

**FUTURE TRANSPORT WORKING GROUP
16 DECEMBER 2016
CITY CENTRE WEST EAST CYCLE LINK**

Decision

- 1) To note that the stakeholder working group, which was set up after the Transport and Environment Committee on 30 August 2016, had met on seven occasions, spending more than fifteen hours discussing the design options for the project.
- 2) To thank everyone who had contributed to this process for their time and effort.
- 3) To recognise that many changes had been incorporated into the new proposed designs, a result of input from all parties in the stakeholder working group.
- 4) To recommend to the Executive Director of Place that he approve the changes as proposed in the amended scheme design for the Haymarket area.
- 5) Taking account of the Council's active travel and public transport commitments, the funding criteria expressed by Sustrans and that it offers the most direct route between Roseburn Park and Haymarket, it is recommended that Option A is preferred as the final design for the project at the Roseburn section.
- 6) To recognise that there are different options regarding the preferred final design, mainly concerning the Roseburn part of the scheme. To also recognise the concerns raised by traders on Roseburn Terrace in particular with regards to loading and parking on the street throughout the process.
- 7) To note that a request for a pre-implementation trial has been discussed but is not being recommended as it wouldn't be practical to accurately represent the full proposed scheme at Roseburn.
- 8) In recognition of this concern, it is proposed that following a 12-month period after implementation, a comprehensive review of the operation is undertaken especially at the Roseburn section.
- 9) To agree to continue discussions regarding the detailed designs for the scheme throughout the legal TRO and RSO procedures during 2017.
- 10) To agree to include the identified members of the stakeholder working group in these discussions as they would be directly impacted by the implementation of the scheme.