

**Notice of a public meeting of
Corporate Services, Climate Change and Scrutiny Management
Committee**

To: Councillors Fenton (Chair), Merrett (Vice-Chair), Ayre, B Burton, Coles, Crawshaw, Healey, Melly, Nelson, Rowley, Waller and Widdowson

Date: Monday, 10 June 2024

Time: 5.30 pm

Venue: West Offices - Station Rise, York YO1 6GA

AGENDA

1. Declarations of Interest (Pages 1 - 2)

At this point in the meeting, Members and co-opted members are asked to declare any disclosable pecuniary interest, or other registerable interest, they might have in respect of business on this agenda, if they have not already done so in advance on the Register of Interests. The disclosure must include the nature of the interest.

An interest must also be disclosed in the meeting when it becomes apparent to the member during the meeting.

[Please see the attached sheet for further guidance for Members.]

2. Minutes (Pages 3 - 6)

To approve and sign the minutes of the meeting held on 13 May 2024.

3. Public Participation

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4. A York pipeline of projects for the York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority (Pages 7 - 22)

This reports provides an update on a York pipeline of projects for the York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority.

5. Work Plan (Pages 23 - 24)

To consider the scrutiny overview work plan.

6. Urgent Business

Any other business which the Chair considers urgent under the Local Government Act 1972.

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Type of Interest	You must
Disclosable Pecuniary Interests	Disclose the interest, not participate in the discussion or vote, and leave the meeting <u>unless</u> you have a dispensation.
Other Registrable Interests (Directly Related) OR Non-Registrable Interests (Directly Related)	Disclose the interest; speak on the item <u>only if</u> the public are also allowed to speak, but otherwise not participate in the discussion or vote, and leave the meeting <u>unless</u> you have a dispensation.
Other Registrable Interests (Affects) OR Non-Registrable Interests (Affects)	Disclose the interest; remain in the meeting, participate and vote <u>unless</u> the matter affects the financial interest or well-being: (a) to a greater extent than it affects the financial interest or well-being of a majority of inhabitants of the affected ward; and (b) a reasonable member of the public knowing all the facts would believe that it would affect your view of the wider public interest. In which case, speak on the item <u>only if</u> the public are also allowed to speak, but otherwise do not participate in the discussion or vote, and leave the meeting <u>unless</u> you have a dispensation.

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City of York Council

Committee Minutes

Meeting	Corporate Services, Climate Change and Scrutiny Management Committee
Date	13 May 2024
Present	Councillors Fenton (Chair), Merrett (Vice-Chair), Baxter, J Burton, Healey, D Myers, Rowley, Steels-Walshaw, K Taylor, Waller, Widdowson, Wann (Substitute for Cllr Ayre) and Clarke (Substitute for Cllr Kelly)
Apologies	Councillors Ayre and Kelly
In Attendance	Cllr Douglas, Leader inc. Corporate Services, Policy, Strategy and Partnerships
Officers Present	Claire Foale, Assistant Director, Policy and Strategy Shaun Gibbons, Head of Carbon Reduction Kathryn Daly, Head of City Development Dawn Steel, Democratic Services Team Leader

50. Declarations of Interest (5:32 pm)

Members were asked to declare any disclosable pecuniary interest, or other registerable interest, they might have in respect of business on the agenda, if they have not already done so in advance on the Register of Interests.

None were declared.

51. Minutes (5:32 pm)

Resolved: That the minutes of the last meeting held on 22 April 2024 be approved as a correct record, subject to an amendment at minute 46 where the last sentence should read 'He raised concerns regarding high consumption areas, which he considered to be big polluters'.

52. Public Participation (5:33 pm)

It was reported that there had been no registrations to speak at the meeting under the Council's Public Participation Scheme.

53. The Ten-Year Strategies: a stock take (5:33 pm)

The Assistant Director of Policy and Strategy introduced the report and summarised the key points contained in the update.

Members asked a range of questions which covered the 10 Year Scorecards, time lags in data sets, changes to plans as a result of strategic priorities, transport policy including car-sharing initiatives, the role of the combined authority, timescales for reviewing and updating the strategies, climate strategy key performance indicators (KPI's) and financing the climate action plan.

Officers and the Leader noted that transport policy was being developed in conjunction with the York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority through the emerging local transport plan.

Resolved:

- i. That the report be noted.
- ii. That the item be brought back to the committee following any future update of the strategies.

Reason: To allow the committee to discharge its responsibilities in monitoring and advising on council priorities and strategies.

54. Monitoring and Tracking of Approved Council Motions (6:01 pm)

The Democratic Services Team Leader provided an update on the monitoring and tracking of approved Council motions.

