Council will continue to monitor the delivery of this site through subsequent annual monitoring.

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Topic Area: Dwelling Completions on Strategic Site C North West Cardiff

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2

Indicator reference: OB2 SO13

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Total annual dwelling completions of Strategic Housing Site C – North West Cardiff	5,000 dwelling delivered over remainder of the period on this Site in accordant the 2 year curdelivery rates below. Expected delivered are based on intentions: 2016: 135 2018: 624 2020: 1,060 2022: 1,060 2024: 1,060 2026: 1,060 2026: 1,060	r the the Plan Strategic ance with nulative set out	Failure to deliver the required number of dwellings for each 2 year period.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 20 ^c	<u> </u>		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
As at 1st April 2017 there has completions on Strategic Hasite C.	nad been no	As at 1st Ap	oril 2018 there had been 39 on Strategic Housing Site C.
Analysis			

As at 1st April 2018 there have been 39 completions on Strategic Housing Site C with 46 under construction whilst there is also a large amount of ground preparatory works being undertaken across the area. Whilst the target of 759 by 2018 has not been met, the initial lag in developers getting on site is considered in part reflective of land ownership/legal technicalities between developers and landowners and also the complexity of securing planning consents and accompanying Section 106 Agreements which fully deliver the Council's aspirations as set out in the LDP. Despite this initial delay, much progress has been made since the adoption of the LDP. Planning permissions have now either been consented, or received for in

excess of 7,000 units (summarised below), and as of summer 2018 construction work has commenced on site.

- **Plasdwr (Redrow)** 14/02733 Outline planning granted 20/03/2017 up to 5,970 residential units.
- Land North and South of Llantrisant Road (Redrow) 14/02157 Outline granted 09/08/2016 for 630 units and 16/02016 Reserved Matters granted 23/12/2016 for Phase 1A (126 units). 32 dwellings were under construction as at 1st March 2018 whilst 35 dwellings had been completed.
- Land South of Pentrebane Road (Redrow) 14/02188 Outline granted 13/12/2016 290 units (30% Affordable) and 17/00414 Reserved Matters (received for 120 units). 14 dwellings were under construction as at 1st March 2018 whilst 4 dwellings had been completed.

Recommendations

<u>Topic Area: Dwelling Completions on Strategic Site D North of</u> Junction 33

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2

Indicator reference: OB2 SO14

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Total annual dwelling completions of Strategic Housing Site D – North of Junction 33	2,000 dwellings will be delivered over the remainder of the Plan period on this Strategic Site in accordance with the 2 year cumulative delivery rates set out below. Expected delivery rates are based on developer intentions: 2016: 110 2018: 240 2020: 300 2022: 400 2024: 450		Failure to deliver the required number of dwellings for each 2 year period.
Performance 1st AMR 1st			nce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017
31 st March 2017			to 31 st March 2018
As at 1st April 2017 there has a total completions on Strategic Hasite D.			s on Strategic Housing Site
Analysis			

Analysis

As at 1st April 2018 there had been no completions on this strategic site and so the delivery target of 350 units by 2018, as originally anticipated has not been met.

As with several strategic sites, the initial lag is considered in part reflective of land ownership/legal technicalities between developers and landowners and also the complexity of securing planning consents and accompanying Section 106 Agreements which fully deliver the Council's aspirations as set out in the LDP. There has however been significant progress since adoption, with Planning Committee recently (08/02/2017) resolving to grant outline permission for 1,500 units subject to

the signing of a section 106 agreement. A Reserved Matters application was submitted to the Council in January 2018 for 405 dwellings and is currently being considered subject to Conditions on the original Outline permission being met.

Recommendations

<u>Topic Area: Dwelling Completions on Strategic Site E South of</u> Crei<u>qiau</u>

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2

Indicator reference: OB2 SO15

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Total annual dwelling completions of Strategic Housing Site E – South of Creigiau	650 dwellings will be delivered over the remainder of the Plan period on this Strategic Site in accordance with the 2 year cumulative delivery rates set out below. Expected delivery rates are based on developer intensions: 2016: 150 2018: 300 2020: 200		Failure to deliver the required number of dwellings for each 2 year period.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st	•	Performan	ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to
As at 1st April 2017 there had been no completions on Strategic Housing Site E.	17		31st March 2018 oril 2018 there had been no on Strategic Housing Site E.

Analysis

As at 1st April 2018 there have been no completions at Strategic Site E and so the delivery target of 450 units by 2018, as originally anticipated has not been met. Planning Applications have not yet been submitted for South of Creigiau, however, during recent consultation for the Cardiff JHLAS the site agent confirmed that technical work is on-going and an application is being targeted in the near future. At this stage, it is not envisaged that the delivery of South of Creigiau will slip beyond the Plan period. The Council will continue to monitor progress at Land South of Creigiau and will endeavour to process any forthcoming application efficiently, preventing unnecessary delay to the delivery of the site.

Recommendations

<u>Topic Area: Dwelling Completions on Strategic Site F North East</u> Cardiff

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP13

Indicator reference: OB2 SO16

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL	4,500 dwellings		Failure to deliver
Total annual dwelling	will be deliver	,	the required
completions of Strategic	over the		number of
Housing Site F – North	remainder of	the	dwellings for each
East Cardiff	Plan period on		2 year period.
	this Strategic		, ,
	in accordance		
	with the 2 year	ır	
	cumulative		
	delivery rates	set	
	out below.		
	Expected deli	very	
	rates are base	ed	
	on developer		
	intentions:		
	2016: 180		
	2018: 1,197		
	2020: 808		
	2022: 808		
	2024: 808		
	2026: 699		
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to
31 st March 20 ^r			31 st March 2018
	As at 1st April 2017 there had been no		oril 2018 there had been no
	npletions on Strategic Housing		on Strategic Housing Site F
Site F.			
Analysis			

Analysis

While the delivery target of 1,377 units by 2018, as originally anticipated, has not been met, as at 1st April 2016, there were 49 completions on Strategic Housing Site F, situated at Land off Cefn Mabley Road, Lisvane. This parcel of land, totalling 51 houses had been completed by 1st April 2017.

As with several strategic sites, the initial lag is considered in part reflective of land ownership/legal technicalities between developers and landowners and also the complexity of securing planning consents and accompanying Section 106 Agreements which fully deliver the Council's aspirations as set out in the LDP. Notably, it is understood that the primary developer had not secured full land ownership by April 2017 (but at the time of writing, it has now been confirmed that land ownership is in place so this should promptly trigger the planning application process.

In terms of the planning status of the site, there are two extant outline consents for part of the site, known as Churchlands (1,000 units and 1,200 units respectively) while during the recent (2017) JHLAS, the agent confirmed that contracts have exchanged between landowners and developers are keen to progress the development of the North East Cardiff. An outline application for the bulk of the land and a full planning application for a part of the site are anticipated shortly, which should accelerate delivery now the land issues have been resolved. The Council will continue to monitor progress at North East Cardiff and will endeavour to process any forthcoming

Recommendations

<u>Topic Area: Dwelling Completions on Strategic Site G East of</u> Pontprennau Link Road

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2

Indicator reference: OB2 SO17

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL	1,300 dwelling	•	Failure to deliver
Total annual dwelling	delivered over		the required
completions of Strategic	remainder of t		number of
Housing Site G – East of	period on this		dwellings for each
Pontprennau Link Road	Site in accord		2 year period.
	the 2 year cur		
	delivery rates	set out	
	below.	vorv rotos	
	Expected deli		
	intentions:	developei	
	2016: 140		
	2018: 375		
	2020: 285		
	2022: 270		
	2024: 200		
	2026: 30		
Performance 1st AMR 1st	April 2016 to	Performand	ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to
	31 st March 2017		31 st March 2018
As at 1st April 2017 there had been no		As at 1st April 2018 there had been 174	
completions on Strategic H	ousing	completions	on Strategic Housing Site G.
Site G.			
Analysis			

Analysis

As at 1st April 2018 there were 174 completions at Strategic Site G and so the delivery target of 515 units by 2018, as originally anticipated has not been met. However, as at 1st April 2018 construction was well underway with a further 83 under construction both on Land at Church Road (Bellway) and St Edeyrns Village (Persimmons). Despite a slight lag in the initial start date of construction, the rates of annual delivery remain broadly aligned to those in the LDP. The Council will continue to monitor the delivery of this site through annual monitoring.

Recommendations

<u>Topic Area: Affordable Dwelling Completions on Strategic Site A</u> Cardiff Central Enterprise Zone

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP13

Indicator reference: OB2 SO18

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Annual affordable dwelling completions of Strategic Housing Site A – Cardiff Central Enterprise Zone	430 affordable will be deliver remainder of the period on this Site in accordance the 2 year curdelivery rates below. Expect rates are based JHLAS 2014 and developer interest and the 2016: 47 2018: 50 2020: 81 2022: 80 2024: 80 2026: 92	ed over the the Plan Strategic ance with mulative set out ted delivery ed on the and	Failure to deliver the required number of dwellings for each 2 year period.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to
	31st March 2017		31 st March 2018 oril 2018 there had been no
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	at 1st April 2017 there had been no ordable completions on Strategic		completions on Strategic
Housing Site A	Ciratogio	Housing Site	
Analysis		January Given	

Analysis

The above figures have been amended from the original to accurately reflect a 20% brownfield affordable housing contribution across the Plan period.

As at 1st April 2018, there had been no residential completions on Strategic Site A and so the target of 97 affordable units by 2018 as originally anticipated has not been met. There are however now two extant residential planning permissions on this site, representing a total of 2,259 dwellings (i.e. above the allocated figure of 2,150 dwellings). These are summarised below:

• 14/00430 Hybrid application granted 15/08/2014 comprising: Full consent

for 690 dwellings and Outline consent for 1,460 dwellings

• 17/00159: Planning Committee (21/06/2017) resolved to grant Full planning consent for a mixed-use development comprising 109 no. 1 and 2 bedroom apartments

Whilst it is accepted that there has been some slippage on this application, at this stage it is not envisaged that the delivery of Strategic Site A will slip beyond the Plan period. The Council will continue to monitor the delivery of this site through subsequent annual monitoring.

Recommendations

<u>Topic Area: Affordable Dwelling Completions on Strategic Site B</u> Gas Works, Ferry Road

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP13

Indicator reference: OB2 SO19

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Annual affordable dwelling completions of Strategic Housing Site B – Gas Works, Ferry Road	100 affordable dwellings will be delivered over the remainder of the Plan period on this Strategic Site in accordance with the 2 year cumulative delivery rates set out below. Expected delivery rates are based on developer intentions: 2016: 0 2018: 16 2020: 28 2022: 34 2024: 22 2026: 0		Failure to deliver the required number of dwellings for each 2 year period.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
as at 1st April 2017, there h	ne with the target for this indicator, it 1 st April 2017, there had been no apletions on Strategic Site B.		oril 2018 there had been no completions on Strategic B.

Analysis

The agent for this site has advised that there has been some delay in marketing the site. The site was marketed in late 2016 and remediation work is scheduled to be completed by mid-2018. On this basis it is expected that development will commence in 2019/20, with the first completions coming forward in 2020. It is not envisaged that there will be any change to delivery rates thereafter.

Whilst some slippage to the delivery targets set out above is now inevitable, based on recent dialogue with the agent it is not envisaged that the delivery of Strategic Site B will slip beyond the Plan period. The Council will continue to monitor the delivery of this site through subsequent annual monitoring.

Recommendations

<u>Topic Area: Affordable Dwelling Completions on Strategic Site C</u> North West Cardiff

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2

Indicator reference: OB2 SO20

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL	1,500 affordal	ble	Failure to deliver
Annual affordable	dwellings will		the required
dwelling completions of	delivered over		number of
Strategic Housing Site C	remainder of the		dwellings for each
 North West Cardiff 	Plan period or		2 year period.
	Strategic Site		
	accordance w		
	2 year cumula		
	delivery rates		
	below. Expect delivery rates		
	based on dev		
	intentions:	Сюрсі	
	2016: 41		
	2018: 187		
	2020: 318		
	2022: 318		
	2024: 318		
	2026: 318		
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st	_		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to
31 st March 2017			31 st March 2018
As at 1st April 2017 there h	nad been no		oril 2018 there had been no
Affordable completions on			completions on Strategic
Strategic Housing Site C.		Housing Site	e C.
Analysis			

Analysis

As at 1st April 2018 there had been no affordable completions on Strategic Housing Site C and so the target of 228 affordable units by 2018, as originally anticipated has not been met. The initial lag in developers getting on site is considered in part reflective of land ownership/legal technicalities between developers and landowners and also the complexity of securing planning consents and accompanying Section 106

Agreements which fully deliver the Council's aspirations as set out in the LDP.

Despite this initial delay, much progress has been made since the adoption of the LDP. Planning permissions have now either been consented, or received for in excess of 7,000 units (summarised below), and as of summer 2017 construction work has commenced on site.

- **Plasdwr (Redrow)** 14/02733 Outline planning granted 20/03/2017 up to 5,970 residential units.
- Land North and South of Llantrisant Road (Redrow) 14/02157 Outline granted 09/08/2016 for 630 units and 16/02016 Reserved Matters granted 23/12/2016 for Phase 1A (126 units). 32 dwellings were under construction as at 1st March 2018 whilst 35 dwellings had been completed.
- Land South of Pentrebane Road (Redrow) 14/02188 Outline granted 13/12/2016 290 units (30% Affordable) and 17/00414 Reserved Matters (received for 120 units). 14 dwellings were under construction as at 1st March 2018 whilst 4 dwellings had been completed.

At the latest JHLAS meeting (June 2017) developers confirmed that despite the delay, delivery rates on Strategic Site C will ramp up to remain broadly aligned with the rates agreed in the LDP. Completion rates of 400+ unit's p.a. are anticipated by 2020 and 530+ unit's p.a. by 2022. Accordingly, at this stage it is envisaged that the delivery of 5,000 units at Strategic Site C will not slip beyond the beyond the Plan period. The Council will continue to monitor the delivery of this site through annual monitoring.

Recommendations

<u>Topic Area: Affordable Dwelling Completions on Strategic Site D</u> North of Junction 33

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2

Indicator reference: OB2 SO21

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Total annual dwelling completions of Strategic Housing Site D – North of Junction 33	603 affordable will be deliver remainder of the period on this Site in accordant the 2 year curdelivery rates below. Expect rates are based developer into 2016: 100 2018: 100 2020: 100 2022: 100 2024: 100 2026: 103	ed over the the Plan Strategic ance with mulative set out ted delivery ed on	Failure to deliver the required number of dwellings for each 2 year period.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
As at 1st April 2017 there he completions on Strategic He Site D. Analysis	ad been no	As at 1st A	pril 2018 there had been 0 completions on Strategic Site

Analysis

As at 1st April 2018 there had been no affordable completions on this strategic site and so the delivery target of 200 affordable units by 2018, as originally anticipated has not been met.

As with several strategic sites, the initial lag is considered in part reflective of land ownership/legal technicalities between developers and landowners and also the complexity of securing planning consents and accompanying Section 106 Agreements which fully deliver the Council's aspirations as set out in the LDP.

There has however been significant progress since adoption, with Planning Committee recently (08/02/2017) resolving to grant outline permission for 1,500 units subject to the signing of a section 106 agreement. A Reserved Matters application was submitted to the Council in January 2018 for 405 dwellings and is

currently being considered subject to Conditions on the original Outline permission being met.

Recommendations

<u>Topic Area: Affordable Dwelling Completions on Strategic Site E</u> South of Creigiau

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2

Indicator reference: OB2 SO22

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Total annual affordable dwelling completions of Strategic Housing Site E – South of Creigiau	195 affordable dwellings will be delivered over the remainder of the Plan period on this Strategic Site in accordance with the 2 year cumulative delivery rates set out below. Expected delivery rates are based on developer intentions: 2016: 150 2018: 300 2020: 200		Failure to deliver the required number of dwellings for each 2 year period.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
As at 1st April 2017 there has completions on Strategic Haste E.		· ·	oril 2018 there had been no on Strategic Housing Site E.

Analysis

The above figures have been amended from the original to accurately reflect a 20% brownfield affordable housing contribution across the Plan period. As at 1st April 2018 there have been no completions at Strategic Site E and so the delivery target of 450 units by 2018, as originally anticipated has not been met. Planning Applications have not yet been submitted for South of Creigiau, however, during recent consultation for the Cardiff JHLAS the site agent confirmed that technical work is on-going and an application is being targeted in the near future.

At this stage, it is not envisaged that the delivery of South of Creigiau will slip beyond the Plan period. The Council will continue to monitor progress at Land South of Creigiau and will endeavour to process any forthcoming application efficiently, preventing unnecessary delay to the delivery of the site.

Recommendations

<u>Topic Area: Affordable Dwelling Completions on Strategic Site F</u> North East Cardiff

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP13

Indicator reference: OB2 SO23

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Total annual affordable dwelling completions of Strategic Housing Site F – North East Cardiff (West of Pontprennau)	1,350 affordable dwellings will be delivered over the remainder of the Plan period on this Strategic Site in accordance with the 2 year cumulative delivery rates set out below. Expected delivery rates are based on developer intentions: 2016: 54 2018: 359 2020: 242 2022: 242 2024: 243		Failure to deliver the required number of dwellings for each 2 year period.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 20°	_		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
As at 1st April 2017 there has a total completions on Strategic Haster Site F.			oril 2018 there had been no on Strategic Housing Site F.

Analysis

While the delivery target of 413 affordable units by 2018, as originally anticipated, has not been met, as at 1st April 2016, there were 49 completions on Strategic Housing Site F, situated at Land off Cefn Mabley Road, Lisvane. This parcel of land, totalling 51 houses had been completed by 1st April 2017.

As with several strategic sites, the initial lag is considered in part reflective of land ownership/legal technicalities between developers and landowners and also the complexity of securing planning consents and accompanying Section 106 Agreements which fully deliver the Council's aspirations as set out in the LDP. Notably, it is understood that the primary developer had not secured full land

ownership by April 2017 (but at the time of writing, it has now been confirmed that land ownership is in place so this should promptly trigger the planning application process.

