

OUTSIDE BODY – ANNUAL UPDATE

Outside Body:

Hertfordshire Infrastructure and Planning Partnership

Purpose:

The Hertfordshire Infrastructure and Planning Partnership (HIPP) provides a forum to discuss and, where appropriate, develop a shared view and agree joint work programmes on infrastructure and planning issues of common concern. A key objective is to work co-operatively within Hertfordshire and across the county borders according to the principles of localism and the duty to co-operate.

The Partnership works together with the Herts Growth Board and the Local Enterprise Partnership, and other appropriate organisations in areas of shared interest to develop and where possible and necessary agree joint approaches to common issues.

The Partnership is not a formal decision making-body and does not fetter the decision making processes of individual authorities. If individual authorities come to a different view from any collective Hertfordshire position they will ensure that all the other authorities are duly notified.

East Herts Council Representative(s):

Cllr Linda Haysey

Update:

HPP has met every two months over the last year. I am its current chair. Work includes reviewing the planning services across the Boroughs and Districts, to consider clearer working relationships for increased resilience. It is also preparing a “quality charter” covering all the County to improve quality builds and place developments

Update provided by: Cllr Linda Haysey

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