Agenda Item 13

Partnership report



Member attendance at relevant transport planning and policy conferences

Date of meeting21 June 2019Date of report5 June 2019

Report by Assistant Chief Executive

1. Object of report

To recommend the approval of member attendance at relevant transport planning and policy related conferences, as detailed in the report.

2. Background

The Partnership has previously agreed that member attendance at conferences be considered by the Partnership or a relevant Committee. It is important, given the increased discussion and strategic awareness of improvements to transport, that SPT is represented at forums where transport matters are being debated and discussed.

3. Current Proposals

It is proposed that the Partnership approve the attendance of the Chair and one Vice Chair at the "Developing Scotland's National Transport Strategy – Investment, Connectivity & Wellbeing" conference to be held in Glasgow on 28 August 2019. Two places will incur a total cost of £460 plus VAT.

4. Committee action

The Partnership is recommended to approve the member attendance as detailed in this report.

5. Consequences

Policy consequences	In line with Regional Transport Strategy.	
Legal consequences	None directly.	
Financial consequences	Contained within current budgets.	
Personnel consequences	None directly.	
Equalities consequences	None directly.	
Risk consequences	None directly.	

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