

Meeting of the Full Council – 25 February 2016

Report on the Scrutiny Committee Meetings held on 15 January 2016

Chair: County Councillor Bill Winlow

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Our Journey So Far and Why - A Greater Understanding of the Changes Affecting Highway Authorities

The Committee received information regarding changes that would affect highway authorities in terms of their codes of practice and funding. The presentation focused on Department For Transport (DFT) capital funding, which had not been affected by Government cuts, and, specifically, how this impacted the Transport Asset Management Plan (TAMP).

During the course of the discussion it was recommended and agreed that developers be asked to cover the cost of damage to the highway during development works.

Safe Trader Report

The Committee received a report regarding the current status of the county council's Safe Trader Scheme in Lancashire.

It was agreed that the report be noted and that the Committee would receive information regarding the rapid response team.

Work Plan and Task Group Update

The amended work plan and task group update were presented and noted.