

APPENDIX B - Current Consultations – February 2021

Purpose of Document	Portfolio	Director	Response to be agreed by	Contact	Deadline for response
<p>Future of Transport: rural strategy – call for evidence</p> <p>This call for evidence seeks views and evidence from all those with an interest in rural transport.</p> <p>Following our Future of mobility: urban strategy, which was published in March 2019, the Department for Transport are now seeking views and evidence on what could be incorporated into a Future of Transport: rural strategy.</p> <p>The consultation document has 3 sections:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the context of the Future of Transport: rural strategy • our assessment of the mobility trends in rural areas, and the emerging opportunities for rural environments that we’re witnessing in transport innovation – this section seeks views on whether we have identified these correctly and further evidence for these trends • consideration of the approach that the government could take to help shape these opportunities to benefit rural areas <p>This consultation is part of the Future of Transport programme, which aims to shape transport innovation and secure the UK’s position as a leader in the transport sector of the future.</p> <p>https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/future-of-transport-rural-strategy-call-for-evidence?utm_source=fbeea974-8a4b-4dfb-b3a8-48e888e2d68e&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&utm_content=daily</p>	<p>Health and Well-Being / Economic Development</p>	<p>Kirsty Larkins, Strategy & Commissioning</p>	<p>Officers in consultation with Portfolio Holder</p>	<p>Lynda Pincombe, Specialist, Strategic Planning</p>	<p>16 February 2021</p>