

Agenda Item: 1.2

Housing and Communities Committee Action Log

Purpose:

The action log records actions recorded in the minutes of the Housing and Communities Committee meetings and provides an update on officer responses.

Minutes of the meeting on 3 November 2021

Minute	Report title	Lead officer	Action	Response	Status
31.	Connecting Cambridgeshire Strategy Review	Noelle Godfrey	Requested a joined-up discussion with the Constituent Authorities and providers in relation to 5g, as it was recognised that a more co-ordinated process to tackle the issues was required. Officers agreed to organise a discussion and ensure specialist telecommunications expertise were involved in the process.	All Committee members have now been contacted with regard to 5G and an information event will be held for interested members later in the spring.	Complete

Noelle Godfrey	Requested that officers contact members of the Committee to understand any current issues in
	relation to the planning process and
	5g so that this could be dealt with in
	association with the relevant district
	planning officers in a timely manner.

Minutes of the meeting on 10 January 2022

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40.	Digital Connectivity Strategy 2022-25 Business Case	Noelle Godfrey	Queried whether the roll out of Public Access Wi-Fi to Village Halls and Community Centres, as part of the Access and Inclusion Workstream, could be accelerated. Officers explained that currently Public Access Wi-Fi had been rolled out to 40 village halls using funding from health to support health outcomes. Officers explained that more funding would be required to accelerate the roll out and this was a complex area. The Chair requested an update on the roll out in the next Digital Connectivity report to Committee.	To be included in the next report to Committee - TBC	Ongoing
42.	Implementation Update of the 2021-22 Affordable Housing Programme	Roger Thompson	A Member raised concerns in relation to the shared ownership properties on the MOD site in Ely, as individuals had signed up to these properties in July-August 2020 and they had not yet been handed over. She queried whether there were any contingency plans in relation to alternative funding. The Director of Housing and Development explained that they had received an update before Christmas that it was expected to be resolved and the substantial capital payment received from the sale of those units now before end January 2022 and that officers continued to monitor the progress of that transaction. The Chair requested an update from the Director of Housing and Development on the position as soon as it was known	An update on MOD Ely will be provided in the affordable housing programme update at committee and a separate report dedicated to the status of the housing loans will also be provided to committee at the March meeting	Complete

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42.	Implementation Update of the 2021-22 Affordable Housing Programme		In concluding the debate the Chair sought a more in-depth update on the outstanding projects in the March report to Committee	See action above	Complete