In terms of the planning status of the site, there are two extant outline consents for part of the site, known as Churchlands (1,000 units and 1,200 units respectively) while during the recent (2017) JHLAS, the agent confirmed that contracts have exchanged between landowners and developers are keen to progress the development of the North East Cardiff. An outline application for the bulk of the land and a full planning application for a part of the site are anticipated shortly, which should accelerate delivery now the land issues have been resolved.

The Council will continue to monitor progress at North East Cardiff and will endeavour to process any forthcoming

Recommendations

<u>Topic Area: Affordable Dwelling Completions on Strategic Site G</u> East of Pontprennau Link Road

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2, KP13

Indicator reference: OB2 SO24

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Total annual affordable dwelling completions of Strategic Housing Site G – East of Pontprennau Link Road	390 affordable dwellings will be delivered over the remainder of the Plan period on this Strategic Site in accordance with the 2 year cumulative delivery rates set out below. Expected delivery rates are based on developer intentions: 2016: 42 2018: 113 2020: 86 2022: 81		Failure to deliver the required number of dwellings for each 2 year period.
Performance 1st AMR 1st			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to
	31 st March 2017		31 st March 2018
As at 1st April 2017 there had been no			oril 2018 there had been 39
affordable completions on Strategic			housing completions on
Housing Site G.		Strategic Ho	ousing Site G.

Analysis

As at 1st April 2018 there were 39 affordable housing completions at Strategic Site G and so the delivery target of 155 affordable units by 2018, as originally anticipated has not been met. However, as at 1st April 2018 construction was well underway with a further 83 under construction both on Land at Church Road (Bellway) and St Edeyrns Village (Persimmons). Despite a slight lag in the initial start date of construction, the rates of annual delivery remain broadly aligned to those in the LDP.

The Council will continue to monitor the delivery of this site through annual monitoring.

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Topic Area: Changes in Market Value of Property

Relevant LDP Policies: KP13, H3

Indicator reference: OB2 SO25

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Changes in market value of property in Cardiff on Greenfield and Brownfield areas	Provide 6,646 affordable units over the remaining Plan period based on achieving 30% on Greenfield sites and 20% on Brownfield sites. Expected delivery rate to meet the target set out below: 2016: 735 2018: 1,207 2020: 1,224 2022: 1,191 2024: 1,181 2026: 1,108		An increase or decrease of 10% of market values of properties in Cardiff on Greenfield and Brownfield areas
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
Data not available for 2016	/17.	Data not ava	ailable for 2017/18.

Analysis

It is not considered that this indicator provides a useful assessment of the performance of the LDP and is not something that the Plan could seek to have any significant influence over.

Recommendations

As the data is not readily available it is suggested that the indicator is deleted and not monitored in future Annual Monitoring Reports.

Topic Area: Flexibility Allowance

Relevant LDP Policies: KP1

Indicator reference: OB2 SO26

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Need for release of additional housing land identified in the flexibility allowance	To ensure sufficient land is brought forward for development in accordance with the Plan strategy and to maintain a minimum 5 year supply of land as set out in the JHLAS.		Build rates exceed the anticipated number of completions as set out in indicator OB2 SO4 by the 1st Plan review i.e. more than 13,910 dwellings completed between 2014 - 2020
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017		Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
Build rates have not exceeded the anticipated number of completions as set out in Indicator OB2 S04 for the first 2 year period to 1st April 2016.		anticipated r	nave not exceeded the number of completions as set tor OB2 S04.

Analysis

As set out in paragraph 4.25 of the Cardiff Local Development Plan, the LDP tests of soundness required that LDPs are sufficiently flexible to positively respond to a change in circumstances. However, as expected the need to release additional land is not necessary as build rates have not exceed the anticipated number of completions as set out in Indicator OB2 S04.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Affordable Housing SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: KP13, H3

Indicator reference: OB2 SO27

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Affordable Housing SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 6 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•	Performan	ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
Detailed supplementary gurelating to affordable housi incorporated in the Plannin SPG which was approved I Council in January 2017	mentary guidance dable housing the Planning Obligations approved by the		oplementary guidance ffordable housing I in the Planning Obligations was approved by the Council 2017
Analysis			
Detailed supplementary guidance relating to affordable housing provision has been incorporated in the Planning Obligations SPG which was approved by the Council on 26 th January 2017. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.			

Recommendations

No action is required.

Topic Area: Houses in Multiple Occupation SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: H5

Indicator reference: OB2 SO28

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Houses in Multiple Occupation SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 6 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The Houses in Multiple Occ	cupation SPG	The Houses	in Multiple Occupation SPG
was approved in January 2	017	was approve	ed in January 2017
Analysis			

The SPG was approved by Council on 26th January 2017 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.

Recommendations

No action is required

Topic Area: Planning Obligations SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: KP7

Indicator reference: OB2 SO29

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target	Trigger
LOCAL Planning Obligations SPG		Failure to adopt SPG within 12 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•	ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The Planning Obligations S approved in January 2017	SPG was	g Obligations SPG was January 2017
Analysis		

The SPG was approved by Council on 26th January 2017 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.

Recommendations

No action is required

Topic Area: Community Facilities and Residential Development SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: C1

Indicator reference: OB2 SO30

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Community Facilities and Residential Development SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
relating to community f residential development incorporated in the Plannin	ailed supplementary guidance ting to community facilities and dential development has been rporated in the Planning Obligations which was approved by the Council		oplementary guidance ommunity facilities and evelopment has been I in the Planning Obligations was approved by the Council 017

Detailed supplementary guidance relating to community facilities and residential development has been incorporated in the Planning Obligations SPG which was approved by the Council on 26th January 2017. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.

Recommendations

No action is required.

Topic Area: Childcare Facilities SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: C1

Indicator reference: OB2 SO31

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger		
LOCAL Childcare Facilities SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of Plan adoption		
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018		
The Childcare Facilities SP issued for public consultation 2017 and is due to be consultation Cabinet and Council for ap October 2017	tion in June approved asidered by		ne Childcare Facilities SPG was oproved in November 2017		
Analysis	Analysis				
The SPG was approved by Council on 30 th November 2017 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.					
Recommendations					
No action is required.					

Topic Area: Planning for Health and Wellbeing SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: C6

Indicator reference: OB2 SO32

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger	
Local Health SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of Plan adoption	
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
The Planning for Health and Wellbeing SPG issued for public consultation in June 2017 and is due to be considered by Cabinet and Council for approval in October 2017		The Planning for Health and Wellbeing SPG was approved in November 2017		
Analysis				
The SPG was approved by Council on 30 th November 2017 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.				
Recommendations				
No action is required.				

Topic Area: Gypsy and Traveller Sites SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: H8

Indicator reference: OB2 SO33

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Gypsy and Traveller Sites SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1st AMR 1st 31st March 201			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The Gypsy and Traveller S due to be issued for public in March 2018		the delivera	will be undertaken to assess ability or otherwise of SPG and if so, the appropriate
Analysis			

Analysis

At the current juncture, the need to prepare this guidance will be more fully assessed as the existing policy framework is considered sufficient and appropriate. Further work will be undertaken to assess the deliverability or otherwise of SPG preparation, and if so, the appropriate timescale.

Recommendations

Objective 3 – To deliver economic and social needs in a co-ordinated way that respects Cardiff's environment and responds to the challenges of climate change

Topic Area: Flood Risk

Relevant LDP Policies: KP3(A), KP3(B), KP5, KP15, KP16, KP18, EN14

Indicator reference: OB3 EN1

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Core Amount of development (by TAN15 paragraph 5.1 development category) permitted in C1 floodplain area not meeting all TAN 15 tests	No permissions granted for highly vulnerable development within C1 floodplain area that does not meet TAN 15 tests		1 application permitted for development in any 1 year that does not meet TAN 15 tests
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
No applications were permissional Floodplain areas that did no TAN 15 tests			ns was permitted in C1 reas that did not meet all s

Analysis

During the 2nd monitoring period 48 applications for highly vulnerable development were permitted in Zone C1 and 2 of these were permitted that did not meet all TAN15 tests.

Both these applications related to the conversion and extension of existing properties in the Canton area of the city to flats and Natural Resources Wales had objected stating the depth of flooding at ground floor level would be greater than 600 metres and therefore did not meet the tolerable limits set out in TAN15 (Section A1.14). In determining these applications the Council considered that it would be unreasonable to refuse planning permission on this issue as the properties were already in residential use and surrounded by other residential properties with the same finished floor level. In addition it was noted that each flat unit has access to a first floor refuge and in both cases the applicant was made aware of the risk of flooding at the premises.

Given this it is considered these two applications raise particular issues that need separate consideration and are not related to the performance of Policy EN14 which is functioning effectively as evidenced by the fact that flood risk has been considered

as a key consideration in all the applications submitted for highly vulnerable development in Zone C1.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Flood Risk

Relevant LDP Policies: KP3(A), KP3(B), KP5, KP15, KP16, KP18, EN14

Indicator reference: OB3 EN2

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Core Amount of development (by TAN15 paragraph 5.1 development category) permitted in C2 floodplain areas	No permissions granted for highly vulnerable development within C2 floodplain area		1 application permitted for development in any 1 year
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to
31 st March 20 ²	17		31 st March 2018

Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to	Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to
31 st March 2017	31 st March 2018
No applications permitted in C2 floodplain Areas.	No applications permitted in C2 floodplain Areas.

Analysis

During the 2nd monitoring period no applications for highly vulnerable development were permitted in Zone C2 without flood mitigation measures which were confirmed as appropriate through advice provided by NRW. Given this it is considered that Policy EN14 is functioning effectively. The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issue.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Water Quality

Relevant LDP Policies: KP15, KP16, KP18, EN4, EN10, EN11 & EN14

Indicator reference: OB3 EN3

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger	
LOCAL Percentage of water bodies of good status	No planning consents granted planning permission contrary to the advice of Natural Resources Wales and/or Dŵr Cymru (Welsh		1 application permitted for development in any 1 year	
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
No applications have been contrary to the advice of Na Resources Wales and/or D (Welsh Water)	atural	contrary to t	ons have been approved he advice of Natural Wales and/or Dŵr Cymru er)	

Analysis

No applications have been approved contrary to the advice of Dwr Cymru / Welsh Water or Natural Resources Wales concerning status of water bodies.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Water Quality

Relevant LDP Policies: KP15, KP16, KP18, EN4, EN10, EN11 & EN14

Indicator reference: OB3 EN4

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger	
Number of permissions granted where there is a known risk of deterioration in status	No planning consents granted planning permission contrary to the advice of Natural Resources Wales and/or Dŵr Cymru (Welsh Water)		1 application permitted for development in any 1 year	
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	st April 2016 to Performan		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
No applications have been contrary to the advice of Na Resources Wales and/or D (Welsh Water)	atural contrary to t		ons have been approved he advice of Natural Vales and/or Dŵr Cymru er)	

Analysis

No applications have been approved contrary to the advice of Dwr Cymru / Welsh Water or Natural Resources Wales concerning status of water bodies.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Water Quality

Relevant LDP Policies: KP15, KP16, KP18, EN4, EN10, EN11 & EN14

Indicator reference: OB3 EN5

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger	
LOCAL Number of permissions incorporating measures designed to improve water quality where appropriate	No planning consents granted planning permission contrary to the advice of Natural Resources Wales and/or Dŵr Cymru (Welsh Water)		1 application permitted for development in any 1 year	
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	1 st April 2016 to Performand		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
No applications have been contrary to the advice of Na Resources Wales and/or D (Welsh Water)	approved No application atural contrary to the		ons have been approved he advice of Natural Vales and/or Dŵr Cymru	

Analysis

No applications have been approved contrary to the advice of Dwr Cymru / Welsh Water or Natural Resources Wales concerning measures to improve water quality.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Water Quality and Quantity

Relevant LDP Policies: KP18, EN11 & EN14

Indicator reference: OB3 EN6

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Number of planning permissions granted contrary to the advice of the water supplier concerning adequate levels of water quality and quantity and waste water provision	No planning consents issued where there is an objection concerning provision of water quality and quantity and waste water from water supplier		1 application permitted for development in any 1 year
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	_		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
No planning consents issue there is an outstanding object the water supplier			consents issued where there nding objection from the er
Analysis			

No applications have been approved where these is an outstanding objection from Dwr Cymru / Welsh Water concerning provision of water quality and quantity and waste water from water supplier.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Green Wedge

Relevant LDP Policies: KP3(A): Green Wedge, EN1: Countryside Protection

Indicator reference: OB3 EN7

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

the policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL The number of inappropriate developments permitted within the Green Wedge that do not satisfy LDP policies.	No inappropriate developments granted planning permission contrary to policies KP3 (A) and EN1.		1 application permitted for development in any 1 year
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 20°	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
No applications permitted i Wedge that do not satisfy p			ons permitted in the Green do not satisfy policy.

Analysis

During the 2nd monitoring period no applications for inappropriate development were permitted. Of the ten relevant applications approved during the monitoring period of these applications six applications were considered to be policy compliant and not impact on the openness and four the principal of development had been established through a previous consent or LDP allocation. Given this it is considered that Policy KP3(A) is functioning effectively. The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to the issue.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Special Landscape Areas

Relevant LDP Policies: EN3: Landscape

Indicator reference: OB3 EN8

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Core The number of planning permissions granted contrary to Policy EN3 which would cause unacceptable harm to Special Landscape Areas	No development granted planning permission contrary to Policy EN3 which would cause unacceptable harm to Special Landscape Areas		1 application permitted for development in any 1 year
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	st April 2016 to Performan		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
No applications permitted with Landscape Area that does no			ns permitted within a Special rea that does not satisfy policy

Analysis

During the 2nd monitoring period fifteen relevant applications were approved on land within a Special Landscape Area. Of these applications all were considered to be policy compliant/compliant subject to conditions/recommendations. In addition in three cases the principle of development on the site had already been established through an earlier application/non-strategic allocation. Given this it is considered that the policy framework relating to this issue is functioning effectively and the Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of this policy framework.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Ancient Semi-Natural Woodland

Relevant LDP Policies: EN8: Trees, Woodlands and Hedgerows

Indicator reference: OB3 EN9

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

the policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Ancient Semi-Natural Woodland	No inappropriate developments granted planning permission contrary to Policy EN8.		1 application permitted for development in any 1 year
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 20°	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
No applications permitted was of Ancient Semi Natural Wardon not satisfy policy.		• •	ons permitted within areas of ni Natural Woodland that do olicy.
Analysis			

Analysis

During the monitoring period six relevant applications were permitted on areas of ancient semi natural woodland and were considered to be policy compliant/compliant subject to conditions recommendations placed on the approval.

Recommendations

Topic Area: SSSI's and SNCI's

Relevant LDP Policies: EN1-8

Indicator reference: OB3 EN10

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

the policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL The number of planning permissions granted on SSSI or SINC designated areas.	No planning p granted permi would result in unacceptable which could n mitigated aga SSSI or SINC not satisfy LD	ission that n an impact ot be inst on an that does	1 application permitted for development in any 1 year
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
No applications were perm SSSIs and SINCs that do r policy			ons were permitted on SSSIs hat do not satisfy policy

Analysis

During the 2nd monitoring period eighteen relevant applications were permitted on SSSI or SINC designated areas. It is considered that these permissions were policy compliant/compliant subject to conditions /recommendations placed on the application.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Environment

Relevant LDP Policies: EN1 - EN8

Indicator reference: OB3 EN11

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Core Number of planning applications granted which have an adverse effect on the integrity of a Natura 2000 site	Ensure protection of European designated sites as required by paragraph 5.3.9 in Planning Policy Wales, Annex 3 in TAN 5 and policies.		No applications were permitted on Natura 2000 sites that do not comply with policy.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 20°	• · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
No applications were perm Natura 2000 sites that do n with policy.		No application	ons were permitted on) sites.
Analysis			

Analysis

During the 2nd monitoring period there were no relevant applications on Natura 2000 sites.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Natural Environment

Relevant LDP Policies: EN1- EN8

Indicator reference: OB3 EN12

Contextual Changes: There have been no contextual changes relating to this policy

area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Number of planning applications granted which would result in detriment to the favourable conservation status of EU protected species in their natural range or significant harm to species protected by other statute	No application granted permission that would result in detriment to the maintenance of the favourable conservation status of EU protected species in their natural range or significant harm to species protected by other statute		1 application permitted contrary to the advice of NRW or the authority's ecologist
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
No developments have been contrary to the advice of NI authority's ecologist.	en permitted No developm		nents have been permitted he advice of NRW or the cologist.

Analysis

During the monitoring period of the relevant applications approved it is considered that no applications were approved contrary to the advice of NRW or the authority's Ecologist. Approved applications were policy compliant/policy compliant subject to conditions/recommendations placed on the permission.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Open Space Provision

Relevant LDP Policies: KP16, KP18, C5

Indicator reference: OB3 EN13

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger	
LOCAL Achievement of functional open space requirement across Cardiff as set out in Policy C5	2.43 Ha functional open space per 1,000 population		Less than 2.43 Ha functional open space per 1,000 population	
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017		Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018		
Latest figures show 1.18 has open space per 1,000 popul Cardiff.		•	es show 1.16 ha of functional per 1,000 population in	
For all types of open space the equivalent figure is 7.44 ha of open space per 1,000 population.			of open space the gure is 8.07 of open space opulation.	

Analysis

The latest survey of open space shows that the baseline figure for the second Annual Monitoring Report is 1.16 ha of functional open space per 1,000 population in Cardiff compared to an equivalent figure of 1.18 ha in the first Annual Monitoring Report. This figure increases if you include educational playing fields to 1.89 functional open space per 1,000 population in Cardiff and if you include all types of open space (functional amenity open space) the equivalent figure is 8.07 ha of open space per 1,000 population, well in excess of the indicator target and a rise of 9% when compared to 2016/17.

