



Subject:	Motion: Cycling Infrastructure – North Foreshore
Date:	22nd February, 2019
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After Committee Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
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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 or Summary of main Issues
1.1	To consider a motion in relation to Cycling Infrastructure – North Foreshore, which was referred to the Committee by the Council at its meeting on 4th February.
2.0	Recommendations
2.1	The Committee is asked to <ul style="list-style-type: none">Consider the motion and to take such action thereon as may be determined.
3.0	Main report
	<u>Key Issues</u>
3.1	At the meeting of the Council held on 4th February, the following motion, which was proposed by Councillor McAllister and seconded by Councillor McReynolds, was, in accordance with Standing Order 13(f), referred to the Committee for consideration:

	<p>“Given the ambitious plans behind the North Foreshore and the Giants Park, in particular around the enhancement of tourism and leisure in Giants Park, it is of vital importance that connectivity of active travel between North Belfast and the Giants Park is maximised in the immediate future.</p> <p>As the Council will continue to have ownership of roads in the area, this is an opportunity to provide leadership to enhance cycling infrastructure in this part of the City, with the long term ambition to better connect North Belfast to the City centre, and beyond.</p> <p>Therefore, the Council agrees to establish plans to work alongside the Active Travel unit within the Council that will oversee the creation of cycling infrastructure and will write to the Department for Infrastructure calling upon it to enhance the neglected cycling infrastructure in the surrounding area of the North Foreshore and wider North Belfast.”</p>
3.2	<p><u>Financial & Resource Implications</u></p> <p>None.</p>
3.3	<p><u>Equality or Good Relations Implications/Rural Needs Assessment</u></p> <p>None associated with this report.</p>
4.0	Appendices – Documents Attached
	None.