



WOKINGHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL

A Meeting for an **INDIVIDUAL EXECUTIVE MEMBER DECISION** will be held in LGF9 - Civic Offices, Shute End, Wokingham RG40 1BN on **FRIDAY 10 NOVEMBER 2023 AT 10.30 AM**

Susan Parsonage
Chief Executive
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Note: Members of the public are welcome to attend the meeting or participate in the meeting virtually, in accordance with the Council's Constitution. If you wish to participate either in person or virtually via Microsoft Teams, please contact Democratic Services: Democratic.services@wokingham.gov.uk

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<https://youtube.com/live/ucK2n2gGwAs?feature=share>

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WOKINGHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL

Our Vision

A great place to live, learn, work and grow and a great place to do business

Enriching Lives

- Champion outstanding education and enable our children and young people to achieve their full potential, regardless of their background.
- Support our residents to lead happy, healthy lives and provide access to good leisure facilities to complement an active lifestyle.
- Engage and involve our communities through arts and culture and create a sense of identity which people feel part of.
- Support growth in our local economy and help to build business.

Safe, Strong, Communities

- Protect and safeguard our children, young and vulnerable people.
- Offer quality care and support, at the right time, to prevent the need for long term care.
- Nurture communities and help them to thrive.
- Ensure our borough and communities remain safe for all.

A Clean and Green Borough

- Do all we can to become carbon neutral and sustainable for the future.
- Protect our borough, keep it clean and enhance our green areas.
- Reduce our waste, improve biodiversity and increase recycling.
- Connect our parks and open spaces with green cycleways.

Right Homes, Right Places

- Offer quality, affordable, sustainable homes fit for the future.
- Build our fair share of housing with the right infrastructure to support and enable our borough to grow.
- Protect our unique places and preserve our natural environment.
- Help with your housing needs and support people to live independently in their own homes.

Keeping the Borough Moving

- Maintain and improve our roads, footpaths and cycleways.
- Tackle traffic congestion, minimise delays and disruptions.
- Enable safe and sustainable travel around the borough with good transport infrastructure.
- Promote healthy alternative travel options and support our partners to offer affordable, accessible public transport with good network links.

Changing the Way We Work for You

- Be relentlessly customer focussed.
- Work with our partners to provide efficient, effective, joined up services which are focussed around you.
- Communicate better with you, owning issues, updating on progress and responding appropriately as well as promoting what is happening in our Borough.
- Drive innovative digital ways of working that will connect our communities, businesses and customers to our services in a way that suits their needs.

For consideration by:

Councillor Paul Fishwick, Executive Member for Active Travel, Transport and Highways

Officers Present

Rebecca Brooks, Senior Transport Planner

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IMD 2023/28	All Wards	<p data-bbox="655 555 962 593">FREE BUS TRAVEL</p> <p data-bbox="655 595 1334 775">To gain approval for introducing free bus travel from local bus stops in Wokingham Borough on selected dates in the run up to Christmas on all Reading Buses and Thames Valley Buses services.</p> <p data-bbox="655 815 1350 922">All free bus travel referred to above will be fully funded using grant funding from the Department for Transport (DfT).</p>	5 - 8
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<p data-bbox="140 994 312 1070">Priya Patel</p> <p data-bbox="140 1072 233 1106">Email</p> <p data-bbox="140 1108 379 1144">Postal Address</p>	<p data-bbox="639 994 956 1032">CONTACT OFFICER</p> <p data-bbox="518 1034 1107 1070">Head of Democratic & Electoral Services</p> <p data-bbox="518 1072 975 1108">priya.patel@wokingham.gov.uk</p> <p data-bbox="518 1108 1238 1144">Civic Offices, Shute End, Wokingham, RG40 1BN</p>
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