Although there has been a very marginal decrease in the figure since the first Annual Monitoring Report significant additional functional open space will be provided in conjunction with the large strategic housing sites which are at the very early stages of development or are yet to commence. Once significant progress has been made on these sites it is anticipated that the amount of functional open space per 1,000 population will increase over and above the baseline figure identified above.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Air Quality

Relevant LDP Policies: EN13

Indicator reference: OB3 EN14

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Number of Air Quality Management Areas	No more than 4 current AQMA in action		One or more additional AQMA
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	_		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
There are currently 4 AQMA's within Cardiff meaning there has been no change in the number of AQMA's during the monitoring period		Cardiff meai	urrently 4 AQMA's within ning there has been no le number of AQMA's during ng period

Analysis

There are currently four established AQMAs within Cardiff:

- 1. Cardiff City Centre- declared 1st April 2013
- 2. Llandaff- declared 1st April 2013
- 3. Stephenson Court- declared 1st December 2010
- 4. Ely Bridge- declared 1st Feb 2007

Each of these AQMAs was declared as a result of road-traffic derived Nitrogen Dioxide. There is one action plan in place for Ely Bridge AQMA and interim Action Plans have prepared for Cardiff City Centre, Llandaff and Stephenson Court AQMAs.

These recommend that further monitoring is undertaken and set out measures to improve air quality in these areas. Such measures include Environmental Health Officers working closely with Planning Officers to advise on any development with the potential for detrimental impacts on air quality, requesting Air Quality Assessments and applying conditions where necessary and working to reduce traffic and emissions through implementation of the Transport and Clean Air Green Paper.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Open Space SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: C4, C5

Indicator reference: OB3 EN15

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Open Space SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 6 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The Green Infrastructure S incorporating guidance on was issued for public consu June 2017 and is due to be by Cabinet and Council for October 2017	open space ultation in considered	incorporating	nfrastructure SPG, g guidance on open space ed in November 2017
Analysis			

The Open Space SPG has been incorporated in the Green Infrastructure SPG which was approved by Council on 30th November 2017 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.

Recommendations

No action is required.

Topic Area: Public Rights of Way and Development SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: T1

Indicator reference: OB3 EN16

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Public Rights of Way and Development SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201		Performan	ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The Green Infrastructure S incorporating guidance on pof way was issued for public consultation in June 2017 abe considered by Cabinet afor approval in October 201	public rights c and is due to and Council	incorporating	nfrastructure SPG, g guidance on public rights of proved in November 2017
Analysis			
The Public Rights of Way and Development SPG has been incorporated in the Green Infrastructure SPG which was approved by Council on 30 th November 2017 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.			
Recommendations			
No action is required.			

Topic Area: Trees and Development SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: EN8

Indicator reference: OB3 EN17

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Trees and Development SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	<u> </u>		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The Green Infrastructure SPG, incorporating guidance on trees and development was issued for public consultation in June 2017 and is due to be considered by Cabinet and Council for approval in October 2017		incorporating	nfrastructure SPG, g guidance on trees and it was approved in November
Analysis			

The Trees and Development SPG has been incorporated in the Green Infrastructure SPG which was approved by Council on 30th November 2017 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.

Recommendations

No action is required.

Topic Area: Biodiversity SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: EN5, EN6, EN7

Indicator reference: OB3 EN18

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Biodiversity SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The Green Infrastructure S incorporating guidance on I was issued for public consu June 2017 and is due to be by Cabinet and Council for October 2017	PG, biodiversity ultation in considered	The Green I	nfrastructure SPG, g guidance on biodiversity ed in November 2017

Analysis

The Biodiversity SPG has been incorporated in the Green Infrastructure SPG which was approved by Council on 30th November 2017 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.

Recommendations

No action is required.

Topic Area: Flooding SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: EN14

Indicator reference: OB3 EN19

Contextual Changes: The requirements of the SPG have changed significantly from those originally foreseen, giving rise to the need for extensive additional technical work resulting from the forthcoming implementation of schedule 3 of the Flood Water and Management Act 2010 which will make sustainable drainage mandatory for certain types of development.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Flooding SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 12 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017		Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
The Flooding SPG is due for public consultation in I		prepared pri	ooding SPG is being or to being reviewed and ernally and issued for public
Analysis			

The Council adopted the LDP on the 28th of January 2016. The intention was that the SPG should have been adopted by the end of January 2017.

However, progress on the document has been delayed due to the extensive additional technical work which has been required in preparing the guidance due to the forthcoming implementation of schedule 3 of the Flood Water and Management Act 2010 (due to commence on the 7th January 2019) which will make sustainable drainage mandatory for certain types of development, in combination with limitations of workloads and staffing capacity.

Preparatory work on the SPG is ongoing prior to it being reviewed and finalised internally and issued for public consultation. An update on this will be provided in 3rd AMR in 2019.

Recommendations

Prioritise resources to the delivery of the SPG as per the above timescales, to ensure adoption in 2019.

Topic Area: Natural Heritage Network SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: KP16, EN3 - EN8

Indicator reference: OB3 EN20

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Natural Heritage Network SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 12 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 20 ^c			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The Green Infrastructure S incorporating guidance on heritage network was issue consultation in June 2017 a be considered by Cabinet a for approval in October 2019	the natural ed for public and is due to and Council	incorporating	nfrastructure SPG, g guidance on the natural work was approved in 2017
Analysis			

The Natural Heritage Network SPG has been incorporated in the Green Infrastructure SPG which was approved by Council on 30th November 2017 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.

Recommendations

No action is required.

Topic Area: Archaeologically Sensitive Areas SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: EN14

Indicator reference: OB3 EN21

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Archaeologically Sensitive Areas SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The Archaeologically Sensi SPG is due to be issued for consultation in March 2018	r public	Sensitive Ar	on the Archaeologically eas SPG was undertaken in December 2018 and was July 2018.
Analysis			
The SPG was approved by Council on 19 th July 2018 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.			
Recommendations			
No action is required.			

Objective 4 – To create sustainable neighbourhoods that form part of a sustainable city

Topic Area: Renewable Energy

Relevant LDP Policies: EN12
Indicator reference: OB4 SN1

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL The number and capacity of renewable energy developments permitted	An increase in the number of renewable energy schemes permitted		No increase in the number of renewable energy schemes permitted for two or more consecutive years
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
No notable renewable energy schemes were permitted during the monitoring period.		during the ye	pplications were granted ear which incorporated solar unting to 0.05MW in total

Analysis

In many respects, it is considered that there is relatively limited scope for renewable energy in Cardiff. Unlike some other local authorities in Wales, Cardiff has no Strategic Search Areas (TAN8) thereby restricting the potential for harnessing large-scale onshore wind power. With regards to other technologies, Cardiff is a relatively small area with much of its land already developed. Outside the urban areas, topography, environmental constraints plus relatively high land values constrain opportunities for medium-large renewable energy generation. There are however exceptions, within the former docklands two notable schemes are already in operation including an Energy Recovery Facility in Splott (30MW) and more recently a biomass plant in Tremorfa (2MW). Planning permission was also granted just outside the monitoring period in June 2018 for a biomass plant at Rover Way (9.5MW). Also during the year 5 applications were granted planning permission which incorporated Solar energy amounting to 0.05MW in total.

It should also be noted that under the provisions of The Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (Amendment) (Wales) Order 2012, householders and businesses benefit from 'permitted development' rights relating to microgeneration/small-scale renewable energy technologies. Given the extent of these rights, it is inevitable that many small-scale renewable energy schemes will take place in Cardiff without the need for obtaining planning permission. Subsequently, holistic monitoring of renewable energy

developments is not possible and certain developments will not be captured by this monitoring indicator.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Waste Management Capacity

Relevant LDP Policies: KP12, W1

Indicator reference: OB4 SN2

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Maintain a sufficient amount of land and facilities to cater for Cardiff's waste capacity	Maintain a sufficient capacity to cater for Cardiff's waste (to be confirmed at a regional level in accordance with TAN21)		No trigger
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
A sufficient amount of land and facilities are available to cater for Cardiff's waste capacity			amount of land and facilities e to cater for Cardiff's waste

Analysis

TAN21 and its associated regional monitoring reports are used to monitor whether each region has enough capacity to manage its waste arisings and anticipate when additional regional capacity will be needed. Cardiff is part of the South East Wales Region. The latest regional monitoring report available is the 'Waste Planning Monitoring Report: South East Wales' published in April 2016. This concluded that there is no further need for landfill capacity within the South East Wales region and that any proposals for further residual waste treatment should be carefully assessed to ensure that the facility would not result in over-provision.

Waste developments of significance within the monitoring period are as follows:

- A replacement HWRC was opened at Lamby Way in July 2017;
- An application to vary a condition at Viridor's Energy Recovery Facility to increase throughput to 425,000t per annum was approved in July 2017;
- An application to modify the s106 agreement at Viridor's Energy Recovery Facility so that it could accept waste from outside South East Wales was approved in July 2017;

Therefore, it is considered that policies KP12 and W1 are functioning effectively. The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issue.

Recommendations

No action required at present. Continue to monitor.

Topic Area: Household Waste Recycling

Relevant LDP Policies: KP12, W1, W2

Indicator reference: OB4 SN3

Contextual Changes: There have been no contextual changes relating to this policy

area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Amount of household waste recycled	Minimum Overall Recycling - 58% by 2016, 64% by 2020 and 70% by 2025. Maximum Landfill = n/a by 2016, 10% by 2020 and 5% by 2025		Minimum Overall Recycling - 58% by 2016, 64% by 2020 and 70% by 2025. Maximum Landfill = n/a by 2016, 10% by 2020 and 5% by 2025
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The amount of household waste recycled in 2015/16 was 58.2% and amount sent to landfill was 7.5%			of household waste recycled was 58.1% and amount sent as 1.6%

Analysis

Latest figures produced by Welsh Government show that the household recycling rate in 2016/17 was 58.1% which met the target set out above. This rate continues a general upward trend over the last few years as rates in 2014/15 were 53.4%, 2013/14 were 49.7% and in 2016/17 were 58.2%. Only 1.6% of household waste was sent to landfill in 2016/17 which is below the 10% target for 2020 set out above. This percentage represents a significant reduction from 2012/13 when 39% was sent to landfill.

Therefore, it is considered that policies KP12. W1 and W2 are functioning effectively in this regard. The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issue.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Waste Management Applications

Relevant LDP Policies: KP12, W1, W2

Indicator reference: OB4 SN4

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
Applications received for waste management uses on B2 sites	Maintain a sufficient range and choice of waste management facilities		1 or more applications refused in any 1 year
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 20°	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
No applications for waste management uses on B2 land refused		No application uses on B2	ons for waste management land refused

Analysis

During the monitoring period, no applications for waste management uses on B2 land were refused.

Therefore, it is considered that policies KP12 and W2 are functioning effectively in this regard. The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issue.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Landbank of Crushed Rock Reserves

Relevant LDP Policies: KP11

Indicator reference: OB4 SN5

Contextual Changes: There have been no contextual changes relating to this policy

area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Maintain a minimum 10 year landbank of crushed rock reserves	10 year supply		Less than 10 year supply
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
More than 10 year supply r throughout the plan period	an 10 year supply maintained out the plan period		0 year supply maintained he plan period

Analysis

The most recent published data on the landbank is the SWRAWP Annual Report 2016, published in March 2018. This states that Cardiff has a landbank of 26 years based on a 3 year average of sales (2014-2016) and 34 years based on a 10 year average of sales (2007-2016). Data for the Annual Report 2017 is currently being collated. The Council cannot publish information on rates of sales in relation to reserves in an uncollated format due to the need to protect the commercial confidentiality of operators.

Given that there would be a landbank in excess of 10 years at the end of the plan period in 2026, it is considered that mineral policies are functioning effectively. The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issue.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Sand Wharf Protection Areas

Relevant LDP Policies: KP11, M6

Indicator reference: OB4 SN6

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger	
LOCAL Amount of development within Sand Wharf Protection Area	No permanent development which would prejudice the ability to land marine dredged sand and gravel will be permitted within the safeguarded sand wharfs which is contrary to Policy M6		1 application permitted for development in any 1 year	
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
No applications permitted v Sand Wharf Protection Are	o applications permitted within the		No applications permitted within the Sand Wharf Protection Area	

Analysis

During the monitoring period no applications were permitted within the Sand Wharf Protection Area. It is, therefore, considered that policy M6 is functioning effectively. The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issue.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Mineral Safeguarding Areas

Relevant LDP Policies: KP11, M7

Indicator reference: OB4 SN7

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Trigger
1 application permitted for development in any 1 year
ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
ently sterilising developments ontrary to policy M7

Analysis

During the monitoring period 4 applications located within the limestone safeguarding area were approved:

- One application was to change the use of existing open land to incorporate it
 into the private gardens of the adjacent recently constructed houses. The
 houses were approved in 2015, prior to the adoption of the LDP, and the
 application relates to an area of open land in front of them. As the houses are
 now sited between the land in question and the majority of the safeguarded
 resource, it is not considered that the proposal would cause any additional
 sterilisation of the resource;
- One application was for the alteration of an approved house type and a conservatory. The site falls within housing site H1.5 so is land allocated for housing use. The development would not cause any additional sterilisation of the resource;
- One application was for a telecommunications base station, which would not permanently sterilise the land;
- One application was for the provision of play equipment on an area of open space, which would not permanently sterilise the land.

It is, therefore, considered that policy M7 is functioning effectively. The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issue.

Recommendations	
No action is required at present. Continue to monitor.	

Topic Area: Mineral Permissions

Relevant LDP Policies: M2

Indicator reference: OB4 SN8

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger	
LOCAL Number of planning permissions permitted for extraction of aggregate mineral not in line with Policy M2	0 Planning permissions permitted		1 application permitted for development in any 1 year	
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
No applications permitted for extraction of aggregate mineral not in line with Policy M2			ons permitted for extraction e mineral not in line with	
Analysis				
During the monitoring period no applications for mineral extraction were permitted.				

Recommendations

Topic Area: Mineral Buffer Zones

Relevant LDP Policies: M4

Indicator reference: OB4 SN9

Contextual Changes: There have been no contextual changes relating to this policy

area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Number of planning permissions for inappropriate development e.g. dwellings/mineral working, permitted in Minerals Buffer Zones contrary to Policy M4	1 planning pe permitted	rmission	1 application permitted for development in any one year
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
No applications for inappro development permitted with Minerals Buffer Zones			ons for inappropriate It permitted within the Ifer Zones

Analysis

During the monitoring period only one application was approved for development within a buffer zone:

 An application to increase the number of children cared for at a nursery located within the buffer zone surrounding Taffs Well Quarry. As the nursery is an existing 'sensitive development' within the buffer zone, it is not considered that an increase in the number of children cared for would have an additional impact upon the buffer zone.

Therefore, no applications for inappropriate development were permitted within the Minerals Buffer Zones. It is, therefore, considered that policy M4 is functioning effectively. The Council will continue to monitor this indicator to determine the effectiveness of the policy framework relating to this issue.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Prohibition Orders on dormant Mineral Sites

Relevant LDP Policies: M3

Indicator reference: OB4 SN10

Contextual Changes: There have been no contextual changes relating to this policy

area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Number of prohibition orders issued on dormant sites	Ensure that those dormant sites deemed not likely to be re-worked in the future (as part of the annual review) are served with prohibition orders		LPA fails to serve prohibition orders on sites that are deemed not likely to be re-worked in the future
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017		Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
No prohibition orders served in the monitoring period. Work has progressed in securing the closure of southern and western parts of Creigiau Quarry in line with M3		No prohibition monitoring print securing to	on orders served in the period. Work has continued the closure of southern and the soft Creigiau Quarry in line

Analysis

The Council has not served any prohibition orders within the monitoring period.

Work is continuing in securing the relinquishment of southern and western parts of Creigiau Quarry as part of planning application 15/01953/MJR for an extension to the south east of the current quarry area. The s106 agreement is yet to be finalised.

It is considered that further research and investigation into the appropriateness of serving prohibition orders be carried out. The Council will continue to monitor the progress of the application at Creigiau Quarry.

Recommendations

Further research on prohibition orders is required. Continue to monitor.

Topic Area: Historic Environment

Relevant LDP Policies: KP 17: Built Heritage, EN9: Conservation of the Historic

Environment

Indicator reference: OB4 SN11

Contextual Changes: There have been no contextual changes relating to this policy

area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Number of applications permitted contrary to Policy EN9 that would adversely affect Scheduled Ancient Monuments, registered historic parks and gardens, Listed Buildings or Conservation Areas	No developments permitted over the course of the Plan where there is an outstanding objection from statutory heritage advisors or that would adversely affect Scheduled Ancient Monuments, registered historic parks and gardens, Listed Buildings or Conservation Areas		1 application permitted for development in any 1 year where there is an outstanding objection from statutory heritage advisors
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
No developments have been permitted with an outstanding objection from statutory heritage advisors.		with an outs	ments have been permitted tanding objection from ritage advisors.

Analysis

During the monitoring period 103 relevant applications were received on historic environment assets. Of these applications all were considered to be policy compliant/policy compliant subject to conditions/recommendations placed on the permission. No applications were permitted with an outstanding objection from statutory heritage advisors.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Delivery of Strategic Site Infrastructure

Relevant LDP Policies: KP2(A-H), KP4 and KP6

Indicator reference: OB4 SN12

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant changes relating to this policy

area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Delivery of each key principle from the Strategic Sites Masterplanning Framework as embedded in the LDP to ensure delivery of key infrastructure including sustainable transportation interventions, social and community facilities, together with any other key Masterplanning requirements.	Failure of any key principles being effectively delivered in accordance with details which are approved through the Development Management process (e.g. S106 obligations & planning conditions).		1 (or more) key principles not delivered.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017		Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
As of June 2017, planning permission(s) have been granted at Strategic Sites C (North West Cardiff), F (North East Cardiff – West of Pontprennau) and G (East of Pontprennau Link Road). Associated S106 agreements link to infrastructure provision identified through policies KP2(A-H). To date, construction work has only commenced at Site G and the delivery of infrastructure provision identified through the associated S106 agreements will be monitored as schemes progress over the coming years.		permission in Sites: C: North We D: Land Nor F: North East of P Full and/or F granted at s A: Central E C: North We G: East of P	ontprennau Link Road (x2) Reserved Matters have been

C: North West Cardiff
G:East of Pontprennau Link Road.

The S106 Agreements for each of the Strategic Sites links to the infrastructure provision identified through LDP Policies KP2(A-H).

The delivery of infrastructure provision is monitored as schemes progress and is summarised in Appendix 2 of the Cardiff Infrastructure Plan (Edition 2, Spring 2018).