Members questioned the wording of the information relating to the motion on the Introduction of Council Tax Premium for Second Homes. They also requested that more information be provided in the actions and status columns where appropriate.

[6.27pm Cllr Rowley left the meeting.]

Resolved:

- i. That the content of Annex A be noted.
- ii. That CMT/Portfolio Holders and then Group Leaders review approved Council Motions periodically at their monthly session to ensure any agreed actions for Members are being appropriately enacted.
- iii. Clarification be sought on the wording for the above motion relating to Council Tax.

Reason: To ensure that processes for monitoring and implementing approved council motion resolutions remain sufficiently robust.

55. Schedule of Petitions (6:29 pm)

The Democratic Services Team Leader provided an update on the Schedule of Petitions, covering petitions received since May 2023.

The officer explained the process for Petitions and noted that there was some ambiguity in the Constitution for the process for petitions received by the council.

[6.30 – 6.31pm, Cllr Steels-Walshaw left the meeting. 6.31 – 6.34 pm, Cllr Taylor left the meeting.]

It was confirmed that members could contact Democratic Services in the first instance for more information relating to the status of a petition. Members suggested that tracking the status of petitions via the website would be useful.

In relation to petition 217, to support calls for an immediate and sustainable ceasefire in Gaza and Israel, Cllr Healey proposed that the petition be escalated to the Leader of the Council for consideration, this was seconded by Cllr Taylor. Members voted unanimously in favour of the recommendation.

Resolved:

- i. Democratic Services to look into options for a web page to hold petitions received and progress against them moving forward;

- ii. That petition 217, as outlined above, be referred to Executive Leader Decision Session;
- iii. Invite Constitution Working Group to review and clarify the practice of referring petitions lodged at Full Council to CCSMC, taking account of custom of practice and the legitimate role of the Committee and avoiding unnecessary delays in the process of petitions being considered;
- iv. In the interim, Chair/Vice Chair to review any new petitions received and expedite any not progressed for action/consideration by relevant decision taker

Reason: To ensure the Committee carries out its constitutional function in relation to petitions.

56. Work Plan (6:53 pm)

Members considered the Scrutiny work plan for the four scrutiny committees and discussed future items for the municipal year.

Resolved:

- i. That the work plan be noted.
- ii. That a draft committee work plan be distributed to Members for review and comment.

Reason: To ensure an overview of the scrutiny work programme.

Cllr S Fenton, Chair

[The meeting started at 5.31 pm and finished at 7.11 pm].



***Corporate Services, Climate Change and
Scrutiny Management Committee***

10 June 2024

Report of the Assistant Director of Policy and Strategy

A York pipeline of projects for the York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority

Summary

1. The election of a Mayor for York and North Yorkshire and the establishment of the York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority (YNYCA) provides an opportunity to explore funding to advance projects that support City of York Council's (CYC) core commitments and Council Plan ambitions, wider city opportunities aligned to the 10-year strategies and support the regional economic framework and Mayoral ambitions.
2. There are several funding streams delivered through the YNYCA including the Mayoral Investment Fund, the future delivery of the UK Shared Prosperity Fund, and the Integrated Transport Settlement.
3. Officers have worked cross-directorate to establish an initial list of projects (Annex A) that form a York pipeline for mayoral consideration to fund relevant projects.
4. These have been mapped against the longer-term strategic ambitions of the city, such as the 10-year strategies, actions contained within the current Council Plan and the emergent YNYCA Economic Framework, to highlight alignment with each authority's priorities and the wider city narrative. Following the election of the Mayor, work is also taking place to identify synergies with his ambition for the region.
5. The development of a pipeline can help to strategically shape how CYC pursues opportunities to deliver city priorities that support regional ambition through the YNYCA. It is important to note that the pipeline is not a 'day one' list and that it is able to flex dependent on opportunities that emerge.

6. Rather it provides a review of projects that could be facilitated through successful business case submissions. This includes a range of activities from those that are “shovel ready”, to deliver subject to funding, through to requests to facilitate business case development.
7. To note, at time of publication the YNYCA funding process is still emerging to reflect the mayor’s priorities (see paragraph 15). However, the York pipeline has been developed to ensure that York is on the front foot of any future funding opportunities.

Background

8. This report is presented following the election of the first Mayor for York and North Yorkshire on 2 May 2024.
9. The Mayor will lead the York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority and will chair the Combined Authority Board.
10. The Mayor and Combined Authority will have certain powers and responsibilities, devolved to them by central government. In summary, these include:
 - a. responsibility for a Mayoral Investment Fund worth £540 million over 30 years and the powers to borrow against funds
 - b. full devolution of the adult education budget
 - c. powers to improve the supply and quality of housing and secure the development of land or infrastructure
 - d. powers and funds to improve transport through a consolidated, devolved, multi-year transport settlement.
11. They will also have oversight of the future delivery of the UK Shared Prosperity Fund.
12. The consolidation of these funding streams presents an opportunity for York to work with the Mayor and the YNYCA to securing funding for projects that will support the ambitions of CYC and York together with the mayoral priorities for the region.
13. The York pipeline is a “live” list of different proposals mapped to the Council Plan, York’s 10-Year Strategies and the regional economic framework.

