

South Lanarkshire Council – Stewartfield Way Project – Change Control Request approved – Declaration of interest.

9 There was submitted a report by the Chief Executive, South Lanarkshire Council (SLC) setting out a proposed Change Control Request relating to a change in scope for the Stewartfield Way Project, advising

- (1) that the proposed project changes had included a review of the scope of the project transport infrastructure element and the inclusion of East Kilbride town centre site preparation and development elements, and that based on this, additional work on the Outline Business Case would be delayed by 17 months from the current reported timeline, and that no additional funding was requested at this time;
- (2) of a summary of the new proposed project activity, as detailed in the report;
- (3) that the strategic need for the project, the SMART project objectives and the type of benefits and impacts that were anticipated to be delivered had all remained the same, as did the scope of the project, however, this had now included additional elements, as detailed in the report; and
- (4) of the main drivers and rationale for the requested change, as summarised in the report.

After consideration and having heard Alison Brown, South Lanarkshire Council, the Cabinet approved the change to scope and timelines, all as detailed in the report.

Councillor Joe Fagan declared an interest in this item of business and took no part in the decision thereon.