Analysis

The LDP Strategic Sites are at their early stages of development (submission of planning applications / granting of planning permissions etc), with initial phases now being constructed at sites C (North West Cardiff) and G (East of Pontprennau Link Road).

At this stage, it is only possible to monitor Strategic Site infrastructure provision through the details set out in the S106 Agreements associated with the granting of planning permissions.

Appendix 2 of the Cardiff Infrastructure Plan (Edition 2, Spring 2018) provides a summary of the S106 Agreements associated with each Strategic Site (or parts thereof) and identifies those S106 items (financial payments or in-kind provision) that are projected to be triggered (either in whole or in part) during 2018.

Recommendations

- Continue to monitor the delivery of Strategic Site infrastructure provision through annual updates of the Cardiff Infrastructure Plan.
- No actions are triggered under the second year of performance monitoring.

Topic Area: Cardiff Infrastructure Plan

Relevant LDP Policies: KP6

Indicator reference: OB4 SN13

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant changes relating to this policy

area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Preparing an annual Infrastructure Plan and Infrastructure Plan Delivery Report update.	Update the In Plan and Infra Plan Delivery annually to re latest availabl information wikey infrastructosts/funding estimated time	estructure Report flect the e ith regard to ture, and	Failure to update the Infrastructure Plan and Infrastructure Plan Delivery Report annually.
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The current (2016) version of the Cardiff Infrastructure Plan was published in September. The 2017 version is currently being prepared in advance of completion later in 2017.		The 2018 update of the Cardiff Infrastructure Plan (Edition 2*) has recently been completed and is due to be published in the autumn. [*Edition 2 identifies that this is the 2 nd year of the Performance AMR].	

Analysis

- A review / update of the Cardiff Infrastructure Plan is undertaken on an annual basis.
- The 2018 update of the Cardiff Infrastructure Plan (Edition 2) has recently been completed and is due to be published in the autumn.
- Appendix 2 of the Infrastructure Plan provides a summary of the S106 agreements associated with each Strategic Site (or parts thereof) and identifies those S106 items (financial payments or in-kind provision) that are projected to be triggered (either in whole or in part) during 2018.

Recommendations

No actions are triggered under the second year of performance monitoring.

Topic Area: Managing Transportation Impacts SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: T5

Indicator reference: OB4 SN14

Contextual Changes: There have been no contextual changes relating to this policy

area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger	
Local Design and Parking Guidance SPG (incorporating Access, Circulation and Parking Requirements SPG and sustainable design guidance)	To deliver the SPG		Failure to adopt SPG within 6 months of adoption of the Plan	
	Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to 31 st March 2017		Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018	
In 2016-2017, the Draft SP process of being finalised in for consultation. Progress on the document delayed due to extensive a technical work required in puddance, in combination workloads and staffing consultation of workloads and staffing consultation.	having been dditional breparing the vith limitations	Consultation on the SPG was undertaken between November and December 2017. The SPG was subsequently adopted, having been approved by Council on the 19 th of July 2018.		

Analysis

The Council recommended to approve the 'Managing Transport Impacts SPG' (which incorporates the Design and Parking Guidance) on July 19th 2018. This document will now be considered in the determination of all subsequent planning applications.

A commitment has been made to Council, to review the newly adopted SPG on at least a biennial basis, with the SPG serving as a 'live' working document, to be amended in response to changing approaches within Transport Policy.

Recommendations

Topic Area: Waste Management Facilities SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: W1, W2
Indicator reference: OB4 SN15

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger	
LOCAL Locating Waste Management Facilities SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 12 months of adoption of the Plan	
	Performance 1 st AMR 1 st April 2016 to		Performance 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to	
31 st March 2017			31 st March 2018	
The Locating Waste Manag	gement	The Locating	g Waste Management	
Facilities SPG was approve	ed in January	Facilities SP	G was approved in January	
2017		2017	,, ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	
Analysis				

The SPG was approved by Council on 26th January 2017 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.

Recommendations No action is required.

Topic Area: Infill Sites Design Guidance SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: KP5

Indicator reference: OB4 SN16

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Infill Sites Design Guidance SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	_		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The Infill Sites Design Guid was issued for public consu June 2017 and is due to be by Cabinet and Council for October 2017	lance SPG ultation in considered	The Infill Site	es Design Guidance SPG ed in November 2017

Analysis

The Infill Sites Design Guidance SPG was approved by Council on 30th November 2017 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.

Recommendations

No action is required

Topic Area: Tall Buildings SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: KP5

Indicator reference: OB4 SN17

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Tall Buildings SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The Tall Buildings SPG wa January 2017	s approved in	The Tall Bui January 201	ldings SPG was approved in 7
Analysis			

Analysis

The SPG was approved by Council on 26th January 2017 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.

Recommendations

No action is required.

Topic Area: Householder Design Guidance SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: KP5

Indicator reference: OB4 SN18

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Householder Design Guidance SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1st AMR 1st 31st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The Residential Design Gu was approved in January 2	idance SPG	The Resider	ntial Design Guidance SPG ed in January 2017
Analysis			

The SPG has been renamed Residential Design Guidance SPG and was approved by Council on 26th January 2017 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.

Recommendations

No action is required

Topic Area: Public Art SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: KP5

Indicator reference: OB4 SN19

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Public Art SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1st AMR 1st	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to
31 st March 201			31 st March 2018
The Public Art SPG is due	to be issued	The draft Pu	iblic Art SPG is currently in
for public consultation in M	arch 2018.		prior to being reviewed and ernally and issued for public
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Analysis

The Council adopted the LDP on the 28th of January 2016. The intention was that the SPG should have been adopted by the end of July 2017.

However, progress on the document has been delayed due to limitations of workloads and staffing capacity.

Preparatory work on the SPG is now at an advanced stage and is being reviewed/finalised internally prior to be issued for public consultation. An update on this will be provided in 3rd AMR in 2019.

Prioritise resources to the delivery of the SPG as per the above timescales, to ensure adoption in 2018.

Topic Area: Food, Drink and Leisure Uses SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: R8

Indicator reference: OB4 SN20

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Food Drink and Leisure Uses and Premises for Eating, Drinking and Entertainment in Cardiff City Centre SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201			ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The SPG was issued for purconsultation in June 2017 able considered by Cabinet after approval in October 201	and is due to and Council	The SPG wa 2017	as approved in November
Analysis			

Analysis

The SPG was approved by Council on 30th November 2017 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.

Recommendations

No action required

Topic Area: Waste Collection and Storage Facilities SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: W1, W2

Indicator reference: OB4 SN21

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Waste Collection and Storage Facilities SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 18 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1st AMR 1st 31st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The Waste Collection and Securities SPG was approved	•		Collection and Storage PG was approved in October
2016	ed in October	2016	G was approved in October

Analysis

The SPG was approved by Council on 20th October 2016 and has been taken into consideration in all planning applications determined since that date. Given this, there is no need to continue to monitor this indicator but the Council will continue to assess the effectiveness of the adopted SPG.

Recommendations

No action is required

<u>Topic Area: Design Guidance and Standards for Flat Conversions</u> SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: H5

Indicator reference: OB4 SN22

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Design Guidance and Standards for Flat Conversions SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 12 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The Design Guidance and Flat Conversions SPG is du issued for public consultation 2018	ue to be	Standards for been prepar reviewed / fi	e Design Guidance and or Flat Conversions SPG has ed and is currently being nalised internally prior to d for public consultation

Analysis

The Council adopted the LDP on the 28th of January 2016. The intention was that the SPG should have been adopted by the end of January 2017.

However, progress on the document has been delayed due to the extensive additional technical work and internal consultation which has been required in preparing the guidance, in combination with limitations of workloads and staffing capacity.

Preparatory work on the SPG is now at an advanced stage and is being reviewed/finalised internally prior to be issued for public consultation. An update on this will be provided in 3rd AMR in 2019.

Recommendations

Prioritise resources to the delivery of the SPG as per the above timescales, to ensure adoption in 2019.

Topic Area: Renewable Energy Assessments SPG

Relevant LDP Policies: EN12

Indicator reference: OB4 SN23

Contextual Changes: There have been no significant contextual changes relating to

this policy area during the monitoring period.

Indicator	Target		Trigger
LOCAL Renewable Energy Assessments SPG			Failure to adopt SPG within 12 months of adoption of the Plan
Performance 1 st AMR 1 st 31 st March 201	•		ce 2 nd AMR 1 st April 2017 to 31 st March 2018
The Renewable Energy As SPG is due to be issued fo consultation in March 2018	r public	Assessment to being revi	enewable Energy SPG is being prepared prior ewed and finalised internally or public consultation

Analysis

The Council adopted the LDP on the 28th of January 2016. The intention was that the SPG should have been adopted by the end of January 2017.

However, progress on the document has been delayed due to the technical nature of the document and the need to assess the implications of new renewable technologies and evolving national guidance on renewables, in combination with limitations of workloads and staffing capacity.

Preparatory work on the SPG is ongoing prior to it being reviewed and finalised internally and issued for public consultation. An update on this will be provided in 3rd AMR in 2019.

Recommendations

Prioritise resources to the delivery of the SPG as per the above timescales, to ensure adoption in 2019.

6. Sustainability Appraisal Monitoring

Methodology

The Sustainability Appraisal monitoring expands the assessment of the performance of the LDP against the Sustainability Appraisal (SA) Monitoring Objectives. The data collated includes a mix of qualitative and quantitative data with a commentary in the latter column to describe the progress and provide a recommendation.

Indicators may have been amended where there is a data gap to allow for similar information to be collated, the text is italicised to identify indicators where a change has been made. There is also overlap with some LDP indicators, these indicators are marked in bold and coloured green for clarity. This is intended to provide an indication of how the LDP monitoring and SA monitoring are interlinked. A brief commentary is provided although reference should be made to Section 5 LDP Policy Analysis for additional information.

There are a number of SA indicators where information is not published annually, for example those based on the census. The purpose of the monitoring framework is to review changes on an annual basis, as a consequence these are not necessarily going to be useful moving forward in terms of future monitoring. They have however been retained in order to provide a baseline, further work will be undertaken in time for the next AMR to determine whether alternative sources of information are available.

The traffic light rating system used for the LDP Monitoring Indicators has not been taken forward for use with the SA Monitoring. Many of the SA objectives are aspirational. In addition, the LDP alone would not be the only factor that would need to be considered in achieving their aims. The SA Monitoring does not include targets as such, unlike the LDP monitoring, it would therefore prove difficult to interpret the commentary into a traffic light rating. This is the second SA monitoring to be undertaken since the adoption of the LDP and it provides a short term position statement. Where applicable the direction of change compared to the first SA monitoring is included adjacent the data for this monitoring period. This will be utilised to assess the LDPs progression towards meeting the identified sustainable development indicators.

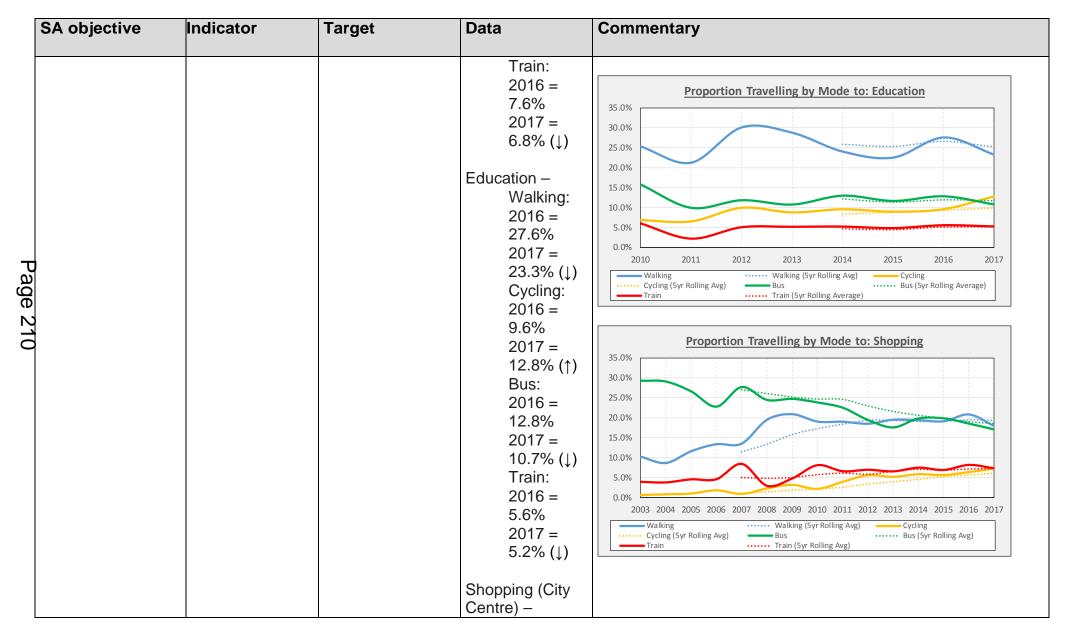
Information contained in the SA monitoring framework in the main relates to a wide range of data produced internally, by various departments of the Council and externally from other organisations. Where data has been sourced externally, a footnote is provided to ensure the data source is easily identifiable.

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
Help deliver equality of opportunity and access for all	The percentage of population in the 100 most deprived wards in Wales	Reduction	12% is the 2015 baseline	The latest Welsh Index of Multiple Deprivation data from 2015 shows that 12% of the population of Cardiff is in the 100 most deprived wards in Wales
D 200 200	The number of net additional affordable dwellings built	6,646 net affordable units over the remaining Plan period (representing an average of 22.8% of total housing provision	773 (†)	From 2014/15 to 2017/18 a total of 773 affordable dwellings were completed leaving a residue of 5.873 dwellings to be completed over the remaining 8 years to 2026.
	Total number of Gypsy and Traveller pitches for residential accommodation		No increase	Work ongoing to identify new site for Gypsy and Traveller pitches.

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
2. Maintain and improve air quality	NO2 levels	40μgm3	Exceedance's of the 40µgm ₃ within the declared AQMAs	The 2015 nitrogen dioxide Council monitoring data shows a number of sites representative of relevant exposure with exceedances of the 40µgm³ annual mean objective. These sites are predominantly contained within the declared AQMAs. However, there are two monitoring locations (Station Terrace & Ocean Way) which are not located within AQMAs, but it should be noted that annual exceedances are not out of character for these sites and are in locations not representative of relevant exposure.
3. Protect and enhance biodiversity, flora and fauna	Number and extent of designated sites of importance (SACs, SPAs, SSSIs, Ramsars, LNRs and SINCs, ancient woodland)	No loss of area	No loss of area	It is considered that there has been no loss of area as a result of applications permitted within the monitoring period. It is considered that all relevant applications permitted during the monitoring period were policy compliant/compliant subject to conditions/recommendations placed on the permission
	Condition of SSSIs	No reduction in condition	condition	It is considered that there has been no reduction in the condition of SSSIs as a result of applications permitted within the monitoring period. It is considered that all relevant applications permitted during the monitoring period were policy compliant/compliant subject to conditions/recommendations placed on the permission.

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
	Extent of Local Biodiversity Action Plan priority habitats	No reduction in extent		Local Biodiversity Action Plans are not currently being progressed. To be updated once a replacement has been established.
4. Reduce emissions of greenhouse gases that cause climate change and adapt to its effects	Traffic volumes (vehicle-km)	n/a	2015 = 2,927 2016 = 2,978 2017 = 2,920 Change (16/17) = -1.9% (\psi)	According to DfT published road traffic statistics data, traffic volumes in Cardiff have increased by a significant 2.2% from 2,927 to 2,991 million vehicle-km between 2015 and 2016, respectively. This level of growth is consistent with the average for the region, for GB and for Wales as a whole, and comparable to that for many local authorities. Examining the longer term trends as presented below, it is clear that historically traffic volumes have been increasing, but that these dipped between around 2008 and 2012, likely due to the economic downturn, and have since returned to their previous levels —

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
Page 209	% of people walking, cycling, travelling by bus and train for each journey purpose	n/a	Work – Walking: 2016 = 17.9% 2017 = 14.9% (↓) Cycling: 2016 = 11.3% 2017 = 16.5% (↑) Bus: 2016 = 10.0% 2017 = 9.7% (↓)	Cardiff Traffic Volume Trends 3,500 (Ly 3,000 1,500 1,



SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
Page 211			Walking: 2016 = 18.4% 2017 = 16.1% (↓) Cycling: 2016 = 6.6% 2017 = 7.8% (↑) Bus: 2016 = 26.7% 2017 = 25.3% (↓) Train: 2016 = 11.3% 2017 = 11.0% (↓) Shopping (Other) - Walking: 2016 = 23.5% 2017 = 19.9% (↓) Cycling: 2016 =	Proportion Travelling by Mode to: Leisure 25.0% 20.0% 15.0% 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 Walking Walking (Syr Rolling Avg) Walking (Syr Rolling Avg) Walking (Syr Rolling Avg) Train Walking (Syr Rolling Avg) Walking (Syr Rolling Avg) As discussed for OB1 EC15-EC18, there has been a decrease in the proportion walking, travelling by bus and by train, across all of the journey purposes over the last year. The only exception being the strong growth exhibited in the proportion cycling for each of the journey purposes. Whilst historically walking has been the dominant sustainable mode for each of the journey purposes (with the exception of City Centre Shopping which is dominated by bus, at 25.3%), in 2017 surprisingly cycling has exceeded walking as the most popular sustainable mode for commuting journeys (at 16.5%).

