

Title	County Councillor's Report
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20mph timetable published:

The timetable for 20mph has been published.

Chinnor is set to be complete in the first tranche by February 2023. Link to the Time Table [Requesting 20mph restrictions | Oxfordshire County Council](#)

Residents invited to share big issues and priorities ahead of budget setting

People in Oxfordshire are being invited to talk to and ask questions of a panel of cabinet members about the big issues that matter most to them and their communities as part of a series of public events this September. Seven events will take place, two online and five in locations across the county. We also want to check that the priorities we set last year as part of our new strategic plan still align with those of our residents, as part of the process of setting a new budget for next year. We are all facing new and significant financial pressures as a result of the cost of living crisis, and we want to hear from residents about their experiences. We'll also be sharing what that means for us as a council and the challenge of delivering services under these circumstances.

[Visit Let's talk Oxfordshire](#) for full details and all the dates.

Health visiting and school and college nursing services

Parents of young people in Oxfordshire, and healthcare professionals, are being asked for their views on health visiting and school and college nursing services in Oxfordshire.

A new survey looks to find out what parents think of the services they have used, their thoughts on what is the most important support and how the council can make health services easier to access.

The healthy child programme, which is funded by Oxfordshire County Council's public health team, offers a range of services, such as advice, developmental reviews and drop-in clinics to support the health and wellbeing of children, young people and their families.

The survey goes live on 7 September, and residents have until 30 September to take part by visiting [Let's talk Oxfordshire](#), the county council's digital engagement and consultation platform.

Oxfordshire awarded millions of pounds for bus improvements

Oxfordshire has been awarded £12.7 million of government funding for measures to get people out of their cars and back on to buses.

Earlier this year, Oxfordshire County Council was one of 31 successful applicants out of 79 to receive an 'indicative allocation' for its Bus Service Improvement Plan (BSIP).

This £12.7m has now been confirmed by the Department for Transport and will support measures over the next three years, including cheaper fares for under-19s, new rural services, bus priority improvements across the county and proposed traffic filters to reduce journey times and support the introduction of new zero emission electric buses.

Councillor Priority Fund still open (Both)

Applications to the Councillor Priority Fund are still open. This is a fund of £15,000 to be used over two years on projects in Thame, Chinnor, Tetsworth and surrounding villages

<https://www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/residents/community-and-living/thriving-communities/councillor-priority-fund>

Awarded in Chinnor to date:

Parish	Project	Kate	Nigel	Total
Chinnor	EV Chargers	£1,500.00	£1,500.00	£3,000.00
Chinnor	Chinnor Community Church	£1,000.00	£1,000.00	£2,000.00
Chinnor	Village Centre	£1,000.00	£1,000.00	£2,000.00
Thame and Chinnor	Enrych Oxfordshire	£100.00	£100.00	£200.00
		£3,600.00	£3,600.00	£7,200.00

Oakley Lane Development

Commented on the development and awaiting review from officer visit

Library

There is \$106 money for the library and the cabinet member is visiting the library on 5 October at 10am

Drains Flooding

An ongoing issue – problems should be added to fixmystreet when they arise