

## **TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT AND INFORMATION TRAINING SESSION**

### **1 SUMMARY**

- 1.1. This report seeks Member nominations to attend a Traffic Management Information and Training session on 25 May 2000. This is a discretionary activity, though the aims of the session are linked to the initiatives that will be implemented through the statutory Local Transport Plan and the district transport strategy.

### **2 TRAINING SESSION ARRANGEMENTS**

- 2.1 At the County Council's Highways and Transportation committee meeting on 16 March 2000, Members recommended that a training session be organised to provide councillors with more information on topics related to the school journey.
- 2.2 The session has been arranged for Thursday 25 May in the Council Chamber at County Hall between 9 am and 13.00 pm. A buffet lunch will be provided.
- 2.3 At this stage, it is proposed that the programme will cover:
- Safer journeys to school
  - 20 mph speed limits
  - speed camera enforcement
- 2.4 The session has been arranged to enable three representatives from each authority to attend. It is suggested that the Chairs of Transportation and Environmental Services and Transportation Sub-Committee or their nominees attend the meeting, together with an officer.

### **4 CRIME AND DISORDER IMPLICATIONS**

- 4.1 The training session will cover issues related to speeding within the vicinity of schools.

### **5 RECOMMENDATION**

- 5.1 It is proposed that the Committee **RESOLVES:**

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That two Members be nominated, as outlined in the report, to attend a Traffic Management Information and Training Session at County Hall on 25 May 2000. (HCPI)

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**Background Papers:**

Letter from Essex County Council dated 23 March 2000.

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