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
			6.0% 2017 = 6.6% (↑) Bus: 2016 = 8.9% 2017 = 7.2% (↓) Train: 2016 = 4.4% 2017 = 2.7% (↓) Leisure - Walking: 2016 = 21.8% 2017 = 17.8% (↓) Cycling: 2016 = 10.0% 2017 = 10.8% (↑) Bus: 2016 = 10.5% 2017 = 10.3% (↓)	

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
			Train: 2016 = 8.8% 2017 = 8.3% (↓)	
	No. residents working in Cardiff, no. people commuting out of Cardiff, no. people commuting into Cardiff	Cardiff: 2015 = 131 2016 = 139 2017 = 139 Change (10 0% Residents Commuting of Cardiff: 2015 = 34, 2016 = 27, 2017 = 32,6	Working in Cardiff: 2015 = 131,400 2016 = 139,500 2017 = 139,600 Change (16/17) = 0% Residents Commuting Out	According to data from the Annual Population Survey as published by the Welsh Government, there are currently 228,400 people working in Cardiff, with no significant change from the previous year. Of this total, around 139,600 are resident in Cardiff (again similar to that for 2016), with the remaining 88,800 having travelled in from outside (all modes), compared with 89,700 the previous year. Meanwhile, around 32,600 residents currently commute outside of the authority, which represents a large increase of 18% from the 27,700 in 2016.
			2017 =32,600 Change (16/17) =	The number and proportion of those travelling into Cardiff to work by origin, is provided in the table below – Origin: 2016 2017 Change
			Commuting into	Blaenau Gwent 1,100 1,100 0% (0.5%) (0.5%)
			Cardiff from Outside:	Bridgend 7,700 7,100 -8% (3%) (3%)
			2015 = 84,400 2016 = 89,700	Caerphilly 14,300 11,600 -19% (6%) (5%)

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary			
			2017 = 88,800 Change (16/17) =	Cardiff (Internal)	139,500 (61%)	139,600 (61%)	0%
			-1% (J) `	Merthyr Tydfil	2,700 (1%)	2,900 (1%)	+7%
			Total Working in Cardiff:	Monmouthshire	2,300 (1%)	2,800 (1%)	+22%
			2015 = 215,400 2016 = 229,200	Newport	8,100 (4%)	7,200 (3%)	-11%
			2017 = 228,400 Change (16/17) =	Rhondda Cynon Taf	22,000 (10%)	18,900 (8%)	-14%
U			0%	Vale of Glamorgan	20,100 (9%)	21,600 (10%)	+7%
Page 214				Torfaen	3,500 (2%)	3,500 (2%)	0%
772				TOTAL From Region (excl. Cardiff)	81,800 (36%)	76,700 (34%)	-6%
				TOTAL From Outside Region	7,900 (3%)	12,100 (5%)	+53%
				TOTAL Commuting	89,700 (39%)	88,800 (39%)	-1%
				TOTAL Working in Cardiff	229,200 (100%)	228,400 (100%)	0%
				As can be seen from the 76,700 (34%) travelling region, with this number In The most significant flow of Glamorgan (21,600 or 8%), Caerphilly (11,600	into Cardiff naving decre s from the 10%), Rho	from the Seased by 69 region are findda Cynor	outheast Wales % from last year. from – The Vale n Taf (18,900 or

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
				Bridgend (7,100 or 3%). While the volume has increased significantly from – Monmouthshire (+22%), Vale of Glamorgan (+7%), and Merthyr Tydfil (+7%); meanwhile the volume has decreased from – Caerphilly (-19%), Rhondda Cynon Taf (-14%), Newport (-11%), and Bridgend (-8%). Of particular note, the proportion commuting into Cardiff from outside the region has grown considerably by 53% between 2016 and 2017, with most of this increase having come from outside of Wales, as illustrated below –
				Outside Origin:20162017ChangeSwansea2,30029%2,50021%+9%Neath Port Talbot1,70022%2,50021%+47%Wales (Other)1,50019%2,00017%+33%Outside Wales2,40030%5,10042%+113%TOTAL7,900100%12,100100%+53% The marked increase from outside of Wales (113% from 2,400 in 2016 to 5,100 in 2017), may be due to the announcement of the abolishment of the M4 Tolls expected by the end of 2018, together with faster rising house prices in the West of England, and the expectation for quicker journeys by rail as a result of mainline electrification expected in 2019.With the number working in Cardiff having remained fairly consistent between 2016 and 2017, likewise the number of residents working in Cardiff; it is evident that the decrease in

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
				travel from the region has been counteracted by a similar increase from elsewhere in Wales and from England.
	Modal split	'At least 50% of all trips on Cardiff's transport network. made by sustainable modes	2015 = 46.0% 2016 = 50.3% 2017 = 48.1% (\psi)	Travel by mode is recorded each year in the Ask Cardiff Survey for the following journey purposes – Work, Education, Shopping (City Centre), Shopping (Other), and Leisure. However this does not take into account business-related
		by the end of the Plan period in 2026'	5yr Rolling Averages: 2015 = 47.6% 2016 = 48.0% 2017 = 48.0% ()	journeys, escort journeys which are not education based, or journeys for personal business. Therefore, in order to account for these unobserved journey purposes, it is necessary to infill with data from the National Travel Survey (NTS), as published annually by the DfT in Table NTS0409.
				This same NTS dataset is also used to relatively proportion each journey purpose such as to arrive at a single figure for use of sustainable modes for all journeys.
				The resulting figures show that as of 2017, 48% of all journeys are being made by sustainable modes, a 2% decrease from the 50% in 2016.
				This demonstrates the challenge ahead in trying to achieve and maintain the 50:50 by 2026, as increasing the numbers of people travelling sustainably may not in itself be enough if car use rises disproportionately to this.
				The reality is that significant efforts shall be required in order to achieve the 50% mode-split, in the face of the increased pressure from a 12% rise in population projected between

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commer	ntary					
				2016 and of trips. A breakd sustainab methodol –	own of	the propeach jo	oortions ourney	of total purpose,	trips wl	nich trav I on th
					Work	Education	Leisure	Shopping	Other	All Journeys
				2010	6.4%	6.9%	20.2%	11.5%	6%	50.7%
				2011	6.8%	7.4%	17.5%	10.7%	6%	48.2%
				2012		8.0%	17.3%	10.4%	6%	48.0%
				2013		7.8%	16.8%	10.2%	6%	47.0%
				2014		7.1%	18.1%	10.5%	6%	48.6%
				2015		6.1% 7.3%	16.8% 19.2%	10.6% 11.1%	5% 5%	46.0% 50.3%
				2016	7.3%	7 70/				

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
Page 218				Proportion of Sustainable Travel by Journey Purpose 100.0% 100.0% 10.0%

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
				interventions, in particular during the AM, where the dominant flow is inbound towards the center of Cardiff.
	Delivery of transport infrastructure as part of key strategic sites	As per the LDP and site masterplans	S106 Transport Funding Contributions (subject to schedule) for the key strategic sites are given as follows – SSA. Cardiff Central Enterprise Zone: • 18/01705/ MJR Cardiff Integrated Transport Hub (now being delivered by TfW) SSC. NW Cardiff: • 14/02157/ MJR -	Construction works are on-going at SSF. Churchlands in NE Cardiff and SSC. Plasdŵr in NW Cardiff, with initial occupation of the site at North of Llantrisant Road off Clos Parc Radyr ('Parc Plymouth'). However, no significant infrastructure is in place as of yet in relation to these. Meanwhile, construction and occupation of SSG. St Edeyrns 'Village' is at a more advanced stage, with the following infrastructure currently having been delivered – • New toucan crossing facilities at north and south of A4232 Pentwyn Link/Heol Pontprennau roundabout (2017) • Free bus passes issued to new residents • Access road built to 'spine road' standard, including with provision of a bus lane out • 40mph speed limit imposed on the A4232 Pentwyn Link In total, the following sustainable infrastructure and initiatives have been agreed to be delivered as part of the S106 agreements for the key strategic sites. These will help to reduce greenhouse gas emissions through encouraging modal shif from private car to sustainable travel modes – SSA. Cardiff Central Enterprise Zone

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
			Land North & South of Llantrisant Road £605,000 14/02733/ MJR - Plasdŵr £26.03 million 16/00106/ MJR - Goitre Fach Farm £1.29 million 14/02188/ MJR - South of Pentreban e £1.33 million SSD. North of	 144-space Bicycle Parking Facility SSC. NW Cardiff 14/02157/MJR - Land North & South of Llantrisant Road: Cycle parking, including at Radyr Station 3x new priority access junctions on Newport Road, with footways, cycleways & crossing facilities New 3m wide eastbound bus lane on Llantrisant Road with associated bus stops New traffic signal control junction at Llantrisant Road/Heol Isaf, with Toucan facilities on all arms, bus lane on southern arm, and associated footways & cycleways New raised roundabout with zebra crossing on Llantrisant Road 2x new Toucan crossing facilities Subsidy to provide extension to existing bus services for 2 years between Danescourt and Clos Parc Radyr
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SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
			J33: • 14/00852/DCO – North of J33 £2.30 million SSF. NE Cardiff: • 14/02891/ MJR - Churchlan ds £1.6-1.7 million SSG. St Edeyrns: • 13/00578/ DCO - St Edeyrns £2.79 million	 footway widening & shared use Safeguarding of corridor for the provision of northbound bus lane on Crofft-y-Genau Road Spine-road treatment on Crofft-y-Genau Road New traffic control access junction on Llantrisant Road, with cycle feeder lanes & dropped kerbs (J2) Safeguarding of land for the provision of a northbound bus lane at the southern arm to J2 New traffic control junction at Llantrisant Road/Clos Park Radyr, with formal crossings to link cycle tracks & cycle feeder lanes (J3) New northbound bus lane at the southern arm to J3 3x new priority access junctions on Llantrisant Road, with crossing facilities, footways, cycleways, shared use & raised tables (J4-6) New traffic control junction at Pentrebane Road/Waterhall Road, with associated bidirectional 3m wide cycle lanes & Toucan crossings on all arms (J11)

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
				 Realignment of Crofft-y-Genau Road into Pentrebane Road, providing cyclist & pedestrian access to St Brides Road (J14) Stopping up of Pentrebane Road, with provision of shared use link ANPR traffic gate to limit tidal flow access to Crofft-y-Genau Road 2x new priority access junctions on Crofft-y-Genau Road, with associated ANPR traffic gate & access flared for bus movements (J15-16) Bridge Road 270m southbound bus lane, shared cycle footway & signalised junction with Llantrisant Road Cardiff Road/Fairwater Road upgrade of traffic signals Cardiff Road cycling & bus stop improvements between Ely Road and Fairwater Road Provision of segregated off-road cycleway on disused rail line 90m Southbound bus lane on Fairwater Road approach to St Fagans Road Heol Isaf pedestrian & cycle improvements Llantrisant Road segregated cycleway on southern side between Danescourt Station and Cardiff Road 300m eastbound bus lane & shared cycle footway on southern side of St Fagans Road St Fagans Road safety improvements 100m westbound bus lane on Waun-Gron Road A48 Western Avenue/Waun-Gron Road junction improvements

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
				 Amethyst Road cycle street between Plasmawr Road and Keyston Road Cardiff Road northbound bus lane improvements at Western Avenue junction East-West cycle primary route, Llandaff New traffic control junction at Llantrisant Road/Danescourt Road East New traffic control junction at Llantrisant Road/Danescourt Road West Llantrisant Road shared cycleway footway between Danescourt Road East/West Llantrisant Road shared cycleway footway between Waterhall Road and Heol Aradur Pwllmelin Road and Fairwater Road traffic calming & cycling improvements Radyr Court Road traffic calming of cycle route Radyr Court Road pedestrian & cycling safety and access improvements, with zebra crossing on Bridge Road Radyr Court Road upgrade of cycle link to Llantrisant Road Western Avenue to Ely Roundabout southbound traffic pre-signals Western Avenue/Ely Road (East) junction Toucan crossing Western Avenue to Waun-Gron Road shared cycle footway on west side Cardiff Road/Palace Road junction, pedestrian & traffic calming improvements

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
				 Provision of £12 million bus subsidies, to provide services linking the development, Pentrebane, Radyr, Cardiff City Centre (via Llantrisant Road & Pentrebane Road), Pontyclun/Talbot Green, Heath Hospital, J33 Park & Ride, Cardiff West Interchange, Cardiff Bay (via Ely Mill), and Whitchurch (via Llandaff) 16/00106/MJR - Goitre Fach Farm:
Daga 334				 Cycle parking New traffic signal access junction at Llantrisant Road with Toucan & Puffin crossing facilities Realignment of segregated cycleway on Llantrisant Road New public transport, pedestrian & cycle facilities along Llantrisant Road New raised crossing facility on Llantrisant Road New spine-road with 2x 2m wide footway, 3m wide segregated cycleway, and 6.3m wide carriageway Bus contribution to Llantrisant Road (subject to occupation)
				 Cycling measures on A4119 between Waterhall Road roundabout and Penhill Road Provision of 1-year free bus pass & £50 cycle voucher to first residential occupiers 14/02188/MJR - South of Pentrebane:

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
				 New Pentrebane Road priority access junction to accommodate safe & convenient 2-way bus movement, with associated footway & cycle provision Provision of bus stop & bus turning circle, with 3m wide segregated cycleways, 2m wide footways & 6.1m carriageways to promote sustainable travel Secure cycle parking, including covered cycle parking at Fairwater Station & at key bus stops Improvements to Llantrisant Road & Pentrebane Road as part of the North West Corridor programme Bus contribution (in accordance with trigger points & installments) Provision of 1-year free bus pass & £50 cycle voucher to first residential occupiers SSD. North of J33 14/00852/DCO - North of J33:
				 1,000 space Park & Ride facility, with 3/4 accessed from J33 & 1/4 accessed from A4119 (subject to imminent signing of S106) New junctions on Llantrisant Road, including crossing facilities, associated cycle & footway provision, and bus lanes (subject to imminent signing of S106) On-site public transport infrastructure, bus & cycle lanes (subject to imminent signing off S106) Financial contribution to new and enhanced bus services (subject to imminent signing off S106)

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
				SSF. NE Cardiff 14/02891/MJR – Churchlands: • Widening of Pentwyn Road to provide an eastbound bus lane between Peppermint Drive and Pentwyn Drive • New signalized junction on Pentwyn Drive • New cycle route (1) to be provided linking site A48 Eastern Avenue via Meadow Close • New cycle route (2) to be provided along Cyncoed Road • Bus improvements on A48 Eastern Avenue (between Pentwyn & Pontprennau) & A4232 Pentwyn Link (northbound to J33) • Provision of bus services linking to Heath Hospital • Provision of bus service linking to City Centre via Cardiff East Park & Ride • Phase 2 bus priority infrastructure • Phase 3 bus priority infrastructure SSG. St Edeyrns 13/00578/DCO - St Edeyrns: • Provision of missing link to Rhymney Trail, south of A48 between Pentwyn Link Interchange and development, including upgrade of A48 subway

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
				 Cycle parking spaces Investigation & provision of a northbound bus lane on A4232 Bus service extension from the development to City Centre serving Church Road and St Mellons Road Investigation & provision of bus service extension on A48 from A4232 A scheme to demonstrate effective operation of Heol Pontprennau Roundabout, including bus priority measures, Toucan crossing facilities, and associated pedestrian & cyclist provision Spine-road treatment on access road, including the provision of bus lane Widening of existing footways linking the Toucan crossing and Heol Pontprennau signalised crossing Scheme to provide shared path south of Heol Pontprennau Roundabout, providing direct traffic-free link to A48 Interchange with Church Road Scheme to reduce the speed limit on Pentwyn Link towards J30 from 50mph to 40mph Scheme to prevent vehicular through access via St Mellons Road and Bridge Road, with the provision of bus gates at both ends Provision of a new bridge across the River Rumney for pedestrians & cyclists to St Mellons
	Permissions granted for highly	0	2	Two applications were granted for highly vulnerable development in C1 flood risk areas that did not meet all TAN15 tests.

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
	vulnerable development in C1 and C2 flood risk areas			Both these applications related to the conversion and extension of existing properties in the Canton area of the city to flats and Natural Resources Wales had objected stating the depth of flooding at ground floor level would be greater than 600 metres and therefore did not meet the tolerable limits set out in TAN15 (Section A1.14). In determining these applications the Council considered that it would be unreasonable to refuse planning permission on this issue as the properties were already in residential use and surrounded by other residential properties with the same finished floor level. In addition it was noted that each flat unit has access to a first floor refuge and in both cases the applicant was made aware of the risk of flooding at the premises.
				Given this it is considered these two applications raise particular issues that need separate consideration and are not related to the performance of the LDP which is functioning effectively as evidenced by the fact that flood risk has been considered as a key consideration in all the applications submitted for highly vulnerable development in Zone C1.
5. Protect and enhance historic and cultural heritage	Number of listed buildings, conservation areas, etc.	No reduction	No reduction	There has been no reduction in the number of local, national or international designations as a result of applications approved during the monitoring period. It is considered that all relevant applications permitted during the monitoring period were policy compliant/compliant subject to conditions/recommendations placed on the permission.
6. Help deliver the growth of a	Net job creation over the	40,000 net additional jobs	18,000 since 2009 (†)	Total jobs in Cardiff - 208,000 in 2016 (latest Nomisweb.co.uk figures, May 2017). This compares to an equivalent figure from

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Co	ommentary							
sustainable and diversified economy	remaining Plan period	over plan period, 20,900 between 2006 and 2015			09 of 190,000 rease in jobs	•			ch rep	resent	s an 18	3,000
7. Improve health and well-being	Delivery of community infrastructure as part of key development sites	Increase	at Strategic Sites C (33), F (North East C of Pontprennau Link to infrastructure prov H). To date, construct C, F and G and the cidentified through the monitored as schem Work:					218, planning permission(s) have been granted as C (North West Cardiff), D (North of Junction ast Cardiff – West of Pontprennau) and G (East Link Road). Associated S106 agreements link a provision identified through policies KP2 (Anstruction work has only commenced at Sites the delivery of infrastructure provision as the associated S106 agreements will be chemes progress over the coming years. of journeys made by active travel modes (i.e. cling) for each journey purpose is presented in				
	walking/cycling 2016 = 2017 =	2016 = 29.2% 2017 = 30.6% Change (16/17) =	the table below –					Walking & Cycling				
			+1.4% (†) Education:			2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	Change
			2015 = 31.5% 2016 = 37.2%		Work	18%	14%	11%	17%	29%	31%	+1.4%
			2017 = 36.1% Change (16/17) =		Education	28%	23%	10%	13%	37%	36%	-1%
		-1.1% (\(\psi\)		Shopping (City Centre)	18%	16%	7%	8%	25%	24%	-1%	
			Shopping (City		Shopping (Other)	24%	20%	6%	7%	30%	27%	-3%
			Centre): 2015 = 22.4%		Leisure	22%	18%	10%	11%	32%	29%	-3%

	SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
Page 230				2017 = 28.6% Change (16/17) = -3.2% (\downarrow) All Journeys: 2015 = 35.3% 2016 = 39.5% 2017 = 39.4% Change (16/17) = -0.1% (\downarrow)	The above demonstrates that with the exception of journeys to Work which has seen a 1.4% rise since 2016, that there has been a general decline in the proportion of active travel for all the other journey purposes. Although cycling has seen considerable growth over this period, this increase has been counteracted by an even greater decrease in the proportion walking. This suggests that much of the increase in the numbers cycling may have come from short distance trips of those whom previously walked, rather than due to a significant mode-shift from car. The possible reasons for the above changes in walking and cycling are provided for OB1 EC14 and OB1 EC15, respectively.
		Percentage of population in	Reduction	28%	The latest Welsh Index of Multiple Deprivation data from 2015 shows that 28% of the population of Cardiff is in the 100 most

SA objective	Indicator	Target	Data	Commentary
	the 100 most deprived wards in Wales in the 10% most deprived wards in Wales for physical environment			deprived wards in Wales for physical environment.
8. Protect and enhance the landscape	Achievement of functional open space requirements	2.43ha per 1,000 population	1.16ha per 1,000 population (↓)	Latest figures show 1.16 ha of functional open space per 1,000 population in Cardiff. For all types of open space the equivalent figure is 8.07 ha of open space per 1,000 population.
	Special Landscape Areas	Five SLAs designated by plan adoption	Five SLAs designated	Five SLAs have been designated at: St Fagans Lowlands and the Ely Valley Garth Hill and Pentyrch Ridges Fforest Fawr and Caerphilly Ridge Wentloog Levels Flat Holm
9. Use natural resources efficiently and safeguard their	Percent of housing on previously developed land	60%	58.8% (↓)	For the year 2017/18 58.8% of housing was on previously developed land.
quality	Average density of new development		130.4 dwellings per hectare (†)	For 2017/18 the average density of new housing development in Cardiff was 130.4 dwellings per hectare.
	Area of	>0	N/A	Presently no data is available to monitor this indicator. Will

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	contaminated land cleared up			re-assess position in next monitoring report.
10. Respond to demographic changes in a	Total population	n/a	362,756 (↑)	The latest Mid Year estimate for Cardiff produced by Office of National Statistics shows that Cardiff has a population of 362,756 in 2017.
sustainable way	No. homes in Cardiff	45,400 net additional homes by 2026		Since the base date of the Plan in 2006 15,077 dwellings have been completed leaving 26,338 to be completed.
11. Minimise waste, increase re-use & recycling	Waste reduction rate	Reduction per household	-0.3% (↑)	The amount of household waste collected and generated between 2015/16 and 2016/17 decreased by 0.3% from 177,457 to 176,952 tonnes.

