

UPDATE ON PREVIOUS ACTIONS

REF	Date Requested	Question	Target Date
COMPLETED ACTONS			
Ongoing Actions Completed Since the O&S Meeting of 10 th October 2022			
ONGOING ACTIONS			
1.	07.02.22	<p>Request to invite the Mayor of Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority to attend a future meeting of O&S to discuss the levelling-up agenda for Fenland.</p> <p>Mayor Johnson was due to attend a meeting of the O&S Panel on 5th December but is now on a 3-month leave of absence. Arrangements were made for Cllr Anna Smith to attend instead but notification was received on 24th November that this was no longer possible due to other mayoral commitments. Future attendance to be arranged.</p>	ASAP
WATCHING BRIEF ITEMS			
1.	8.11.2021	<p>Cllr Booth requested a watching brief on Peterborough City Council's planning review and how this may affect Fenland</p> <p>The arrangements that Fenland District Council has in place with Peterborough City Council remain in the following areas:</p> <p>Development Management</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shared support manager • Viability validation assessments that are required relating to S106 agreements Planning Policy • The work required to get a new adopted local plan. <p>Peterborough City Council's planning review is ongoing as is our continued engagement with them in relation to the possible outcomes. Meanwhile we have been pleased to announce that Nick Harding, Head of Planning, has agreed to continue his work as Head of Planning at FDC as he always has done, and this means no change in service for FDC as was emailed to all members before Christmas.</p> <p>A further update was provided from Dan Horn on the 11th January 2022 as follows:</p>	Under ongoing review.

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- Shared support manager
- Viability validation assessments that are required relating to S106 agreements

Planning Policy

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The Head of Planning is a part-time post of 2.5 days per week. The post holder is making Tuesdays and Wednesdays their regular working days with the remaining half day ‘floating’ to enable attendance at corporate / team / staff / project meetings as necessary. There may be the need on occasion to change the Tuesday / Wednesday working days to cover the operational needs of the service, leave etc. All reasonable endeavours are used to monitor incoming emails and phone messages on non-working days so that any urgent matters can be responded to. The arrangements that are currently in place are near identical to those when the Head of Service post was shared with Peterborough City Council.