

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Economy, Transport and Environment
Date:	5 November 2013
Title:	Project Appraisal: Queens Roundabout Farnborough
Reference:	5110
Report From:	Director of Economy, Transport and Environment

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1. The decision:

- 1.1. That approval be given to procure and spend and enter into necessary contractual arrangements to implement the Queens Roundabout improvements scheme at a cost of £5,725,000.
- 1.2. That approval be given to carry out advanced works including ecological, archaeological and utility works.
- 1.3. That approval be given to promote a Traffic Regulation Order to reduce the speed limits within the roundabout and on its southern approach.
- 1.4. That the Executive Member for Economy, Transport and Environment recommends to the Executive Member for Policy and Resources that approval be given for the acquisition of any third party land required for the delivery of the scheme.

2. Reasons for the decision:

- 2.1. To improve capacity and safety at this main junction on the local road network in order to ease current problems and accommodate future traffic growth, to substantially improve the facilities for pedestrians and cyclists, and to enhance access to existing and future jobs and support economic development.
- 2.2. To approve at this stage in recognition of the time constraints on the award of £4.034 million Pinch Point Funding from the Department for Transport.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

- 3.1. Several options have been considered in the development of the recommended scheme. These focussed on increasing the traffic lanes on the roundabout and its approaches, partial or complete signalisation at the entry points, and significant improvements to benefit pedestrians and cyclists.

4. Conflicts of interest:

- 4.1. Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: None
4.2. Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted: None.

5. Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: none.

6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: not applicable.

7. Statement from the Decision Maker:

- 7.1. In making the above decision, the Executive Member had taken account of the representations received from the Rushmoor Pedestrian Forum/Farnborough Society and the Rushmoor Cycle Forum.

Approved by: ----- Executive Member for Economy, Transport and Environment Councillor Seán D T Woodward	Date: 5 November 2013
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