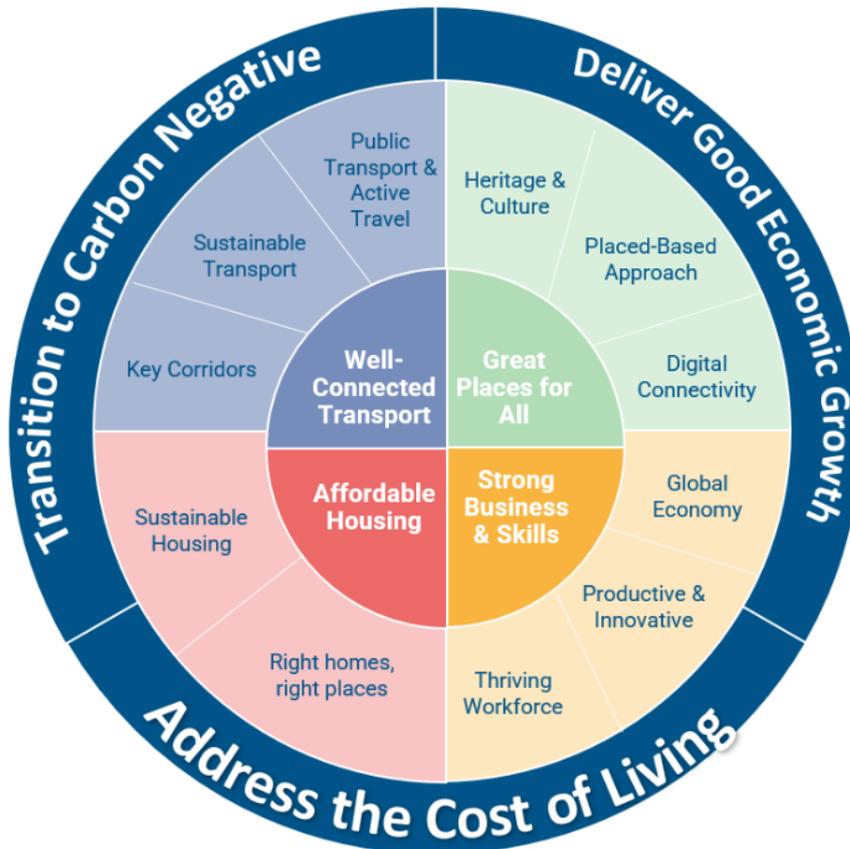
14. The regional economic framework was approved by the Combined Authority on 18 March 2024. It is shown below as Figure 1:

Figure 1: The Combined Authority's Economic Framework



15. To note, in response to the Mayor's pledges, an initial, high level overview of key priorities has been developed by the Combined Authority that builds on the economic framework. This is presented in a paper at the Combined Authority on 31 May and is shown below as Figure 2. The York pipeline will seek to reflect the priorities identified and others that emerge.

Figure 2: Regional economic framework updated with emerging Mayoral priorities



16. The York pipeline will enable officers to select proposals for business case development to deliver quickly, as funding opportunities become available, to best meet business case deadlines. The pipeline also captures partner and elected member views to ensure it best represents York's interests.
17. Note, the York pipeline does not replace partner discussions with the Mayor, rather, ensures the council is able to allocate resource to opportunities it is confident have been informed through elected member (representing residents) and partner discussion.
18. At this stage, it is proposed that the York pipeline is reviewed annually and within the context of the York electoral cycle. This might change however dependent on how mayoral funding opportunities are made available.

19. Discussions about regional activity have taken place with North Yorkshire Council officers to ensure there is alignment with North Yorkshire Council’s ambitions.

