2015/16 Consolidated Report – Amendments to Programme

- This annex details the main proposed changes to the 2015/16 CES Capital Programme, to include funding and schemes carried over from 2014/15, and amendments to scheme budgets to include revised cost estimates for schemes. Schemes are only included in this annex when alterations to scheme allocations or delivery programmes are proposed.
- 2. At this stage in the year, the majority of schemes in the capital programme are in the early stages of feasibility and outline design for implementation later in 2015/16. Updates on scheme progress will be included in the monitoring reports to the Cabinet Member later in the year.
- 3. Details of the current and proposed allocations for all schemes in the programme are set out in Annex 2.

Transport Schemes

- 4. Following a second successful bid to the Clean Bus Technology Fund, the council was awarded a further £476Kk in 2014/15 to reduce emissions from public transport. It is proposed to add this funding to the 2015/16 capital programme to fund improvements to reduce emissions from Public Transport.
- 5. Several BBAF schemes that have been delayed have had funding carried over from the BBAF (revised) programme, the main one include: Park and Ride Site upgrades (£40K), Clarence Street Bus Priority Scheme (£85K), Rougier Street / Roman House Bus Shelter (30K), Burdyke Avenue Lay-by (£50K), District Centre Bus Stop Improvements (£50K) and Park and Ride Barriers (£110K).

The previous BBAF allocation supporting the Reinvigorate York programme are no longer required and will be omitted (Duncombe Place £100K and Way Finding £30K).

- 6. The additional DfT BBA2 funding (£135K) has been allocated to existing schemes within the BBAF programme and reduces the Council's EIF funding requirements. This will cover an allocation of £30K for Congestion Busting to address minor issues raised by the bus operators and £105K for the Scarcroft Road/ The Mount traffic signals (including approaches).
- 7. The construction of Phase 1 of the A19 Pinchpoint scheme was delayed due to utility service diversion works in 2014/15. It is proposed to increase the 2015/16 budget by £573K to include the funding carried forward from 2014/15 (£350K LTP and £223 DfT grant).
- 8. Work on developing the upgrade to existing Variable Message Signs (VMS) was delayed. It is proposed to carryover the £40K LTP under spend in the 2014/15 programme to allow the upgrade work to be progressed in 2015/16.
- 9. An allocation of £32K from the LTP is included in the 2015/16, this is a match funding requirement to enable access to £113K OLEV grant funding for the Electric Vehicle Charging points programme.
- Carry over funding from the 2014/15 LTP has been added to the Pedestrian (£10K) and Cycle Minor (£15K) programmes to enable continuation of these improvement schemes.
- 11. Several Pedestrian and Cycling Schemes that were delayed/ underway in 2014/15 have had their LTP allocation slipped/ added to the 2015/16 programme to enable their completion. These include: Jockey Lane (£130K), Haxby to Clifton Moor (£50K), Clifton Moor Ped/Cycle Link (£64K), Monkgate Cycle Route (£10K) and Clarence Street (£10K).
- 12. Carryover LTP funding has also been allocate to a number of Safety Schemes that were programmed or underway that require funding for their completion in 2015/16. These

Include: Osbaldwick Primary Safe Route to School, Manor Heath/ Hallcroft Lane Safety Scheme, Heslington Lane Safety Scheme and University Road Speed Management Scheme.

13. A £48K under spend in 2014/15 LTP allocation for previous years scheme costs has been carried over into the 2015/16 programme. This allows minor amendments to be carried out across the Capital Programme that may require addressing.

CES Maintenance Budgets

- 14. As the Walmgate Bar restoration scheme was not completed in 2014/15 and works are progressing on the City Walls, it is proposed to increase the 2015/16 budget by £113k to include funding carried over from 2014/15.
- 15. As work on the alley-gating programme was mainly completed in 2014/15, it is proposed to increase the 2015/16 budget by £8k to include funds that has carried over from 2014/15.