7. Conclusions

This is the first AMR to be prepared since the adoption of the Cardiff LDP and provides a short term position statement on the initial impacts of the LDP. The key conclusion is that while it is difficult to determine definitive trends in policy performance, good progress is being made in delivering the identified targets/ monitoring outcomes and policies and there is no evidence to suggest the need for a full or partial review of the LDP at this early stage in its implementation. The findings of this report provide for future comparative analysis in successive AMRs and the monitoring of the policy framework over a longer period will enable trends to be identified and firmer conclusions drawn.

Welsh Government procedural guidance 'Local Development Plans Wales (Edition 2 2015), (para 4.3) sets out seven questions that the AMR should address. The issues included in these questions have been considered throughout the AMR as part of the analysis of the monitoring data.

- What new issues have occurred in the area or in local/national policy (key recent contextual and national policy changes, future prospects)?
- How relevant, appropriate and up-to-date is the LDP strategy and its key policies and targets?
- What sites have been developed or delayed in relation to the plan's expectations on location and timing?
- What has been the effectiveness of delivering policies and in discouraging inappropriate development?

This section concludes the findings of the monitoring process and directly responds to the LDPW questions, ensuring that the procedural guidance is fully addressed.

What new issues have occurred in the area or in local/national policy (key recent contextual and national policy changes, future prospects)?

Section 3 contains contextual information outlining the changes to national planning policy guidance and technical advice which have taken place over the monitoring period. Whilst these changes will need to be incorporated into any future review of LDP policies they are not considered to be of a scale that requires reconsideration of the Plan strategy or individual policies at this time.

How relevant, appropriate and up-to-date is the LDP strategy and its key policies and targets?

The evidence collected through the AMR process indicates that progress is being made with the implementation of the spatial strategy and it remains sound at this time. It is, however, difficult to determine definitive trends at this stage as this is the first monitoring period.

Section 5 provides a detailed assessment of how the Plan's strategic policies, and associated supporting policies, are performing against the identified key monitoring targets and outcomes and whether the LDP strategy and objectives are being delivered. This has enabled the Council to make an informed judgement of the Plan's

progress in delivering the targets/monitoring outcomes and policies during this monitoring period. The table below provides a visual overview of the effectiveness of the Plan's policies during the monitoring period based on the traffic light rating used in the assessment:

Continue Monitoring (Green)	
Where indicators are suggesting the LDP Policies are being implemented effectively and there is no cause for review.	72
Training Required (Blue)	
Where indicators are suggesting that LDP policies are not being implemented as intended and further officer or Member training is required.	0
Supplementary Planning Guidance Required (Purple)	
Indicators may suggest the need for further guidance to be provided in addition to those already in the Plan.	0
Further Research (Yellow)	
Where indicators are suggesting the LDP policies are not being as effective as they should, further research and investigation is required.	30
Policy Review (Orange)	
Where indicators are suggesting the LDP policies are failing to implement the strategy a formal review of the Policy is required. Further investigation and research may be required before a decision to formally review is confirmed.	0
Plan Review (Red)	
Where indicators are suggesting the LDP strategy is failing and a formal review of the Plan is required. This option to fully review the Plan will need to be fully investigated and undertaken following serious consideration.	0

What sites have been developed or delayed in relation to the plan's expectations on location and timing?

The analysis demonstrates that there are no policy indicator targets / monitoring outcomes which are causing concerns over policy implementation (red traffic light rating). There are, however, a number which are not currently being achieved but with no corresponding concerns over policy implementation (yellow traffic light rating). Further investigation has determined that there are justified reasons for the performance recorded and this is not representative of any fundamental issues with the implementation of the policy framework or strategy at this time. The most significant findings in relation to these are set out in the key findings below.

Key Findings

This is the second AMR to be prepared and provides a short term 2 year position statement and provides a comparison with the baseline data provided by the first AMR published last year.

Overall the findings of the second AMR for year 2 are generally positive with the majority of the indicators shown as green indicating that the majority of LDP policies are being implemented effectively.

Employment – Land take up and provision of new jobs over the monitoring period has been strong and targets set out in the AMR have been surpassed with planning permission granted for several office schemes at Capital Quarter and Central Square and an additional 6,000 jobs being provided over the monitoring period.

Transportation – Data collected in relation to travel by sustainable modes is reflecting the fluctuations as shown in past trends over the last 10 years. This demonstrates that sustainable travel trends have continued to increase over the last 10 years for both work and shopping, although for leisure and education the trends show a slight decrease.

In terms of sustainable travel modes, significant progress has been made in meeting cycling targets for all journey purposes with cycling to work in particular having experienced growth in the past year (+5.2%). Train use has very slightly declined over the past year but the 10 year trend shows a significant increase. Walking has slightly decreased over the last year with a fluctuating longer term trend. Bus use has decreased, reflecting a longer term downward trend.

At this juncture, in the second year of LDP monitoring, without the significant roll-out of new houses and provision of supporting sustainable transportation infrastructure, the early stage of Metro delivery together with the ongoing implementation of wider Council initiatives, it is too early to draw any firm conclusions with regard to policy delivery, particularly given that the 50:50 modal split target relates to 2026. Future AMR's will provide formal regular annual updates.

Housing – New homes have now started to be completed on many of the LDP Strategic Sites. Furthermore, on the remaining sites ongoing dialogue with Developers demonstrates positive progress, following the master planning and infrastructure plans approach as set out in the LDP. Therefore, overall the plan-led approach is now starting to successfully bring forward the allocated sites to meet housing needs.

Specifically, there are new completions on 3 of the Strategic Sites. Approximately 170 completions have been achieved at St Ederyns Village, the North West Cardiff Strategic site has three separate outlets underway with more planned in the near future and works have commenced at Churchlands. In addition, work is set to commence North of Junction 33 shortly and planning applications are expected on the remaining Strategic Sites in the near future.

However, the monitoring data shows that completions from Strategic Sites allocated in the LDP have not been coming forward at the rates originally set out by Developers. Reasons for this vary from site to site, but it has become evident that there is a lag between LDP adoption and new houses being completed – in part reflective of land ownership/legal technicalities between Developers and landowners and also the complexity of securing planning consents and accompanying Section 106 Agreements which fully deliver the Council's aspirations as set out in the LDP.

Overall, it is clear that there has been a lag between adoption and delivery. However the evidence summarised above demonstrates that good progress is now being made and importantly adhering to the masterplanning and infrastructure plan approach embedded in the LDP. Future AMR's will capture future delivery but the indications are that delivery will increase significantly in coming years.

Gypsy and Traveller Sites - work on progressing the identification of sites to meet the evidenced need for permanent and transit Gypsy and Traveller sites has been delayed due to the need to undertake additional detailed site investigations. These detailed technical assessments have now been completed and the Council is currently considering the implications of the findings of these assessments and ongoing flood defence works in order to determine options for taking this work forward. This has included ongoing discussions with Welsh Government.

<u>Biodiversity and Built Environment</u> – policies are shown to be functioning effectively.

Waste – recycling and other targets are being met.

<u>Minerals</u> - the city also has a healthy landbank of mineral reserves and policies relating to the protection of mineral reserves and resources are functioning effectively.

<u>Supplementary Planning Guidance</u> – Significant progress has been made in producing a programme of new Supplementary Planning Guidance (SPG) to support the policies in the adopted Plan and the Cardiff Infrastructure Plan has been updated. Work on this SPG programme will continue through the next twelve months and will be evidenced in the next AMR.

What has been the effectiveness of delivering policies and in discouraging inappropriate development?

The policies have been very effective in discouraging inappropriate development and the Council does not consider that any aspects of the Plan need adjusting or replacing at this time.

Conclusions:

- 1. No action is required at present in terms of a full or partial plan review.
- 2. Submit the 2018 second AMR to the Welsh Government by 31 October 2018 in accord with statutory requirements. Publish the AMR on the Council's website.
- 3. Continue to monitor the Plan through the preparation of successive AMRs. Close monitoring will be necessary to determine the effectiveness of the Plan's spatial strategy and policy framework particularly in relation to housing delivery including strategic housing site allocations, the delivery of affordable housing and the progress on strategic employment sites.
- 4. Prepare the 2019 third AMR, report to Cabinet and submit to the Welsh Government by the required deadline, 31 October 2019.

Appendix 1: Table setting out summary of findings

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PARKING ENFORCEMENT UPDATE

Reason for the Report

- 1. To provide Members with an update on the Council approach to parking enforcement with particular reference to:
 - The recent proposal of a 'Residents Parking Scheme Virtual Permit';
 - How civil parking enforcement resources are currently being targeted;
 - The financial implications of parking enforcement and the wider Parking Revenue Account;
 - The consistency of standards applied within parking enforcement and the level of flexibility allowed to Civil Parking Enforcement Officers when making decisions.

Background

- 2. In 2010 Cardiff Council took on the responsibility for enforcing a range of parking contraventions. This has helped contribute towards the transportation policy objectives by addressing illegal parking which causes unnecessary congestion and traffic delays. In 2013, new legislation was made available in Wales to allow local authorities to enforce bus lanes, yellow box junctions and a range of other moving traffic contraventions.
- 3. In 2014, The Civil Enforcement of Road Traffic Contraventions (General Provisions) (Wales) Regulations 2013 was passed and came into force on 25th March 2014. These regulations enable the Council to assume responsibility for enforcement of bus lane and some moving traffic offences, pursuant to Part 6 of the Traffic Management Act 2004. By having access to these powers, Cardiff Council now has

a full suite of legal powers to control parking and travel along the highway. This gives the Council maximum control in terms of deploying its enforcement resource in support of its transportation policies, with the intention of assisting the movement of public transport and generally keeping traffic moving.

- 4. Illegal parking can create problems with the operation of the highway network including impacting on the ability of public transport to run smoothly and for people to be able to use 'active modes' such as walking and cycling safely and confidently. It affects the safety of other road users, and causes a nuisance for local residents and businesses. Illegal parking can affect the enjoyment and facility of local areas and detract from them as good places to live and work.
- 5. Enforcement is therefore needed to ensure compliance with regulations in order to keep the highway network and public transport working, tackle dangers to other road users from illegal parking and ensure parking bays are used for parking and not for other purposes, for example, for illegal trading.
- 6. The Council accepts parking on the highway in accordance with two fundamental considerations:
 - That safety is not compromised; and,
 - That traffic flow is not impeded.
- 7. The Traffic Management Act imposes a duty on the Council as highway authority to ensure the smooth flow of traffic. Whilst roads may appear capable of accommodating parking, the Council may deem this does not facilitate meeting the requirements of the Act and therefore may find it necessary to restrict parking. The following policies and operational criteria guide the day-to-day management of parking space. These policies should be read in conjunction with the Council's:
 - Local Development Plan;
 - Supplementary Planning Guidance (Managing Transport Impacts Incorporating Parking Standards and Guidance on Travel Plans);
 - Local Transport Plan; and,
 - Parking Strategy.

- 8. The objectives of the Council's Parking Policies align with Cardiff Council's Local Transport Plan objectives, as follows:
 - **Environment** Parking will be provided and managed to minimise the negative impacts of travel and parking on the built and natural environment.
 - Economy To contribute to an efficient economy, to support sustainable economic growth in appropriate locations and promote the vitality, attractiveness and viability of the City Centre, district and local centres.
 - Safety & Security Parking will be provided and managed to promote safety and security for all travellers.
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 for people and goods, particularly, by sustainable modes of transport. Particular
 attention will be paid to improving accessibility for people with mobility problems.
 - Integration To integrate parking with all forms of transport, network management and land use planning, leading to a better, more efficient and sustainable transport system.

Way Forward

 Councillor Caro Wild, Cabinet Member for Strategic Planning & Transport has been invited to attend for this item. He will be supported by officers from the Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate.

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RECOMMENDATION

The Committee is recommended to:

- i. Note the contents of the report; and,
- ii. To consider future actions in relation to future scrutiny of this item.

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29 August 2018

2017/18

Cardiff Council Annual Parking and Traffic Enforcement Report



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Introduction and context

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2. OVERVIEW

This annual report sets out the important facts and figures relating to Cardiff Council's parking and enforcement activity.

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More Information:

Cardiff Parking Strategy: https://www.cardiff.gov.uk/ENG/resident/Parking-roads-and-travel/parking-Strategy/Pages/default.aspx

Local Transport Plan: https://www.cardiff.gov.uk/ENG/resident/Parking-roads-and-travel/transport-projects/Documents/FINALLTP.pdf

PARKING IN CARDIFF

Cardiff has a wide variety of neighbourhoods each with their own characteristics. Individual parking issues stem from their location, mix of land uses, and transport facilities.

Cardiff Council operates a number of different types of parking across the city including on street and off street resources. This includes over

- 2,000 spaces in off-street car parks,
- 2,500 on-street pay and display spaces, and
- around 1,000 spaces at its Cardiff East Park and Ride facility.

In common with other towns and cities, parking is provided for by a combination of Council operated facilities and those operated by private companies.

Cardiff Council Parking Pages: https://www.cardiff.gov.uk/ENG/resident/Parking-roads-and-travel/parking/Pages/default.aspx

RESIDENTS' PARKING

Parking in residential areas is managed by the Council's resident parking scheme and its accompanying policies. Resident only parking schemes tend to be concentrated in streets with terraced housing closest to the city centre.

The Council's current Residents Parking policy sets out clear qualification criteria used in determining whether or not to introduce or change residents parking schemes in an area. The current policy was developed following a review of the previous resident parking policy in Cardiff undertaken in 2011.

A number of residential areas close to district shopping centres and the city centre have residents permit schemes in place as a means of minimising problems that parking by commuters and shoppers can cause for local residents. The criteria for these areas may be adjusted in the future in response to changes in parking pressures arising from new development or changes in traffic flows and travel patterns.

It is recognised that any intervention regarding parking can potentially impact upon adjacent streets. For this reason, in determining each application for a residents parking scheme, a careful consideration is needed of evidence from survey data and feedback from public consultation.

Residents only parking systems operate on streets where there is a high demand for on-street parking spaces, both from residents and other users e.g. commuters and shoppers. The system operates every day, 8.00am to 10.00pm.

DISABLED PARKING

Single disabled person's parking bays are implemented for Blue Badge holders, outside their homes where:

- (i) no off-street parking is available within the applicant's premises, whether or not it is in use;
- (ii) on-street parking is so heavy there is no parking space available within 25m of the applicant's address.

More Information: https://www.cardiff.gov.uk/ENG/resident/Parking-roads-and-travel/Blue-badge-parking/Pages/default.aspx

MOTORCYCLE PARKING

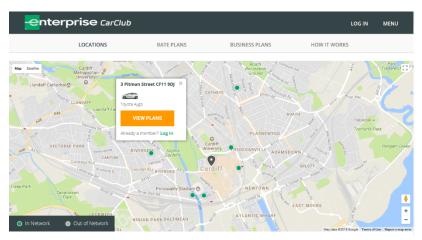
Motorcycles are not able to make legal use of cycle facilities, but can currently be parked free of charge in:

- normal pay-and-display spaces on-street (subject to the maximum stay time permitted in the long or short stay spaces)
- Council pay-and-display car parks at Castle Mews, North Road, and High Street Llandaff, and
- secure motorcycle bays in the Gray Street car park in Riverside.

Experimental access to bus lanes was trialled during 2015 and will continue for the foreseeable future.

