

TONBRIDGE & MALLING BOROUGH COUNCIL

JOINT TRANSPORTATION BOARD

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Report of the Director of Planning, Transport and Leisure

Part 1- Public

Matters For Information

1 A21 NEWSLETTER

1.1 A21 Newsletter

1.1.1 I am keeping a close watching brief on the Highways Agency's (HA) progress in bringing forward the A21 Dualling scheme between Tonbridge and Pembury. This is a major piece of work and it is strategically important for the whole of West Kent.

1.1.2 Reassuringly, the HA has been issuing a series of newsletters. The latest of these was published in October and is reproduced at **Annex 1** for the Board's awareness and information. The next significant step in the progress towards a start on the construction is the imminent publishing of draft orders, programmed for December.

1.2 Legal Implications

1.2.1 None

1.3 Financial and Value for Money Considerations

1.3.1 None

1.4 Risk Assessment

1.4.1 None

Background papers:

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Nil

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