Consultation

20. The pipeline was developed by a cross-directorate officer group. It was then received internally by Corporate Management Team (CMT) and through informal discussion with the Council’s Executive Members.
21. A City Partnership event was held on 9 May 2024. During the event, partners were asked to provide feedback on what they felt were the key priorities for their organisations and the wider city that would support regional ambition, rather than on the pipeline itself. This feedback included reflections on creating the right conditions to enhance quality of life in the city (affordable housing, good transport links, skills and employment opportunities, culture etc). This feedback reflects the pipeline’s wider strategic fit.
22. Feedback on the pipeline is sought from all scrutiny committees to ensure views of Members are considered. Officers will attend scrutiny meetings on the following dates:

Scrutiny Committee	Date
Corporate Services, Climate Change and Scrutiny Management Committee #1	10 June 2024
Health, Housing and Adult Social Care	12 June 2024
Economy, Place, Access and Transport	25 June 2024
Children, Culture and Communities	2 July 2024
Corporate Services, Climate Change and Scrutiny Management Committee #2	8 July 2024

23. It is proposed that feedback is taken on board as the pipeline progresses through each scrutiny committee culminating in a revised pipeline being received for a second time at the Corporate Services, Climate Change and Scrutiny Management Committee in early July, ready for Leader consideration.

Options

24. Members are asked to provide feedback as to whether the projects identified in the pipeline reflect the longer-term ambitions contained within the 10-year strategies of the city, the actions set out in the Council Plan, and the YNYCA Economic Framework.

25. Alternatively, Members may wish to identify additional projects that they feel would be suitable for inclusion on the pipeline. These will be considered as part of the pipeline development process and will need to align to regional ambition.

Analysis

26. The process that enables Members to review this report will ensure that different perspectives from across the Council inform the emerging relationship between CYC and YNYCA.
27. Specifically, it will enable Members to consider a consolidated, strong pipeline that sets out York's ambition mapped to regional priorities for future working with the Mayor and the Combined Authority.

Council Plan

28. The pipeline is informed by specific actions identified against the seven priorities identified in the Council Plan. These priorities provide structure for the Council Plan actions that to the four core commitments – Equalities and Human Rights, Affordability, Climate, and Health.

Implications

- **Financial** - There are no direct financial implications arising from this report. Agreeing a list of pipeline schemes will ensure that the Council makes the most of available funding opportunities and will help to manage the overall financial challenge facing the Council.
- **Legal** - Legal advice specific to the pipeline projects described in this report will be provided or continue to be provided as they develop.
- **Information Technology (IT)** - Digital connectivity & Smart Technologies should be recognised as a key enabler for the Combined Authority themes, priorities and project pipeline.
- **Property** – Property implications will need to be considered on projects identified going forwards, on an individual basis with resources deployed accordingly.
- **Other**

Housing - Reducing carbon emissions from our homes and fuel bills for our residents alongside providing additional new affordable housing are identified as priorities for the council and significant activity is already taking place to meet these ambitions. This report identifies the opportunity to both accelerate and increase the scale of this activity through devolved powers.

Carbon Reduction and Climate Change - The pipeline has been assessed against the Climate Change Strategy to ensure projects align with our net zero and climate ready ambitions. The Climate Change implications of individual projects will be fully assessed as part of the project development and governance.

Skills - Collaboration between the Combined Authority and constituent authorities will be a key enabler of the skills agenda in the region. The pipeline highlights some potential opportunities and these will be considered as part of the wider approach to regional skills development.

Risk Management

29. There are no risks associated with the contents of this report.

Recommendations

30. Members are asked to review the pipeline of projects identified in Annex A of this report.

Reason: To ensure the pipeline aligns with the 10-year strategies for York, the 2023-2027 Council Plan, and YNYCA Economic Framework, enable different perspectives from across the Council to be considered in the pipeline's development, and ensure that York has a strong, consolidated list of proposals through which to engage future funding opportunities emerging from the YNYCA.

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Report Approved

Date 29/05/24

Wards Affected: *List wards or tick box to indicate all*

All

For further information please contact the author of the report

Background Papers:

- *York-North Yorkshire Devolution and the Mayoral Combined Authority paper from the Corporate Services, Climate Change and Scrutiny Management Committee meeting of 11 December 2023 - <https://democracy.york.gov.uk/documents/s171700/Final%20Devolution%20scrutiny%20report%20111223.pdf>*
- *One City, for all: City of York's Council Plan 2023-2027 - <https://www.york.gov.uk/council-plan-1/one-city-2023-2027>*
- *York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority Economic Framework - <https://yorknorthyorks-ca.gov.uk/wp-content/uploads/2024/03/240318-YNCA-Item-9-Economic-Framework.pdf>*
- *York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority – Mayoral priorities and budget update 2024/25 - <https://yorknorthyorks-ca.gov.uk/wp-content/uploads/2024/05/240531-Item-10-Mayoral-Budget.pdf>*
- *York Climate Strategy 2022-2032 - <https://www.york.gov.uk/downloads/file/8948/york-climate-change-strategy-2022-to-2032>*

- York Economic Strategy 2022-2032 -
<https://www.york.gov.uk/downloads/file/8949/york-economic-strategy-2022-to-2032>
- York Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy 2022-2032-
<https://democracy.york.gov.uk/documents/s163774/Annex%20Di%20Health%20and%20Wellbeing%20Strategy%202022-32.pdf>

