

Economy and Transport Programme Board

8 September 2011

Item 3

Road Safety

Purpose of the report

For discussion

Summary

Lord Dubs, Chairman, Road Safety Foundation and John Dawson, Chair of Managing Committee, Road Safety Foundation will present to the committee on the work of the Road Safety Foundation and the results of recent research into the costs and benefits of achieving safe roads.

The Road Safety Foundation is keen to explore the role of local authorities in addressing road safety issues.

The Road Safety Foundation is a UK charity advocating road casualty reduction through action on roads, vehicles and behaviour. For the last decade, it has focused on leading the establishment of the European Road Assessment Programme (EuroRAP) in the UK and internationally, and is the UK member responsible for managing the programme in the UK and Ireland.

Recommendation

Members are asked to consider the implications for local authorities.

Action

Officers implement programme of support as agreed by members.

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