

Environment & Transport Committee – 7 September 2026
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Item	Subject	Decision
1	Joint Development and Infrastructure Directorate Performance Report Q1 2026/27	That the Development Committee and Environment & Transport Committee NOTED the updates on activity in Quarter 1, 2026/2027 and DISCUSSED and COMMENTED on forward plans and priorities to help inform the prioritisation of activity and associated Business Programming.
2	Shetland Islands Council Annual Climate Change Report 2025/26	That the Environment and Transport Committee NOTED the Shetland Islands Council Annual Climate Change Report 2025/26.
3	Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Progress Report	That the Environment and Transport Committee RECOMMENDED that the Policy and Resources Committee RECOMMENDS that Shetland Islands Council: NOTES the 2023 Collaboration Agreement administered by HITRANS on behalf of the four participating local authorities - Argyll and Bute Council, Comhairle nan Eilean Siar, Orkney Islands Council and Shetland Islands Council, reported to Council in 2024; APPROVES the Business Case (Appendix 1), and as outlined in paragraph 2.5 in the report, and DELEGATES authority to the Director of Development & Infrastructure Services or such officer who may succeed to that Director's responsibilities under another title, to progress and complete all tasks reasonably necessary to bring proposed Phase 2 charge point developments to a future cycle of committees for approval; and APPROVES the utilisation, by HITRANS, of the Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Fund (EVIF) award to deliver those Phase 2 outputs and outcomes as are set out in the attached Business Case but which have also been outlined in summary across sections 4.6 to 4.11 of the report.
4	Transport Scotland People and Place Local Authority Direct Award	That the Environment and Transport Committee RECOMMENDED that the Policy and Resources Committee RECOMMEND that Shetland Islands Council:

		APPROVE each of the three projects in the People and Place Programme, as detailed separately in Appendix 1 and at section 6.6 of this report; NOTE that confirmation of central government Local Authority Direct Award funding has been received from Transport Scotland; and DELEGATE AUTHORITY to the Executive Manager- Transport Planning (Interim) to issue grants totalling up to £50,400 to Cycling UK, Love to Ride UK, and the Shetland Community Bike Project, for the delivery of the programme; provided that the delegated authority as herein conferred on the Executive Manager shall not be exercised unless and until the Executive Manager has received advice from the Executive Manager – Governance and Law (or his nominee) confirming that any prospective award of funding would not run counter to, or constitute a breach of, any applicable subsidy control legislation.
5	Proposed Extension to Central Lerwick 20mph Zone with Traffic Calming, King Harald Street and A969 South Road, Lerwick	That the Environment and Transport Committee RESOLVED to APPROVE: The “Shetland Islands Council (King Harald Street - Lerwick Central) (20 Miles Per Hour Zone) Traffic Regulation Order P32/2025”, being the extension of the Central Lerwick 20mph Zone to include King Harald Street and associated lengths of the A969 Scalloway Road, A969 Commercial Road and A969 North Road.
6	Exceptions from Contract Standing Orders – Roads Service: Control System, Mobile Screen & Dumper for Scord Quarry	That the Environment and Transport Committee NOTES the exceptions to Shetland Islands Council Standing Orders.
7	Environment and Transport Committee Business Programme – 2026/27	That the Environment & Transport Committee: CONSIDERED the business planned for Environment & Transport Committee for financial year 2026/27; ADVISED the Director of Development and Infrastructure Services of any changes required and new items to be included on the Business Programme.

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