Annexes

Annex A: York pipeline of projects

Abbreviations

CMT: Corporate Management Team

CYC: City of York Council

YNYCA: York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority

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CYC project	CYC project description	Council Plan actions	York ambition	Regional ambition
Green items below have been brought forward for early mayoral consideration				
Great Places for All				
Our City Centre	<p>Ensure that York City Centre is a 'great place for all' which fully maximises its economic potential as the key urban centre in York and North Yorkshire</p> <p>The project will build upon the 'Our City Centre' vision agreed by Executive in October 2024 that sets out a clear set of collaborative ambitions for the future of York City Centre, informed by significant local engagement.</p> <p>Funding is now required to collaboratively prepare an 'Our City Centre Delivery Strategy' alongside a specific piece of work to co-produce an our city centre spatial framework. The masterplan will provide the spatial context to the city vision, setting out how different city centre spaces can best be used and developed in the future in order to maximise its effectiveness as an economic space for all. This work will identify a project pipeline of 'great places' capital investment schemes to deliver that spatial masterplan with an early win delivered within the first 12 months</p> <p>Additional quick win schemes are likely to be scoping at Castle Gateway, followed by other projects such as Parliament Street.</p>	A3.2 C5.2 D3.2	Economic Strategy Our City Centre Vision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Increase opportunities for all · Transition to carbon negative · Great places for all · Supporting health and wellbeing
Secondary Centres	Strategically, secondary centres across York should be treated in the same way as market towns in North Yorkshire in terms of access to investment with the size/scale of York's secondary centres greater than some of the market towns. Funding to develop and deliver future project phases of the Acomb Front Street Masterplan as well as exploring opportunities linked to the Haxby Masterplan and associated housing growth in this location	C2.2	Economic Strategy Masterplans for Acomb and Haxby	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Good economic growth · Increase opportunities for all · Transition to carbon negative · Great places for all
Smaller centre plans	Funding to develop smaller centre master plans and deliver schemes , working closely with community neighbourhood plans (at Tang Hall, Fishergate, etc.)	A3.3 A5.4 6.6c	Economic Strategy Local Transport Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Good economic growth · Increase opportunities for all · Transition to carbon negative · Great places for all
Healthy places infrastructure	Funding to develop a business case for a healthy places infrastructure plan that would support region wide developments and increases in population based on the JSNA and Local Plan(s), including GP practices, dental facilities, community health facilities, and an age-friendly infrastructure – with capital funding via S106 and/or commercial / health partners.	A2.3 A5.3 E1.1 6.4a	Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy The Local Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Supporting and health and wellbeing of all communities · Increase opportunities for all · Great places for all
Air Quality	Funding to operate air quality initiatives at a regional scale, aligning air quality action plans across the whole region, and with interdependencies with neighbouring authorities, to improve air quality to WHO standards (achieving more through the economies of scale).	D1.5 D2.1 D2.4 F3.2	Climate Change Strategy Local Transport Strategy Air Quality Improvement Plan 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Transition to carbon negative · Great places for all
Decarbonising and adapting new and existing infrastructure (a)	Funding to complete York's LED Streetlighting programme	D1.2 D4.1 E1.1 E2.2 E3.1 F1.1 F2.4 F4.2 6.4a	Climate Change Strategy Local Transport Strategy The Local Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Transition to carbon negative · Great places for all
Decarbonising and adapting new and existing infrastructure (b)	Funding to investigate opportunities and deliver infrastructure on council delivered sites to deliver above existing policy in relation to net zero and climate adaptations, affordable housing, health impacts etc etc.	D1.2 D4.1 E1.1 F1.1 F2.4 F4.2 6.4a	Climate Change Strategy Local Transport Strategy The Local Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Transition to carbon negative · Great places for all
Decarbonising and adapting new and existing infrastructure (c)	Funding for developers to bid for to exceed net zero ambitions and become climate ready of developments (in line with Local Plan) – ie. funding the gap between net zero ambition and commercial realities, whilst technology "catches up"	D1.2 E1.1 E2.2 F1.1 6.4a	Climate Change Strategy Local Transport Strategy The Local Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Transition to carbon negative · Great places for all
Decarbonising and adapting new and existing infrastructure (d)	Funding to adapt highways network and existing infrastructure to be climate ready specifically extreme heat	D1.2 D4.1 E1.1 F1.1 F2.4 F4.2 6.4a	Climate Change Strategy Local Transport Strategy The Local Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Transition to carbon negative · Great places for all

