



# Strategic Transport Leadership Board

## Agenda

29 September 2023

11am – 1pm

Via Microsoft Teams

*(Members of the public are asked to register attendance via*

*[businessunit@englandseconomicheartland.com](mailto:businessunit@englandseconomicheartland.com) by 2pm Wednesday 27 September)*

<b>1</b>	<p><b>Board Chair - Election</b></p> <p><b>Chair</b> <i>To invite members of the Board to appoint a Chair of the Strategic Transport Leadership Board</i></p>	EEH Managing Director, Naomi Green (10 mins)
<b>2</b>	<p><b>Introductions</b> <i>(including update on actions)</i></p>	Chair (5 mins)
<b>3</b>	<p><b>Public Questions</b> <i>Attending members of the public are asked to register the wish to speak in advance. Comments will be invited on any of the listed agenda items.</i> <i>Speakers will be invited to ask a question, a supplementary question and to make a short statement</i></p>	Chair (10 mins)
<b>4</b>	<p><b>Oxford-Cambridge Pan-Regional Partnership</b> <i>To welcome Dipesh Shah, the new Chair of the Oxford-Cambridge Pan-Regional Partnership</i></p>	Dipesh Shah (15mins)
<b>5</b>	<p><b>Strategic Transport Leadership Board – Priorities</b> <i>To receive an update on the mid-year financial position. To agree the EEH work programme for 2023/24 and our autumn advocacy priorities.</i></p>	Naomi Green Adam King (20mins)

6	<p><b>Bus Symposium feedback and next steps</b></p> <p><i>To consider feedback and agree priority actions for EEH in supporting bus services across the region</i></p>	Trevor Brennan (15mins)
7	<p><b>HS2 released capacity</b></p> <p><i>To receive a briefing from Network Rail on their newly published West Coast Couth Strategic Advice (covering the main line out of London Euston to the Midlands and North).</i></p>	Gavin Dowland, Network Rail (20 mins)
8	<p><b>Roads of the Future</b></p> <p><i>To consider and note:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>the outputs of the Smart Corridors Phase 1 innovation project</i></li> <li>• <i>the outputs of the ELVIS (Electric Vehicles) report, joint with Transport East</i></li> </ul>	James Golding- Graham (10mins)
9	<p><b>Business Unit Update and consultation responses</b></p> <p><i>To receive updates on:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>DfT Local Transport Plan Guidance</i></li> <li>• <i>Investment Pipeline Project Progress</i></li> <li>• <i>Successful innovation bids</i></li> <li>• <i>East of England Net Zero Conference</i></li> <li>• <i>East of England All Party Parliamentary Group</i></li> </ul> <p><i>Consultation responses:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>London Luton Airport Expansion Submission (The Planning Inspectorate)</i></li> <li>• <i>Train Station Ticket Office Consultation (closed)</i></li> <li>• <i>Freight, Logistics and Planning System call for evidence led by DfT &amp; DLUHC (closes 6 Oct)</i></li> <li>• <i>Future of Freight and Logistics APPG Survey</i></li> <li>• <i>Plan-making reforms: DLUHC consultation on implementation (closes 18 Oct)</i></li> <li>• <i>Transport for the North Revised Strategic Transport Plan Consultation (closed)</i></li> <li>• <i>EEH response to National Highways RIS Consultation</i></li> </ul>	Suzanne Winkels (15mins)
10	<p><b>Future Meeting Dates</b></p> <p><i>1 December 2023</i></p> <p><i>The meeting will be in person to be held in Farnham and Robertson House (Hertfordshire County Council), Six Hills Way, Stevenage, SG1 2ST)</i></p> <p><i>2024 proposed dates:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>1 March 2024</i></li> <li>- <i>24 May 2024</i></li> <li>- <i>12 July 2024 (in person)</i></li> <li>- <i>27 September 2024</i></li> <li>- <i>6 December 2024 (in person)</i></li> </ul> <p><i>Board members are also invited and encouraged to attend our EEH Annual Conference on 1 November 2023 at the Guildhall, Cambridge.</i></p>	