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14TH COUNCIL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF STELLENBOSCH MUNICIPALITY

2017-11-29

7.6.4

PROGRESS WITH THE PLANNING OF AN INTEGRATED PUBLIC TRANSPORT SERVICE NETWORK AND THE PROVINCIAL SUSTAINABLE TRANSPORT SYSTEM

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Meeting Date: 14th Council: 29 November 2017

1. SUBJECT: PROGRESS WITH THE PLANNING OF AN INTEGRATED PUBLIC TRANSPORT SERVICE NETWORK AND THE PROVINCIAL SUSTAINABLE TRANSPORT SYSTEM

2. PURPOSE

To inform Council of the Public Transport Service Network operational and business plan and to report on the progress with the Provincial Sustainable Transport Program (PSTP).

3. DELEGATED AUTHORITY FOR DECISION BY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

The Comprehensive Integrated Transport Plan (CITP) is a document that must in terms of the National Land Transport Act (Act No 5 of 2009) be approved by Council. The development of an Integrated Public Transport Network is as recommended in the approved CITP. It is therefore necessary that Council consider matters regarding the Integrated Public Transport Plan.

4. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The submission aims to inform Council of the Integrated Public Transport Network (IPTN) operational and Business Plan and to report on the progress made with the Provincial Sustainable Program. The two studies are closely interrelated and are therefore reported on simultaneously.

The Business Plan for the development of an Integrated Public Transport Network was completed and recommends the development of further detailed institutional, business and operational plans to affirm cost and revenue estimates and the sources and availability of funding. The Business Plan is attached as **APPENDIX 1**.

The Municipality has in the meantime signed a Memorandum of Agreement with the Western Cape Department of Transport and Public Works whereby the Department will assist the Municipality in terms of the Provincial Sustainable Transport Program with the development of improved sustainable transport solutions for Stellenbosch. In the light of this new developments, the development of the IPTN must be slowed down to wait for the outcome of the PSTP investigations and recommendations, to ensure the most sustainable and economic solutions for the transport challenges facing Stellenbosch.

The development of the Provincial Sustainable Transport Program (PSTP) has started and a status quo report on transport in Stellenbosch has been prepared. A process plan for the development of the PSTP is attached as **APPENDIX 2**.

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After two warnings during deliberations on the matter, the Speaker ordered Cllr F Adams to leave the Council Chamber (at 14:20) for violating Rule 27 of the Rules of Order By-law.

RESOLVED (majority vote with abstentions)

- (a) that Council takes note of the Operational Business Plan for the proposed Integrated Public Transport Service Network (IPTN) as recommended in the Comprehensive Integrated Transport Program;
- (b) that the recommendations of the Integrated Public Transport Service Network (IPTN) not be adopted at this stage, but that Council wait for the findings of the Provincial Sustainable Transport Program before any public transport system is implemented; and
- (c) that Council takes note of the progress made with the Provincial Sustainable Transport Program (PSTP).

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