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Housing				
CYC project	CYC project description	Council Plan actions	York ambition	Regional ambition
Housing Strategy Y/NY	Funding for capacity to develop a housing strategy (refresh) for York and North Yorkshire that identifies opportunities and considers different "housing" needs for all residents, including gypsy/traveller community and children in care and families/individuals with additional needs	E2.1 E2.2	The Local Plan Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy Corporate Parenting Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transition to carbon negative Increase opportunities for all Supporting good health and wellbeing Increase affordable and sustainable housing
Affordable Homes Growth	Funding for capacity to develop a continuous pipeline of affordable housing schemes (including on brownfield sites, newbuild and Housing First, eg. the York Central site) for future capital investment, that reflects local need, regional strategic economic clusters and connectivity plans.	E2.1 E2.2	The Local Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transition to carbon negative Increase opportunities for all Supporting good health and wellbeing Increase affordable and sustainable housing
Tackling homelessness with Housing First	Expand housing with wraparound support to tackle rough sleeping in a holistic, public health informed and strategic approach to support expanding the supply of 1-bed flats with funding to complement existing resources for a " multi-disciplinary team " overseeing the recovery journey from rough sleeping to independence, operating at scale across the region (including learning from best practice).	C2.1 C2.2	Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase opportunities for all Supporting good health and wellbeing Increase affordable and sustainable housing
Affordable keyworker housing	A key priority for the region with recruitment in health, care and education keyworker roles an issue –funding for capacity to develop an innovative and deliverable affordable keyworker housing scheme working with partners and the private sector and considering role of council's as corporate parents.	E2.1 E2.2 6.8	The Local Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transition to carbon negative Increase opportunities for all Supporting good health and wellbeing Increase affordable and sustainable housing
Regulatory powers	Funding to develop a case for additional regulatory powers neighbourhood decarbonising schemes , including rental regulations and appropriate enforcement.	new powers not in Council Plan	Climate Change Strategy The Local Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transition to carbon negative Supporting good health and wellbeing Increase affordable and sustainable housing
Safe green affordable housing	Funding for council delivered strategic sites to deliver above existing policy in relation to net zero and climate adaptations, safe, green affordable housing, health impacts etc etc. Funding for developers to bid for to exceed net zero ambitions of developments – ie. funding the gap between net zero ambition and commercial realities, whilst technology "catches up"	E1.1 E2.2 F1.1 F4.2	Climate Change Strategy The Local Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transition to carbon negative Supporting good health and wellbeing Increase affordable and sustainable housing
Youth Zones	Funding to develop Youth Zones located in key areas across the region, including Youth Zones in York aligned to the emerging locality model and aligned to the emerging Youth Strategy, creating a dedicated space for young people to build strong connections and pride in the city/place, develop life skills, mental health and wellbeing, and for mentoring / coaching in a safe space.	A4.2 B2.2 B2.4 B4.1	Climate Change Strategy Economic Strategy Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy Skills Strategy Youth Strategy (emerging)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase Opportunities for all Clear skills and career pathways for all
Regional skills learning centre	An Adult Skills Hub business case to attract future funding - in York, this could be co-located with the Youth Zone, Green Construction Village and Leeman Road accelerators, a comprehensive skills hub that builds regional skills for the key economic sectors.	B2.2 B2.4 B4.1 B4.4 C3.1	Climate Change Strategy Economic Strategy Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy Skills Strategy Youth Strategy (emerging)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deliver good economic growth Clear skills and career pathways for all

Well-connected economy				
CYC project	CYC project description	Council Plan actions	York ambition	Regional ambition
Transport connectivity	Develop the movement and place plan which describes how we will deliver the schemes identified throughout the pipeline (initial individual schemes to be determined in addition to those listed throughout)	D1.1	Climate Change Strategy Economic Strategy Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy Local Transport Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deliver good economic growth • Transition to carbon negative • Increase opportunities for all • Support health and wellbeing • Accessible and affordable transport
	Sustainable transport Funding for infrastructure of sustainable routes at strategic Local plan sites including ST15, ST14, ST7 – to cover costs if developers are not prepared to fund to CYC standards Funding to develop a comprehensive network improvement strategy (deliver movement and place plan) including on-road cycle priority schemes (rebuilding junctions, underpasses etc), improve footways, lengthen footways, narrow junctions, etc.	D1.1 D1.2 D4.1		
	Public transport enhancements: Funding to develop options appraisal for key routes, including park and ride and between university and city centre – options will include current bus infrastructure and fixed track options Funding to develop a business case for MCA revenue supported bus improvements for example accessibility of network including to York College, reduced-price fares, franchising, integrated ticketing Implement the Local Transport Strategy schemes	D1.1 D1.2 D1.4 D2.3 D3.3 E1.1 6.4a		
	E-charging Funding for increased infrastructure at car parks and Askham Bar park and ride (also activating net zero bids) Identified match funding for mayoral quick win funding	D1.1 D1.2 D2.3 E1.1 6.4a		
	Rail: Funding to develop schemes to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improve York Rail Station: develop a station masterplan and deliver improvements as part of York Station Frontage in response to doubling of passenger numbers • Haxby Station: Approve a business case for DfT to fund fully integrated transport developments of Haxby Station • Rail network: develop a business case to provide funding to support rail services that have been lost/stalled over the last two-three years (ie. to recover from covid) 	D1.1 D1.2 D2.5 E1.1 6.4a		
	Strategic road capital upgrades: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A1237 dualling stage 1 (A19 to Hopgrove) overspend • A1237 dualling phase 2 (A59-19) capital 	D1.1 D1.2 E1.1		

