

**Written statement of a non-key decision**  
**Cabinet member transport and infrastructure**

<b>Title</b>	<b>To allocate and spend the Active Travel Fund Grant on the delivery of various Active Travel Measures</b>
Decision maker	Cabinet member transport and infrastructure Information about cabinet, including the names and contact details of the cabinet members, can be found here: <a href="http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgCommitteeDetails.aspx?ID=251">http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgCommitteeDetails.aspx?ID=251</a>
Date of decision	31 August 2023
Report exemption class	Open
Purpose	Purpose:  The Council has recently been successful in securing £306k funding from Active Travel England. The purpose of this paper is to allocate and spend this funding on the delivery of the following Active Travel Measures development work; School Streets, Barton Road, Aylestone Hill and Dropped Crossings.
<b>Decision</b>	<b>That:</b>  <b>a) The Council accepts and spends the £306K Active Travel Fund grant on the delivery of active travel measures work identified within this report; and</b>  <b>b) The Corporate Director of Economy and Environment be authorised to take all operational decisions necessary to implement the proposed active travel schemes.</b>
Reason for the decision	As set out in the report. Documents relating to this decision are available at <a href="http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgIssueHistoryHome.aspx?Id=50045421">http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgIssueHistoryHome.aspx?Id=50045421</a>
Options considered	Alternative options  1. Reject the decision to accept and spend the £306k grant funding from Active Travel England (ATE). The Council would be required to return the funds back to ATE. This would also downgrade Herefordshire Council's capability level which will reduce the potential for securing future funding from ATE.
Declarations of interest (see below)	

Call-in expiry date (decisions are not subject to call-in where special urgency provisions apply)	6 September 2023
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Councillor: .....	Date 31 August 2023
Cabinet member transport and infrastructure (Councillor Philip Price)	

- a record of any conflict of interest declared by any executive member who is consulted by the member which relates to the decision;
- and
- in respect of any declared conflict of interest, a note of dispensation granted.