

Bus Transport Select Committee

Hearing 6

Friday 28 October 2016

Witness Guide for Members

Below are suggested themes and questions. They have been provided in advance to the witnesses to allow them to prepare for the types of issues that Members may be interested to explore. All Members are welcome to ask these questions or pose additional ones to the witnesses via the Committee Chairman.

Themes and Questions

Councillor David Burton, Maidstone Borough Council

- Please introduce yourself and provide an outline of the key roles and responsibilities that your post involves.
- Please provide a brief description of the structure, purpose and main operations of the Maidstone Quality Bus Partnership.
- What have the key achievements of the Partnership been?
- What are the Partnership's key objectives for the future?
- What are the key challenges facing the Partnership, if any?
- In your view, what are the main benefits and challenges associated with the Bus Services Bill?
- In your opinion, what are the main issues – if any – associated with bus transport in Kent?
- In your view, what can KCC do, if anything, to improve bus transport in Kent?
- Are there any other issues that you would like to raise with the Committee?