

MEMBERS' QUESTIONS

Question 1	Cllr Ben Crystall to ask Cllr Graham McAndrew, Executive Member for Environmental Sustainability:
<p>It is clear East Herts Council needs to promote active travel. It is also clear, according to HCC Highways, that in providing funds for active travel, the government looks extremely favourably on those districts and boroughs which have prepared Local Cycling and Walking Infrastructure Plans (LCWIPs). Several authorities in Hertfordshire, including Stevenage and Broxbourne, have had LCWIPs for 3 or 4 years and have used these to develop ambitious active travel strategies. There is no mention of LCWIP in our EHC Sustainability Action Plan. Why hasn't East Herts developed an LCWIP, and when will we have one?</p>	
Question 2	Cllr Ben Crystall to ask Cllr Graham McAndrew, Executive Member for Environmental Sustainability
<p>The excellent East Herts Sustainability Action Plan states that action 3.10: <i>"Incentivise the public to make more use of the council e-car pool"</i> has been completed. It states: <i>"The scheme has now been fully re-opened to the public and promotion is now in place on our website."</i> The link to the e-car page on our website is buried at the bottom of the Highways and Parking page. Can you tell us the change in the numbers of sign ups that this promotion has led to, and whether you feel action 3.10 should be repeated, given that we are now coming out of COVID?</p>	
Question 3	Cllr Alastair Ward-Booth to ask Cllr Jan Goodeve, Executive Member for Planning and Growth
<p>Does the Executive Member for Planning & Development agree with me that it is important that developers on the Stortford Fields estate</p>	

are held accountable for their failure to adhere to the conditions of their planning application, and what steps will the Council take ensure compliance with their planning conditions?

Question 4

Cllr Rosemary Bolton to ask Cllr Jan Goodeve, Executive Member for Planning and Growth

What is this Council doing to support local business owners and help them learn new skills to foster further economic growth in our District?