Gloucestershire Economic Growth Scrutiny Committee (GEGSC) 20th July 2023

This was an almost-entirely Transport focused scrutiny meeting with three successive presentations dealing with aspects of Gloucestershire's transport infrastructure:

- Item 4, Update on the Bus Service Improvement Plan (BSIP)
- Item 5, Update on progress with the Mass Transport Project
- Item 6, Update on Rail Transport within Gloucestershire

All the associated papers are short – no more than six pages and the presentations and Q&A provide a wealth of information about what is happening. There is a really detailed set of background papers covering Govt rail policies that impact on Gloucestershire in item 6. There is no getting away from the fact that GCC's failed bid for Govt funding for Bus Service improvements was unhelpful.

As ever, Colin Chick's Director's Report gives detail about how local projects are getting on. (Junction 10, A40, Cycleways etc.)

You can watch the recording of the meeting here: https://gloucestershire.public-i.tv/core/portal/webcast interactive/792037

And the paperwork for the meeting is here: https://glostext.gloucestershire.gov.uk/ieagenda.aspx?M=11206 including the draft minutes.

Cllr Paul McCloskey 17th August 2023