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Part A – Items considered in public

A5	Endorsing 'Brighter Futures' - A vision for children, young people and their families in Basingstoke and Deane	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Endorse the Brighter Futures vision and commit to work in partnership with other organisations on actions that will contribute to delivery of the vision.2) Note the engagement that has taken place through Basingstoke Area Strategic Partnership, and the feedback received through that process, to inform development of the final Brighter Futures vision document.3) Note that the Basingstoke Area Strategic Partnership adopted the Brighter Futures vision at its meeting on 6 December 2018.4) Note that actions and key indicators will be collated in a Partnership Plan, with progress being monitored by the Children, Young People and Families Partnership and reported to the Basingstoke Area Strategic Partnership Board.	To provide a commitment to work in partnership with other organisations on actions that will contribute to delivery of the vision. The vision contributes to the delivery of the Council Plan 2016-20 and aligns with a number of other council and partnership strategies and plans.	
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A6	Proposed Highway Improvements to Brighton Hill Roundabout, Basingstoke:- Land required for scheme implementation	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Approve the dedication of council owned land at and in the vicinity of the Brighton Hill roundabout (to include its land interests forming part of the Camrose Football Ground to Hampshire County Council at nil value for incorporation into the public highway, to support the implementation of the highway improvements and, subject to the relocation from the Camrose Ground of the Basingstoke Town Football Club to an alternative site in Basingstoke, to enable the implementation of the preferred scheme option detailed in this report. This accords with S123 of the Local Government Act 1972 where any disposal at less than best consideration may proceed where social, economic and environmental benefits can be achieved. 2) Delegate the detailed terms and conditions associated with the dedication of the land, the deed of dedication and related documentation, and any other supplementary legal or other agreements that may be required to facilitate the highway improvements to the Executive Director of Finance and Resources, in consultation with the Executive Director of Borough Services and the Head of Law and Governance. 3) Delegate to the Executive Director of Finance and 	The proposed improvements to the Brighton Hill roundabout will help support future growth for the town and facilitate additional transport capacity at this important highway node, to be facilitated by the securing of further LEP funding and developer contributions. The proposed dedication of council owned land to Hampshire County Council for highway purposes, will also help support the delivery of the most advantageous highway solution. This road improvement will have wider reaching economic and infrastructure benefits for the town, and these improvements accord with the aims and objectives detailed within the Council	The alternative option would be not to dedicate the council's land and thus, HCC may proceed with a scheme without a Camrose link. However, this would result in a less favourable technical solution for the proposed scheme, or HCC may proceed with a CPO which would result in the delivery of the scheme being delayed. This would also result in the council's corporate and transport objectives, particularly those relating to the delivery of improved infrastructure, being compromised.

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		<p>Resources the consideration of any objection received in relation to the notice of dedication of any open space under S123 of the Local Government Act 1972 for the Director to decide whether or not Cabinet should re-consider its decision in light of any objections received.</p>	<p>Plan, Local Plan, and relevant transport access plans and strategies.</p>	
<p>A7</p>	<p>Provision of a new Cemetery at North Waltham</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Approve the option for Dignity to provide a cemetery linked under the one site solution which includes the operation of the current crematorium. In accordance with this option, for the Council to enter into an agreement for a lease with Dignity and then complete a new lease (concurrently with the surrender of the current lease) on the obtaining of planning permission for the provision of a cemetery at the North Waltham site. 2) Delegate the detailed terms and conditions associated with the agreement for lease, surrender of the current lease and grant of a new lease, and any other supplementary legal, management of other agreements that may be required to facilitate delivery of the proposed new cemetery service under the one site solution, to the Executive Director of Borough Services in consultation with the Executive Director of Finance and Resources and the Head of Law and Governance. 	<p>The delivery of a new cemetery site by Dignity will cater appropriately for all recognised faiths and groups, follows the standard burial fees set by the council, ensures branding to link the service to Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council and would not disadvantage local monumental masons and funeral directors. Dignity would meet current and future environmental liabilities as determined by the Environment Agency and take on responsibility for the ongoing maintenance of the new cemetery site also at their</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) To withdraw from the delivery of a non-statutory service and offer the North Waltham land for sale. 2) Directly develop and manage a cemetery service at the North Waltham site.

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		<p>3) Approve the recommendation for officers to develop and implement a pilot travel scheme to test community bus provision against other options as set out in this report. This approach will allow ongoing evaluation of demand whilst identifying the most suitable and viable solution.</p>	<p>cost. This will also release capital back into the capital programme which can be used to support other key priorities and avoids the requirement to directly develop the new site.</p> <p>The proposed arrangements with Dignity also represent for the council, an opportunity for the council to generate income whilst minimising future costs and liabilities.</p>	