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A64 upgrading at A19/A64 Fulford junction 	6.4a		
	<p>Climate ready transport infrastructure Funding to conduct a study and develop recommendations for the use of sustainable/green materials and/or treatments for road surfaces to assess how to create a more climate ready/lower emission road surface</p>	D1.2 F2.4	Climate Change Strategy Local Transport Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transition to carbon negative Support health and wellbeing Accessible and affordable transport
	<p>Home to school transport Funding to cover the cost of home to school transport including alternative safe sustainable transport routes</p>	B4.6	Children and Young People Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supporting health and wellbeing Deliver good economic growth Increase opportunities for all
Digital connectivity	Funding for a NY Digital Connectivity offer (similar to WYCA) connecting businesses and communities to digital opportunity across York and North Yorkshire – developing strategy to attract private sector and Whitehall funding and support early intervention and prevention across care sector and housing, preparing high streets for the changing landscape.	6.5.a 6.5.b	Economic Strategy Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supporting health and wellbeing Deliver good economic growth Increase opportunities for all Efficient and effective digital connectivity
Renewable energy (a)	Funding for Harewood Whin renewal energy park following completion of the strategic business case (due to complete 2025).	F1.1 F5.1 F5.2 F5.3	Climate Change Strategy Local Area Energy Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transition to carbon negative Deliver good economic growth Create a sustainable energy sector
Renewable energy (b)	Funding to develop strategic business cases for other renewable energy park sites, including Wiggington and Elvington, with future funding allocated to deliver the ambitions of the Local Energy Area Plan.	F1.1 F5.1 F5.2 F5.3 F5.5	Climate Change Strategy Local Area Energy Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transition to carbon negative Deliver good economic growth Create a sustainable energy sector
Renewable energy (c)	Funding to develop deliverable plan to deliver LAEP (the Accelerator project is funded by DESNZ)	F1.1 F5.1 F5.2 F5.3 F5.5	Climate Change Strategy Local Area Energy Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transition to carbon negative Deliver good economic growth Create a sustainable energy sector
Food redistribution	Funding to deliver the food distribution project in the net zero funding, building community capacity and creating a circular food redistribution network across the region, aiming to eliminate food waste (as much as possible).	F3.3 F3.4	Climate Change Strategy Economic Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transition to carbon negative Deliver good economic growth
Green and blue infrastructure	Funding to develop a green and blue strategy for the region taking into account multiple interrelated projects, including LAEP, LINC, LNRS, green streets, flood resilience, biodiversity, health and economic benefits of green spaces, to secure additional commercial/private sector investment through BNG, and insetting	E1.1 F2.2 F2.3 6.4a	Climate Change Strategy Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy The Local Plan Upper Catchment Flood Resilience Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transition to carbon negative Enhance natural capital
Inward Investment	Co-ordinated inward investment services across YNY. Funding for inward investment capacity and activity , working collaboratively on behalf of the region and specific council geography and in close partnership with the MCA.	C2.3	Economic Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deliver good economic growth Increase opportunities for all Attract inward investment
International relationships	Build international relationships , drawing on York's relationship with ambassadors, twinning arrangements and others to further the region's global impact		Economic Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deliver good economic growth Increase opportunities for all Attract inward investment
Tourism and Cultural offer	Develop a West, York and North Yorkshire tourism and cultural offer that attracts tourists to move between the two areas, to complement and promote destinations as attractors	B4.1 6.3a	Economic Strategy Cultural Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deliver good economic growth Increase opportunities for all Attract inward investment
Cultural Heritage skills	Funding to build and deliver (with partners) a unique programme bespoke to the region to develop a centre for excellence in cultural heritage skills by drawing on our regional asset and creating pathways, stepping stones and routes into employment (could be located at the regional skills hub, see above), with a focus on connecting cultural heritage strengths with opportunities for people in areas of need.	B4.1 6.3a	Economic Strategy Skills Strategy Cultural Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deliver good economic growth Increase opportunities for all Capitalise on high potential sectors
Suite of tech accelerators	Funding to develop a business case for a suite of tech accelerators on the York Central site to create tech accelerators in key economic strengths	C2.1 C2.3	Economic Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transition to carbon negative Deliver good economic growth Increase opportunities for all Capitalise on high potential sectors

