

Greater Manchester Transport Committee

Date: 11 October 2019

Subject: GM Transport Committee Work Programme – November 2019 – March 2020

Report of: GMCA Monitoring Officer

PURPOSE OF REPORT

To provide an opportunity for Members to comment on the proposed work programme of the GM Transport Committee.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

Members are asked to comment on and note the Work Programme.

CONTACT OFFICERS:

Liz Treacy	GMCA Monitoring Officer	
James Baldwin	Policy Officer, TfGM	
Nicola Ward	Governance Officer, GMCA	

Risk Management – not applicable

Legal Considerations – not applicable

Financial Consequences – Revenue – not applicable

Financial Consequences – Capital – not applicable

Number of attachments included in the report: 0

BACKGROUND PAPERS: Nil

TRACKING/PROCESS		
Does this report relate to a major strategic decision, as set out in the GMCA Constitution		No
EXEMPTION FROM CALL IN		
Are there any aspects in this report which means it should be considered to be exempt from call in by the relevant Scrutiny Committee on the grounds of urgency?		None
GMTC	Overview & Scrutiny Committee	
Not applicable	Not applicable	

Greater Manchester Transport Committee – Draft Work Programme

November 2019 – March 2020

The table below suggests the Committee's work programme from November to March 2020.

Members are invited to further develop, review and agree topics which they would like to consider.

The work programme will be reviewed and updated regularly to ensure that the Committee's work remains current.

The key functions of the Committee are –

- **Accountability:** active and regular monitoring of the performance of the transport network, including the Key Route Network, the operation of the GM Road Activities Permit Scheme, road safety activities, etc as well as all public transport modes. This role will include holding service operators, TfGM, highway authorities and transport infrastructure providers to public account, and to recommend appropriate action as appropriate;
- **Implementation:** oversee the delivery of agreed Local Transport Plan commitments. This includes the active oversight of the transport capital programme, and decisions over supported bus services network to be made within the context of policy and budgets set by the Mayor and the GMCA as appropriate; and
- **Policy Development:** undertake policy development on specific issues, as may be directed by the Mayor and / or the GMCA.

Friday 08 November 2019

MEETING DATE	TOPIC	CONTACT OFFICER	PURPOSE	ALIGNMENT TO WHICH KEY FUNCTION OF THE COMMITTEE
November 2019 Bus operational focus	Transport Network Performance	Bob Morris, TfGM	To review performance of the transport network, including the Key Route Network and all public transport modes. To hold service operators, TfGM, highway authorities and transport infrastructure providers to public account and to recommend appropriate action.	Accountability
	December 2019 changes to the Bus Network	Alison Chew and Nick Roberts, TfGM	To note forthcoming changes to the bus network.	Implementation
	Bus Annual Performance Report	Alison Chew, TfGM	Annual detailed report on Bus Performance. Bus operators to be invited to attend.	Accountability
Strategic Focus - Highways	Highways Annual Performance Report	Peter Boulton, TfGM	Annual report on the performance of the GM road network. To include analysis of journey time reliability, average delay times and road safety statistics.	Accountability
	Road Safety and Enforcement	Peter Bolton, TfGM	To update members on the Drive Safe and Road Safety Schemes overseen by TfGM, and specifically the role of the Speed Camera Partnership in improving road safety, including bus lane misuse.	Accountability

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	Highways and Congestion Update	Bob Morris, TfGM	To consider the progress of a range of measures to tackle congestion on GM roads.	Implementation

Friday 6 December 2019

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Rail operational focus	Transport Network Performance	Bob Morris, TfGM	To review performance of the transport network, including the Key Route Network and all public transport modes. To hold service operators, TfGM, highway authorities and transport infrastructure providers to public account and to recommend appropriate action.	Accountability
	Rail Performance – Quarterly Update	Bob Morris, TfGM	To provide an update on rail performance over the previous quarter. Rail operators to be invited to attend.	Accountability
Strategic Focus - Delivering Our Network and Passenger Focus	Mayoral Update	Andy Burnham, Mayor of Greater Manchester	Report from the Mayor in his role as GMCA Transport Portfolio Holder. To include Our Pass update.	Implementation
	GM Transport Strategy 2040 Delivery Plan	Simon Warburton, TfGM	To receive a report on the updated 2040 Delivery Plan. To include looking at the wider connectivity of the GM outlying towns and areas which require access to public transport networks.	Policy development
	Passenger Satisfaction Report	David Sidebottom, Transport Focus	Report on the findings of the annual passenger surveys conducted by Transport Focus.	Accountability