More Information: https://www.cardiff.gov.uk/ENG/resident/Parking-roads-and-travel/parking/Motorcycle-parking/Pages/Motorcycle-Parking.aspx

CAR CLUBS



A Car Club was installed in Cardiff as part of the Sustainable Travel City Project in 2010. Car Clubs enable people to make use of a vehicle when they need to rather than maintaining a personal vehicle. Car Club vehicles are parked in dedicated bays onstreet thereby removing the need to search for a parking space. Short and long term hire options are available.

Cardiff Council is committed to encouraging the developments of car clubs, both on-street and in new developments. In this way the numbers of vehicles seeking to park in already oversubscribed areas can be reduced. There is also evidence to suggest that car club members make more use of public transport, walking and cycling than people who own their vehicle.

More Information:

https://www.enterprisecarclub.co.uk/gb/en/programs/regions/wales/cardiff.html

https://www.carplus.org.uk/

CYCLE PARKING

Cycling is a key mode of transport for short local trips and is also frequently used for multimodal trips,



especially train. Secure, high standard cycle parking is vital to encouraging more people to use a bike for all or part of their trip. Cardiff Council also has a programme to install additional cycle stands across the city and has standards for installation of cycle parking for new development. This is complemented by a scheme to provide organisations with free cycle stands for employee and visitor use.

Cardiff Council is committed to improving the environment for active modes through interventions to enhance the safety and attractiveness of walking and cycling in the city. To this end it is planning the installation of a new cycle hub as part of the redevelopment of Central Square to include a new transport interchange for the city.

In March 2018 the first 50 bikes of a new on street cycle hire scheme for the city were launched ahead of the wider roll-out to a 500 bike scheme during the summer of 2018.

The scheme is operated by nextbike (UK) Ltd, working in partnership with Pedal Power and was funded by a capital grant of £800,000 from the Welsh Government. The scheme's local sponsor is Cardiff University whose student population can



benefit from hire stations at key university campuses across the city, as well as access to the wider network.

More Information:

http://www.keepingcardiffmoving.co.uk/cycle

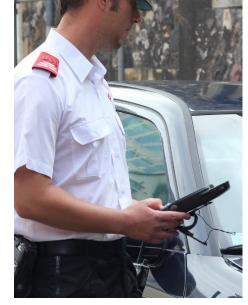
https://www.nextbike.co.uk/en/cardiff/

PARKING AND TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT

Cardiff Council's mobile teams of Civil Enforcement Officers (CEOs) provide a responsive service to deal with parking problems on the highway or Council-owned land. The role of CEO is a key one in

ensuring that the city remains accessible, and that parking on the city's streets is undertaken both legally and safely. CEOs also have a unique advantage in being 'on-street' and can therefore be important ambassadors for the delivery of efficient parking in the city, working alongside technology to deliver a high quality parking service for both residents and people who visit the city.

The Civil Enforcement of Road Traffic Contraventions (General Provisions) (Wales) Regulations 2013 was passed and came into force on 25th March 2013. These regulations enable the Council to assume responsibility for enforcement of bus lane and some moving traffic offences (MTOs), pursuant to Part 6 of the Traffic Management Act 2004. The Traffic Management Act 2004 indicates the range of road signs which will be enforceable under this new legislation.



These include enforcement of:

- Directed and prohibited movements
- Pedestrian precincts
- Bus and Cycle provisions and
- Yellow Box Junctions.

These powers particularly assist:

- Enforcement of Bus Lanes preventing the blocking of bus lanes.
- Enforcement of Yellow Box Junctions reducing illegal queuing across the boxes, particularly during peak hours, preventing congestion and delay to all vehicles.
- Enforcement of turning movement bans enhancing public safety, by preventing conflict with pedestrian crossing movements, and by reducing the use of weak bridges by lorries ignoring weight restrictions.

More detail on the Civil Parking Enforcement scheme and the charges that apply to parking offences can be found via the Council's Website or by visiting:

https://www.cardiff.gov.uk/ENG/resident/Parking-roads-and-travel/parking/Pages/default.aspx

CAMERA CAR

In 2016 Cardiff Council introduced an additional tool to its suite of civil enforcement tools through the rollout of camera car technology.

This scheme provides two vehicles which use number plate recognition technology enabling the council to send parking tickets directly to a driver's home.





Cars are fitted with rooftop CCTV and Automatic Number Plate Recognition technology and operate 7 days a week between 7am and 10pm. Specific emphasis is placed on illegal parking around schools in order to improve road safety and change driving habits in Cardiff.

Motorists observed by the camera car parking on zig-zag areas near schools, using bus lanes illegally or caught stationary in restricted areas were issued with warning notices for the first two weeks of the scheme to enable motorists to get used to the new technology's presence. Fixed Penalty Charges are now issued to offenders.

BUS LANE CAMERAS



Photo: Wales Online

Bus lane enforcement cameras were originally introduced to the city in 2014 and installed in seven locations. These cameras are designed to remind motorists that bus lanes should be used only by permitted vehicles. This ensures that bus services run efficiently and on time, offering an attractive alternative to travelling by car.

Cameras (6) will also be installed at additional locations around the authority over the next year.

BANNED TURNS AND YELLOW BOX JUNCTIONS

Additional cameras have been installed in the city centre enforcing banned turns to help promote safety for vulnerable road users in particular and aid in preventing accidents resulting from motorists ignoring those banned movements. These cameras along with additional yellow box cameras that have been installed will enable the city to keep moving efficiently. Further cameras enforcing banned cameras and yellow boxes are soon to be deployed in Heath, Canton, Caerau and Adamsdown wards



Photo: Wales Online

CIVIL ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS' SAFFTY



Cardiff Council views the safety of its Civil Enforcement Team as a priority. To this end, and in line with many other authorities Cardiff has introduced body cameras as part of the technology to support Civil Enforcement Officers in their duties.

From July 2016 Civil Enforcement Officers (CEO) were equipped with body cameras through a £34k investment by the City of Cardiff Council. Cameras are mounted on a clip attached to the CEO's

uniform and capture a 130° angle with both video and sound recorded in high definition and the recording can be viewed by an individual on a front facing screen at the time of the incident.

The technology is seen as an independent witness to incidents, and cameras are only used if a CEO believes they are being threatened or there is potential for conflict. CEOs are trained to advise members of the public when the equipment is activated.

Cardiff Council aims to strike the correct balance between protecting people's privacy and protecting CEO health and safety whilst gathering essential evidence that can be used if an incident escalates.

Data collected can be accessed only through specific computer software and is held in accordance with the provisions of the Data Protection Act.

THE APPEALS PROCESS

Parking fines can be appealed within 28 days of the date the ticket was issued and can be challenged for the following reasons:

- The alleged parking offence did not happen
- The vehicle was never owned by the appellant; had stopped being the owner of the vehicle before the alleged parking offence; or that they became the owner of the vehicle after the date of the alleged parking offence
- The vehicle was parked by someone else without the permission of the owner (e.g. if it was stolen)
- The vehicle was being driven by someone else under a hire arrangement (this is for use by car hire companies only)
- The penalty exceeded the amount applicable for the offence type quoted
- The Council has not followed the correct procedure
- The parking limit where the alleged parking offence took place was not valid

Cardiff Council also considers other mitigating circumstances on a case by case basis.

More Information: https://www.councilparking.org/cardiff/eng/pages/home.aspx

TECHNOLOGY

Over time, and as a result of changes in demand the Council has to review arrangements for the management of parking. This means the Council can ensure that parking is effectively managed to benefit the people who live and work in the city by promoting a strong economy and maintaining a better environment.

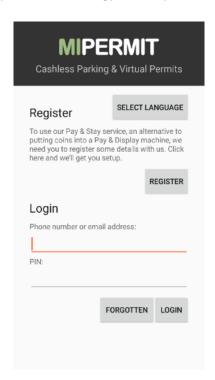
PAY AND DISPLAY MACHINES

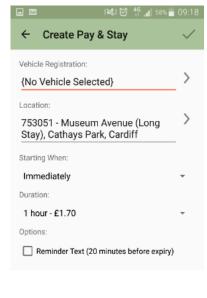
Work is well underway to replace the increasingly outdated stock of current 'chip and pin' card payment facilities to contactless 'wave and pay' facilities. This has enabled faster payment without the need for a mobile connection to be made with a bank at the point of sale. This technology will serve to improve reliability of payment and improve the customer experience, and reduces the risk of theft from machines.

It is anticipated that P&D machines will continue to accept cash and cards in the current way as well as offering customers contactless options. The new machines will be supported by developments in pay by phone technology.

PAY BY PHONE/APP

Cashless payment methods include payment by mobile phone which is being used more as mobile phone technology develops and smart phones become more widely available.





Benefits include removing the need to carry change to pay for parking for on-street parking, and over time the risk of theft from Pay and Display machines around the city will reduce. Cardiff has seen a 39% reduction in cash payments since the introduction of MiPermit in Cardiff.

The technology can also provide for the issue of reminder messages by text to advise of an approaching end of period and to extend parking time remotely up to the maximum permitted.

The bilingual MIPermit App provides people driving into Cardiff with the option to find out the parking tariff in advance, pay before they park, and extend a parking session without having to return to their car.

The app can be download via a smart phone (apple and android) or by using the online portal at www.wanttopark.com/cardiff.

For new customers this service is available by texting the word PARK and the vehicle registration details to 61600. The company calls the customer back for location and payment details. The system also allows people to sign up to a text service - which will provide a notification when their parking provision is due to end.

More Information: https://secure.mipermit.com/cardiff/application/home.aspx

SENSOR PARKING SCHEME

The Council is committed to using innovative technology to deliver service improvements to the management of parking in the city, and to implement a system that will has wide application across a number of functions. (E.g. data collection to facilitate transportation monitoring and planning etc.). The Council's parking sensor solution uses sensors embedded in the carriageway that register vehicle movements and communicate with a back office centre in real time.

The sensor parking technology also provides customer access to a free

SmartApp

SmartSpot

SmartSensor

SmartSensor

CENTRAL SERVER

Illustration: Smart Parking Ltd

mobile application (app) via iPhone or Android devices for customers to view a current picture of



Illustration: Smart Parking Ltd.

parking spaces. The system allows Cardiff Council to collate real time data on occupancy levels in adjacent off-street parking facilities, and in the future will allow the Council to refine parking prices to ensure more efficient use of resources.

The system will have the ability to coordinate with CEO handheld devices, cashless payment facilities, and on-street

payment machines. This enables Cardiff Council to deploy a fully integrated parking space occupancy, revenue and enforcement system and will allow data led direction of Parking Enforcement activity, and direct CEO resources to areas needing the most support. This will assist in improving the efficiency of the CPE system, and promote better turnover of parking in the city, benefitting the local economy.

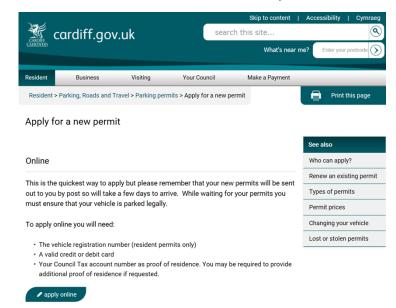
ONLINE PERMITS

Resident parking permits can now be applied for online via the Council's website. To purchase a

resident or visitor parking permit an applicant must provide:

- The vehicle registration number (resident permits only)
- A valid credit or debit card
- A Council Tax account number required as proof of residence.
- Additional proof of residence may need to be provided if requested

Residents can still apply for permits by post.



More Information: https://www.cardiff.gov.uk/ENG/resident/Parking-roads-and-travel/Parking-permits/Pages/Parking%20permits.aspx

FUTURE PLANS

E-PERMITS

Work has begun to scope the feasibility of replacing paper parking permits with a new E-Permit system. This would see motorists register their vehicles for a virtual permit rather than having to display a physical permit in their vehicles. This would bring benefits to permit holders in that, unlike a paper permit, an E-Permit cannot be lost, stolen or simply forgotten. This technology would allow Cardiff Council to more efficiently manage the permit system, particularly in resident parking areas, and facilitate changes of address or vehicle more easily than is currently the case.

Special attention is being paid to how the current visitor permit could be integrated into the E-permit system whilst ensuring that it is simple to use and accessible for all residents.

Enforcement would be undertaken through the use of the Council's Camera Car Fleet, which would use the ANPR technology installed to alert enforcement teams when an unregistered vehicle is parked in permit holder areas. This would mean that enforcement would be quicker and more efficient. It is anticipated that this would assist in maintaining the benefits of the Council's resident parking scheme and discourage drivers from parking in bays reserved for residents. This work is in early development and in due course more information will be provided.

EXPANSION OF ENFORCEMENT CAPABILITY

Cardiff Council will continue to explore potential further expansion of enforcement capability to help address key problem areas in the city. These include the additional enforcement capability for banned turning movements and bus lanes. Cardiff Council will also explore other technology as it becomes available.

5. STATISTICS, FINANCIAL INFORMATION, REVIEWS AND MONITORING

INTRODUCTION

Cardiff Council recognises the importance of ensuring that income from charges associated with traffic enforcement is used appropriately. There are three main sources of income which are set out below.

- a) **Income from Parking Charges -** consists of Pay & Display income from on and off street parking and residential schemes.
- b) Income from Civil Parking Enforcement (CPE) reflects income from parking violation.
- c) Income from Moving Traffic Offences (MTOs) reflects enforcement of bus lanes, yellow box junctions and turning movement bans.

Civil Enforcement is a ring fenced account and any income generated is used to fund related operational cost of parking & enforcement. Any additional surplus or deficit generate by the account is transferred to the Parking Reserve and can only be used for specific purposes such as supporting public transport services, off-street parking and highway improvements in accordance with Section 55 of the Road Traffic Regulations Act 1984, as per The Civil Enforcement of Road Traffic Contraventions (General Provisions) (Wales) Regulations 2013.

The Parking Reserve has supported a number of improvements including:

- Surface Car Park Upgrades, including Pay & Display facilities
- Installation of Disabled Bays
- Work required for the implementation of Moving Traffic Offences
- Work on new 20 mph limit areas in the City of Cardiff Council
- School keep-clear zones and safe access to schools
- Highway improvements including bus corridors
- Operation Red Mana Partnership with South Wales (Removal of Off Road Bikes from public land.
 9 Operations, 24 bikes confiscated to date)
- Environmental Enforcement improvements
- Cycling Partnerships

FINANCIAL STATISTICS

The following represents an overview of the financial statistics in relation to parking and moving traffic enforcement in Cardiff.

Enforcement income and expenditure:

Civil Enforcement Account					
Financial Year	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
	£000's	£000's	£000's	£000's	£000's
Parking Account Balance as at 1st April	(681)	(121)	(69)	(371)	(351)
Income					
On Street Car Parking	(4,029)	(3,917)	(4,128)	(4,362)	(4,575)
Off Street Car Parking	(230)	(667)	(1,000)	(1,042)	(1,087)
Residents Parking Permits	(142)	(254)	(309)	(330)	(346)
Parking Penalty Charge Notices	(2,150)	(2,077)	(2,085)	(2,019)	(1,973)
Moving Traffic Offences	0	(848)	(2,840)	(3,360)	(3,992)
Other	(48)	(54)			(55)
Total Income	(6,599)	(7,817)	(10,362)	(11,113)	(12,028)
Expenditure	-				
Operational Costs & Parking Account	713	1,087	1,246	1,037	698
Enforcement Service including TRO	3,009	2,856	4,159	4,607	5,276
Total Expenditure	3,722	3,943	5,405	5,644	5,974
CPE Operating Annual (Surplus)/Deficit	(2,877)	(3,874)	(4,957)	(5,469)	(6,054)
Contribution towards schemes as per Section 55 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act *	3,437	3,926	4,655	5,489	5,704
Contribution to Parking Account (Surplus)/Deficit per Annum	560	52	(302)	20	(350)

Contribution as per section 55 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act funding;

- provision or operation of public passenger transport services;
- highway or road improvement projects in the local authority's area;
 - environmental improvement in the local authority's area.

PENALTY CHARGES NOTICES- 2017/18 DATA (AS AT APRIL 2018)

Parking Enforcement Statistics (PCN's)		
Issued	59,668	
Appeals received	12,604	21%
successful	6,985	12%
unsuccessful	4,857	8%
Cancelled	8,438	14%
Paid at discount	33,131	56%
Paid at full	6,484	11%
Paid at surcharge	1,533	3%
Total paid to date	41,148	69%
Total Outstanding at year end	10,082	17%

Moving Traffic Offence Statistics		
Issued	144,578	
Appeals received	18,535	13%
successful	9,269	6%
unsuccessful	4,834	3%
Cancelled	26,782	19%
Paid at discount	87,152	60%
Paid at full	2,259	2%
paid at surcharge	4,692	3%
Total paid to date	94,103	65%
Total Outstanding at year end	23,693	16%

Moving Traffic Offence Location Breakdown		
Crwys Road	1,413	
Custom House Street, City Centre - (2 Cameras)	15,982	
Duke Street, City Centre	2,700	
Kingsway, City Centre	17,163	
Newport Road, Adamsdown - (3 Cameras)	11,779	
Park Place, City Centre	6,712	
Newport Road, Penylan	12,365	
Churchill Way, City Centre	506	
Llantrisant Road, Llandaff	1,788	
North Road, City Centre	5,835	
Southern Way, Rumney	2,521	
Caerphilly Road, Birchgrove	1,927	
Annual Total	80,691	

Banned Turn Location Breakdown		
Birchgrove Road J/W Manor Way	971	
Churchill Way/North Edward St	1,098	
Crystal Glenn J/W Heathwood Rd, Heath	2,717	
Hayes Bridge Road, City Centre	6,599	
North Road J/W College Road	4,859	
Westgate Street, City Centre	9,751	
Amroth Road, Cowbridge Road West	494	
Colum Road, Corbett Road	91	
Ffordd Ty Unnos, Caerphilly Road	305	
Newport Road, Wordswoth Avenue	7,476	
Newport Road, New Road	2,253	
Piercefield Place/Newport Road	1,447	
St Mart Street/Mill Lane	4,801	
Malverne Drive - No Entry	3,972	
Paget Street - No Entry	502	
Annual Total	47,336	

Yellow Box Junction Location Breakdown		
Adam Street/Central Link	398	
Bute Street/Customhouse Street/Hayes	2,092	
Caerphilly Road/Rhydhelig Avenue	2,450	
David Street/Bridge Street/Charles Street	222	
Dumfries Place/Newport Road	1,801	
Leckwith Road/Cardiff International Sports Centre	1,202	
Annual Total	8,165	

Camera Car total	
Cardiff Various	8,386
Annual Total	8,386

Permit and Disabled Badge Statistics	
Number of Resident Permits issued	19,321
Number of Disabled Badges issued	6,644

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND OPEN DATA

City of Cardiff Council is committed to publishing increasing amounts of its data. This promotes openness and transparency and allows others to re-use this data in new and imaginative ways.