Productive and Innovative Economy				
CYC project	CYC project description	Council	York ambition	Regional ambition
Economic Space for High Growth Sectors	<p>There is a lack of strategic employment land within the City of York area, which is restricting the amount of economic growth that can be accommodated and delivered in future years.</p> <p>There is a short term funding ask for capacity to undertake a study into the regional economic potential of assets as strategic employment sites for the region to drive high growth sector employment and investment eg bioeconomy and/or creative & digital and how it's position could support a connected relationship with the region. Longer term (subject to business case) there may be a need for future MCA funding to support the strategic acquisition and/or the development of sites.</p>	C2.1	Economic Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transition to carbon negative Deliver good economic growth Increase opportunities for all Pioneer innovation and R&D Increase productivity of core sectors
Green Construction Skills Initiative	<p>With significant economic growth (homes and jobs) planned across York and North Yorkshire, there is an increased need for local construction skills to deliver the strategic sites on the ground. The region's focus upon achieving net zero also creates a new local demand for retrofit skills. Short term revenue capacity funding will allow an initial pilot phase to combine an initial focus on developing training and work experience opportunities. It will help test and develop a business case for a longer term York & North Yorkshire approach of working with developers and education providers to link such opportunities to the pipeline of developments across the city and wider sub region.</p> <p>Develop a green construction skills village to build essential skills that would decarbonise new developments, setting higher standards for strategic sites (throughout the MCA strategic plan, as above) – working closely with partners, to build retrofitting skills for York and North Yorkshire housing stock, across all tenures, offering opportunities as a corporate parent.</p>	B4.4 C3.1 E3.3	Climate Change Strategy Economic Strategy Skills Strategy The Local Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transition to carbon negative Deliver good economic growth Increase opportunities for all Increase productivity of core sectors Pioneer innovation and R&D
Business Support	Funding for delivery of business support services across YNY. This is likely to be some capacity centrally to lead on specialist work, complemented by locally based teams at CYC/NYC to deliver business support on the ground with local businesses. Aim to replace UKSPF.	C4.2	Economic Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deliver good economic growth Increase opportunities for all Increase productivity of core sectors
Cultural passports for Young People	<p>Funding to produce a cultural passport for the region's young people (secondary school age) to engage in free cultural opportunities across the region, building support from the sector, including funding for day-trips for schools in areas of need.</p> <p>Develop a proposal to support schools access AONB, nature reserves and other green spaces</p>	A4.2	Cultural Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deliver good economic growth Increase opportunities for all Supporting health and wellbeing for all communities Strong culture and heritage
UNESCO Heritage City	funding to develop the application/bid for York's UNESCO world heritage bid , as part of a wider strategy of celebrating the region's cultural and heritage strengths identifying the opportunities and benefits to York.		Tourism Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Deliver good economic growth Increase opportunities for all Increase productivity of core sectors
Green, cultural and Sport prescribing	Funding to coordinate and promote initiatives for access to green space, and sport and culture initiatives delivered by the cultural and heritage sector that are designed to reduce loneliness and alleviate mental health waiting list – including coordinating additional funding to distribute smaller grants to the green, sports and cultural sector – with initiatives designed in response to an agreed outcomes framework as part of the package of early intervention and prevention work.	A5.3 A5.5	Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategy Cultural Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase opportunities for all Supporting health and wellbeing for all communities Strong culture and heritage
Early Years Training	Supporting early years training as a mechanism of overcoming the shortage of early years staff	B2.3	Economic Strategy Children and Young People Plan Skills Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thriving workforce Productive and innovative economy

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Meeting Date	Committee	Agenda Item
10/06/24	CSMC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • York Pipeline of Proposals for the YNY Combined Authority
12/06/24	HHASC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Homelessness Future Resettlement Pathway • York Pipeline of Proposals for the YNY Combined Authority
25/06/24	EPAT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • York pipeline of proposals for Combined Authority • Yorkshire Water - sewage dumping / performance / improvement plans • Task and Finish Group – Dial and Ride
02/07/24	CCC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Finance and Performance Q4 • York Pipeline of Proposals for the YNY Combined Authority • Family Hub Network Development Update • York Learning
08/07/24	CSMC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Workforce Development • Corporate Improvement Framework • York Pipeline of Proposals for the YNY Combined Authority • Finance and Performance 2023-24 Outturn

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CCC	Children, Culture and Communities Scrutiny Committee

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