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	Customer Information	Sean Dyball and Rachel Hutchins, TfGM	An overview of the Customer Travel Information roadmap and key priority areas for the next 12 months for members to comment and give direction. To include an update on real-time bus information.	Implementation
	Travel Safe Partnership	Lucy Kennon, TfGM	Following the initial presentation in July 2019 – an update on the outcomes of the Travel Safe Partnership Governance Review.	Accountability, Implementation
	Transport Capital Programme Update	Chris Barnes, TfGM	To receive an update for comment on the transport capital programme.	Implementation

Friday 17 January 2020

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Bus operational focus	Transport Network Performance	Bob Morris, TfGM	To review performance of the transport network, including the Key Route Network and all public transport modes. To hold service operators, TfGM, highway authorities and transport infrastructure providers to public account and to recommend appropriate action.	Accountability
	Assessment of the impact of changes to subsidised bus services	Alison Chew and Nick Roberts, TfGM	To note and comment on the assessment of the impact if changes to the bus network for communities. Bus operators to attend.	Accountability
	January 2020 changes to the Bus Network and Review of Subsidised Bus Services Budget	Alison Chew and Nick Roberts, TfGM	To note forthcoming changes to the bus network and to review and make decisions relating to supported bus services within the context of policy and budgets set by the Mayor and GMCA as appropriate. Bus operators to attend.	Implementation
Strategic Focus - Healthy Network	Made to Move Update	Chris Boardman, GM Cycling & Walking Commissioner	To receive a report from the Greater Manchester Cycling & Walking Commissioner on progress implementing Made to Move and the Bee Network.	Implementation

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	Streets for All Strategy	Nicola Kane, TfGM	To receive a report for comment on the developing strategy (which is a sub-set of the 2040 Transport Strategy).	Policy development
	Open Streets	Stephen Rhodes, Anna Collins, TfGM	To receive a report on the funding available for Open Streets events, which temporarily open streets to people by closing them to cars.	Policy development
	Delivering a Healthy Transport Network	TfGM, Kate Brown	To receive the CLES report on how transport is impacting on health inequalities across GM for members to inform report and recommendations.	Policy development

Friday 21 February 2020

MEETING DATE	TOPIC	CONTACT OFFICER	PURPOSE	ALIGNMENT TO WHICH KEY FUNCTION OF THE COMMITTEE
Metrolink operational focus	Transport Network Performance	Bob Morris, TfGM	To review performance of the transport network, including the Key Route Network and all public transport modes. To hold service operators, TfGM, highway authorities and transport infrastructure providers to public account and to recommend appropriate action.	Accountability
	Metrolink Performance – Quarterly Update	Danny Vaughan, TfGM	To provide an update on performance over the previous quarter. KAM to attend.	Accountability
Strategic Focus - Inclusive Network	Fares and Ticketing	Stephen Rhodes, TfGM	To note and comment on the development of the Fares and Ticketing Roadmap including Smart Ticketing, Contactless and Concessions.	Policy development
	Social Value	Steve Warrener, Kate Brown, TfGM	To review the social value of our public transport network, as requested by members. To cover procurement and how transport is supporting the wider GM Strategy.	Accountability, Implementation
	Age Friendly Transport	Kate Brown, TfGM	Update on how transport is supporting the GM Ageing Strategy.	Policy development

Friday 13 March 2020

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Rail operational focus	Transport Network Performance	Bob Morris, TfGM	To review performance of the transport network, including the Key Route Network and all public transport modes. To hold service operators, TfGM, highway authorities and transport infrastructure providers to public account and to recommend appropriate action.	Accountability
	Rail Performance – Quarterly Update	Bob Morris, TfGM	To provide an update on rail performance over the previous quarter. Rail Operators to attend	Accountability
Strategic Focus - Environmentally Responsible Network	Transport & Climate Change	Simon Warburton, TfGM	Update on increased efficiency & deployment of low energy transport, low carbon infrastructure and plan for progressing to zero emissions vehicles by 2038.	Policy development
	Sustainable Journeys	Stephan Rhodes, Anna Collins, TfGM	A report on initiatives to support a shift to more sustainable travel. To include the promotion of sustainable travel options to people moving into new homes and workplaces.	Policy development