City of Cardiff Council has adopted the UK government's approach that data should be published to a minimum of 3 stars. This means our data is easily accessible and available to re-use as required (subject to terms outlined in the Open Government Licence). The Council is working hard to ensure all our published datasets meet this standard.

The following link provides additional information that may be useful and links to data about parking, moving traffic enforcement and financial information.

More Information: https://foi.cardiff.gov.uk/eng/Pages/OpenData All.aspx

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ENVIRONMENTAL SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

4 SEPTEMBER 2018

ENVIRONMENTAL SCRUTINY COMMITTEE – DRAFT WORK PROGRAMME 2018/19

Background

- The Constitution states that each Scrutiny Committee will set their own work programme. This is undertaken at the beginning of a municipal year and updated as the work progresses. The work programme needs to be carefully constructed so that the time available to the Committee is used most effectively.
- 2. The Environmental Scrutiny Committee's Terms of Reference provide the Committee with the responsibility for the scrutiny of a number of specific service areas. A copy of the terms of reference has been attached to this document as Appendix 1. This will remind Members of the scope of ideas that could be considered.
- The Committee is responsible for the scrutiny of a number of policies and strategies
 that affect the sustainability and environment of Cardiff. It can also undertake
 investigations into any of these areas.
- 4. The construction of a work programme involves obtaining information from a range of sources, these include:
 - Information from the relevant Directorate;
 - Relevant extracts from the current Corporate Plan;
 - Suggestions and ideas put forward by the previous Environmental Scrutiny Committee;
 - Member suggestions and observations;

- Citizen and third party comments and observations;
- Performance information.
- 5. The topics gathered from the sources identified above were recorded in a document titled 'Environmental Scrutiny Committee Potential Work Programme Items 2018/19'. This document was provided to Members who were then asked to provide a list of their scrutiny priorities for the 2018/19 municipal year. A copy of the document titled 'Environmental Scrutiny Committee Potential Work Programme Items 2018/19' is attached to this report as **Appendix 2**.
- 6. Once the Member priorities were submitted the Principal Scrutiny Officer then met with the Chair of the Committee to review the requests and then place them into a draft work programme structure; a copy of the 'Environmental Scrutiny Committee Draft Work Programme 2018/19' has been attached to this report as **Appendix 3**.
- 7. It is important to note at this point that the 'Environmental Scrutiny Committee Draft Work Programme 2018/19' only nominates items for September, October, November and December 2018 this is a contrast to work programmes published in previous years which set out a schedule of work for a 12 month period. In an effort to create a more relevant and reactive work programme the Chair of the Committee has decided to publish a four month rolling programme and update the document on a monthly basis using an 'Environmental Scrutiny Committee Work Programme Review'.
- 8. In setting their work programme, Members have been mindful of Wales Audit Office advice for scrutiny committees to aim to achieve committee meetings that last no longer than three hours, whilst maintaining robust and appropriate levels of scrutiny across the terms of reference, by ensuring agendas are of a manageable size and that work occurs outside committee meetings. Members agreed in principle with this approach and agreed to aim to achieve this, with the option to adjourn a committee meeting if more time is required than originally anticipated.

Way Forward

9. Members should consider the 'Environmental Scrutiny Committee – Draft Work Programme 2018/19' (Appendix 3) and decide if they are happy to formally adopt it as the Environmental Scrutiny Committee Work Programme for 2018/19.

Legal Implications

10. The Scrutiny Committee is empowered to enquire, consider, review and recommend but not to make policy decisions. As the recommendations in this report are to consider and review matters there are no direct legal implications. However, legal implications may arise if and when the matters under review are implemented with or without any modifications. Any report with recommendations for decision that goes to Cabinet/Council will set out any legal implications arising from those recommendations. All decisions taken by or on behalf of the Council must (a) be within the legal powers of the Council; (b) comply with any procedural requirement imposed by law; (c) be within the powers of the body or person exercising powers on behalf of the Council; (d) be undertaken in accordance with the procedural requirements imposed by the Council e.g. Scrutiny Procedure Rules; (e) be fully and properly informed; (f) be properly motivated; (g) be taken having regard to the Council's fiduciary duty to its taxpayers; and (h) be reasonable and proper in all the circumstances.

Financial Implications

11. The Scrutiny Committee is empowered to enquire, consider, review and recommend but not to make policy decisions. As the recommendations in this report are to consider and review matters there are no direct financial implications at this stage in relation to any of the work programme. However, financial implications may arise if and when the matters under review are implemented with or without any modifications. Any report with recommendations for decision that goes to Cabinet/Council will set out any financial implications arising from those recommendations.

RECOMMENDATION

The Committee is recommended to:

- i. Consider the contents of this report; and,
- ii. Agree a way forward for the work programme.

DAVINA FIORE
Director of Governance & Legal Services
29 August 2018

Environmental Scrutiny Committee – Terms of Reference

The role of this Committee is to scrutinise, measure and actively promote improvement in the Council's performance in the provision of services and compliance with Council policies, aims and objectives in the area of environmental sustainability including:

- Strategic Planning Policy
- Sustainability Policy
- Environmental Health Policy
- Public Protection Policy
- Licensing Policy
- Waste Management
- Strategic Waste Projects
- Street Cleansing
- Cycling and Walking
- Streetscape
- Strategic Transportation Partnership
- Transport Policy and Development
- Intelligent Transport Solutions
- Public Transport
- Parking Management

To assess the impact of partnerships with and resources and services provided by external organisations including the Welsh Government, joint local government services, Welsh Government Sponsored Public Bodies and quasi-departmental nongovernmental bodies on the effectiveness of Council service delivery.

To report to an appropriate Cabinet or Council meeting on its findings and to make recommendations on measures which may enhance Council performance and service delivery in this area.



Environmental Scrutiny Committee – Potential Work Programme Items 2018/19

Transport

- Bus Provision for the Local Development Plan Strategic Sites
- Development of Cardiff's Future Transport Interchanges
- Transportation to Support Cardiff as an Events City
- Transport for Wales South Wales Metro Update
- Bus & Train Integration in Cardiff
- A Review of Cardiff Park & Ride Facilities
- Delivering Modal Shift Encouraging Carless Travel
- Cardiff's Cycling Strategy
- Delivery of the Central Transport Interchange & Cycle Hub Development
- South East Transport Corridor Business Case Progress Update
- Progress Update Bus Priority on Key Radial Routes
- Taff Trail Delivery of the Rolling Programme of Improvement Measures
- The Bay Loop Development of Programme for the Phased Implementation of Improvements for Walking & Cycling
- Engage with City Deal partnership in relation to funding and delivery of key infrastructure projects
- Feasibility for Bus Link Between Penarth & Cardiff Bay via the Barrage
- Nextbike Post Launch Update
- Active Travel Plans for Cardiff Schools
- Delivery of Cardiff's Active Travel Agenda
- 20mph Speed Limit Areas Cardiff Wide Roll Out Update
- Improving Cardiff's Cycling & Walking Network
- Cardiff's Transport & Clean Air Vision
- Cardiff Bus Public Ownership & Enhanced Public Bus Transport Infrastructure
- Mellons Business Park & Train Station
- Impact of M4 Tolls Removal on Cardiff
- Penarth Headland Link Project
- Cardiff Cycling Strategy
- Investigating Impact of Free Bus Travel Policy on Public Transport Usage & Congestion in Cardiff

Energy Schemes

- Cardiff's Strategic Sites Sustainable Energy Initiatives
- Lamby Way Solar Farm Member Update
- Cardiff's District Heat Network Member Update
- Development of Cardiff's Electric Vehicles Strategy
- Energy Retrofit Programmes for Council's Operational Estate

Neighbourhood Services (including Parking Management)

- Volunteer Contribution Keeping Cardiff Tidy
- Reducing Litter Better Engagement with Secondary Schools
- Reducing Litter Balancing Education & Enforcement
- Litter & Fly Tipping in Cardiff
- Benchmarking Street Scene Services to Establish Relative Performance & Improvement Opportunities
- Total Street Scene Delivery Plan
- Parking Provision Review Undertake Protecting Local Residents from Long Stay
 Commuter Parking & Support Local Neighbourhoods
- Cardiff's Annual Parking Report Including Enforcement Activity, Parking
 Strategy & Pavement Parking
- Smart City Approaches to Managing City Infrastructures Using New Technology
 & Predictive Software to Support Intelligent Network Management
- Streetscene Managing Telephone Poles & Wires in Residential Areas
- LED Residential Street Lighting & SMART City Aspects
- Improving Cardiff's Highway Asset
- Highway Asset Management Plan Review
- Stray Horses
- Highways Resurfacing Programme

Planning

- Cardiff's Planning Service Added Value & Making Better Places
- Cardiff's Strategic Sites Planning to Provide Key Services
- Paving Report Section 106 Local Infrastructure Proposal Lists

- Cardiff Local Development Plan Annual Monitoring Report 2018
- A Review of Cardiff's Planning Policy Framework
- Cardiff Local Planning Authority Planning Annual Performance Report 2018
- Development of a New Spatial Masterplan for High Quality Shared Space Pedestrians, Cyclists & Vehicles in City Centre and Key Neighbourhoods
- Second Cardiff Local Development Plan Annual Monitoring Report

Shared Regulatory Service

- Cardiff's Clean Air Strategy
- Shared Regulatory Service Annual Report 2018/19 & Business Plan 2019/20
- Cabinet Response to Improving Cardiff's Air Quality
- Cardiff Clean Air Zone Scoping Exercise
- Shared Regulatory Service Public Protection & Business Monitoring
- Enhancing Cardiff's Taxi Standards
- Food Hygiene

Waste Management

- Recycling & Waste Management Strategy 2018 to 2021
- Waste Management Regional Working Opportunities
- Challenges Facing Cardiff in the Recycling Market
- Cardiff's Waste Collection System Compared to the Welsh Government Blueprint
- Closed Loop Recycling in Cardiff
- Commercial Waste Member Update
- Long Term Regional Partnership Recycling Infrastructure Arrangements
- Future Household Waste Recycling Centre Options
- Increasing Cardiff's Recycling Performance
- Growing Recycling & Reuse in the Community
- Waste Collection Productivity (suggested that this could potentially be transferred to PRAP or undertaken as a joint scrutiny with PRAP)
- Single Use Plastic Policy
- New HWRC Business Plan

Bereavement & Registration Services

- Bereavement & Registration Services Infrastructure Review
- Bereavement & Registration Services Customer Services Strategy
- Development of the Funeral Poverty Strategy
- Bereavement & Registration Service Member Update
- Burial Space Provision for an Increasing Population

Other

- Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate Sickness Review
- Cardiff Dogs Home Sustainable Service for the Kennelling & Re-Homing of Stray Dogs
- Cardiff Food Strategy
- Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate Volunteer Participation
- Planning, Transport & Environment Improving Digitalisation
- Planning, Transport & Environment Improving Commercialisation
- Public Conveniences Strategy & Implementation
- Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate Integration of Waste,
 Neighbourhood Services & Highways
- Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate Commercial & Collaboration
 Strategy
- Protecting Cardiff's Heritage Buildings & Monuments

Mandatory Items

- Draft Budget Proposals 2019/20
- Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate Quarterly Performance
- Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate Directorate Delivery Plan
 2019/20

ENVIRONMENTAL SCRUTINY COMMITTEE - DRAFT FORWARD WORK PROGRAMME

04 September 2018 – 04 December 2018

If you would like to share your experiences or views regarding the items being considered please contact Scrutiny.viewpoints@Cardiff.gov.uk

Meeting Dates	Title and Description of Report	Invitees & Consultees	Directorate Contact Officer
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
04 Sep 18	Member Briefing: Second Cardiff Local Development Plan – Annual Monitoring Report 2018 Committee to review the content of the Second Cardiff local Development Plan Annual Monitoring Report 2018 to assess the progress achieved to date in delivering the aims and objectives of Cardiff's Local Development plan. It is planned that this meeting will be webcast.	 Councillor Caro Wild, Cabinet Member for Strategic Planning & Transport Representatives from the Planning Service – Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate 	Caroline Stokes - Customer & Business Support Officer, Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate
04 Sep 18	Parking Enforcement Update To receive an update on the Council's approach to parking enforcement, with particular reference to:	Councillor Caro Wild, Cabinet Member for Strategic Planning & Transport	Caroline Stokes - Customer & Business Support Officer, Planning, Transport &

	 The recent proposal of a 'Residents Parking Scheme – Virtual Permit'; How civil parking enforcement resources are currently being targeted; The financial implications of parking enforcement and the wider Parking Revenue Account; The consistency of standards applied within parking enforcement and the level of flexibility allowed to Civil Parking Enforcement Officers when making decisions. It is planned that this meeting will be webcast. 	Representatives from the Planning Service – Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate	Environment Directorate
04 Sep 18	Environmental Scrutiny Committee – Draft Work Programme 2018/19 An item to review the proposals contained within the Environmental Scrutiny Committee – Draft Work Programme 2018/19 and agree a way forward to formally adopt a Work Programme for the same period. It is planned that this meeting will be webcast.	Members of Cardiff's Environmental Scrutiny Committee	Richard Bowen – Principal Scrutiny Officer, Scrutiny Services
02 Oct 18	LED Residential Street Lighting & SMART City Aspects To review the content of the report titled 'LED Residential Street Lighting & SMART City Aspects' due to be received at the Cabinet meeting on the 11 th October 2018.	Councillor Caro Wild, Cabinet Member for Strategic Planning & Transport	Caroline Stokes - Customer & Business Support Officer, Planning, Transport &

		Representatives from the Planning Service – Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate	Environment Directorate
02 Oct 18	Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate – Budget Briefing To receive a budget briefing for the Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate and consider: The approach being taken to identify budget savings for 2019/20; The scale of the proposed budget savings for 2019/20 and future years; To consider the impact that this might have on service delivery; To assess how the Directorate is performing against its allocated budget and review progress against the savings agreed during the 2018/19 budget setting process; To consider any financial pressures currently facing the Directorate.	 Councillor Michael Michael, Cabinet Member for Clean Streets, Recycling & Environment Councillor Caro Wild, Cabinet Member for Strategic Planning & Transport Representatives from the Planning Service – Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate 	Caroline Stokes - Customer & Business Support Officer, Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate

02 Oct 18	Member Briefing Note: Road Naming Policy To provide a short briefing on the report titled Road Naming Policy that is due to be received at the Cabinet meeting on the 11 th October 2018.	None – this is a Member briefing note.	Richard Bowen – Principal Scrutiny Officer, Scrutiny Services
06 Nov 18	Cardiff Cycling Strategy Update To receive an update on the development of Cardiff's Cycling Strategy and consider the progress made since last receiving a paper on the item in January 2017.	 Councillor Caro Wild, Cabinet Member for Strategic Planning & Transport Representatives from the Planning Service – Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate 	Caroline Stokes - Customer & Business Support Officer, Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate
06 Nov 18	Air Quality & Transport White Paper An item to consider the content of the 'Air Quality & Transport White Paper' and assess the impact that this might have in addressing the air quality, transport and health challenges facing the city.	Councillor Michael Michael, Cabinet Member for Clean Streets, Recycling & Environment	Caroline Stokes - Customer & Business Support Officer, Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate

		 Councillor Caro Wild, Cabinet Member for Strategic Planning & Transport Councillor Susan Elsmore, Cabinet Member for Social Care, Health & Wellbeing Representatives from the Planning Service – Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate 	
06 Nov 18	Waste Management Strategy Update An item to receive an update on the progress being made in developing the new Waste Management Strategy. This should make specific reference to: New glass collection proposals; Development of the Council's Single Use Plastic Policy; The latest phase of the wheelie bin roll out programme.	 Councillor Michael Michael, Cabinet Member for Clean Streets, Recycling & Environment Representatives from the Planning Service – Planning, 	Caroline Stokes - Customer & Business Support Officer, Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate

		Transport & Environment Directorate	
06 Nov 18	Cabinet Response to Environmental Scrutiny Committee Report Titled 'Improving Cardiff's Air Quality An item to receive the Cabinet response to the Environmental Scrutiny Committee task & finish report titled 'Improving Cardiff's Air Quality' that was presented to Cabinet in September 2018.	 Councillor Michael Michael, Cabinet Member for Clean Streets, Recycling & Environment Councillor Caro Wild, Cabinet Member for Strategic Planning & Transport Councillor Susan Elsmore, Cabinet Member for Social Care, Health & Wellbeing Representatives from the Planning Service – Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate 	Caroline Stokes - Customer & Business Support Officer, Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate

Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate – Quarter 1 & 2 Caroline Stokes - Councillor Michael Performance Reports 2018/19 Customer & Business Michael, Cabinet Support Officer, Member for Clean An item to review the Quarter 1 & 2 Performance Reports 2018/19 Planning, Transport & Streets, Recycling & for the Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate. In particular Environment Environment the item will consider progress against key performance indicators; Directorate the challenges facing service areas and the achievements made in Councillor Caro Wild. the period. Cabinet Member for 04 Dec 18 Strategic Planning & **Transport** Representatives from the Planning Service - Planning, Transport & Environment Directorate Cardiff Local Planning Authority - Planning Annual Caroline Stokes -Councillor Caro Wild. **Performance Report 2018 Customer & Business** Cabinet Member for Support Officer, Strategic Planning & An item to receive the report titled 'Cardiff Local Planning Authority – Planning, Transport & 04 Dec 18 **Transport** Planning Annual Performance Report 2018'. This will provide the **Environment** Committee with the opportunity to assess the progress made by Directorate Councillor Keith Cardiff's Planning Service in the last 12 months. Jones, Chair of

Cardiff's Planning Committee
Representatives
from the Planning
Service – Planning, Transport &
Environment
Directorate

