



Subject:	Update on Area Working Groups
Date:	20th January, 2023
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Restricted Reports	
Is this report restricted?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If Yes, when will the report become unrestricted?	
After Committee Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
After Council Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
Some time in the future	<input type="checkbox"/>
Never	<input type="checkbox"/>

Call-in	
Is the decision eligible for Call-in?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

1.0	Purpose of Report/Summary of Main Issues
1.1	To present for approval the minutes of the most recent round of Area Working Group meetings.
2.0	Recommendation
2.1	The Committee is asked to approve the minutes of the meeting of the East Belfast Area Working Group of 12th January, as attached.
3.0	Main Report
	<u>KEY ISSUES</u>
3.1	Area Working Group Minutes It was agreed, in June 2016, that the minutes of Area Working Group meetings would be presented to the S P and R Committee for approval, going forward, in line with the Council's

	<p>commitment to openness and transparency and to ensure a consistent approach with other Member-led Working Groups.</p> <p>The Committee is asked to approve the most recent round of AWG minutes as attached.</p>
3.2	<p>Project Updates</p> <p><i>East Belfast AWG</i></p> <p>The Working Group agreed to recommend to the Strategic Policy and Resources Committee that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Expansion of Belfast Bikes Scheme 2022/23 – that Connswater Community Greenway, for the Castlereagh Road area, be selected for the next phase of the Belfast Bikes Scheme in East Belfast and, in relation to the Upper Newtownards Road area options, that a site visit be arranged to view the proposed sites, together with the suggested options at Sandown Road and Bloomfield Collegiate.
3.3	<p><u>Financial and Resource Implications</u></p> <p>None</p>
3.4	<p><u>Equality or Good Relations Implications/ Rural Needs Assessment</u></p> <p>None</p>
4.0	Documents Attached
	<p>Minutes of the meeting of the East Belfast Area Working Group of 12th January</p>