## **AGENDA ITEM 5b**

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To "Tavistock Town Council" < info@tavistock.gov.uk>
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Subject Prioritised LCWIP projects in Tavistock

Dear Town Council,

I am writing to let you know the Local Cycling and Walking Infrastructure Plan (LCWIP) was adopted by West Devon Borough Council HUB committee on 10 June. You can access the full LCWIP report using the following link: <a href="https://www.westdevon.gov.uk/communities/local-cycling-and-walking-infrastructure-plan-lcwip">https://www.westdevon.gov.uk/communities/local-cycling-and-walking-infrastructure-plan-lcwip</a>

The LCWIP report contains a very large number of possible 'interventions' that would improve conditions for walking, wheeling and cycling across West Devon (and South Hams), however these are very costly and the majority would involve highway works and so would need DCC approval to progress them. West Devon Borough Council currently holds a small amount of funding allocated for active travel projects, and so we are now looking to identify a couple of locally supported projects (across all of West Devon) that DCC could support to deliver. I do need to empathise that, in relation to the cost of highway infrastructure costs, there is only a small amount of active travel funding available to progress one or two smaller scale intervention projects. The delivery of other active travel infrastructure projects would only follow when further funding is secured, e.g. by S106 when the LCWIP is embedded within a revised Local Plan.

The attached spreadsheet shows the prioritised routes identified in the LCWIP in West Devon and contains two tabs: 'Quick Wins' and Longer term', and illustrates the ranked priority routes and the interventions suggested along these, in column J and K on the different tabs. Please note that there are often multiple interventions listed in one cell, which are defined by a unique reference number such as 'WD-3-L2'. You might wish to identify the locations of the interventions on the CommonPlace platform that was used for the <u>public consultation here</u>. I have filtered the spreadsheet so it should only show routes that relate to: **TAVISTOCK** 

Please can you review the interventions listed in column J and K 'Summary of Design Recommendations' in both the Quick Win and Longer Term tabs and highlight any that the town council could not support. Please can you also state if any projects align with the town council priorities, and identify a ranking to these?

## Please can you provide this feedback by Fri 11 July.

This information has also been shared with Tayistock ward members.

If you have any questions please let me know,

Kind Regards