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Val Shawcross, AM GLA More London SE1

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Dear Val

Southwark Council's Regeneration and Leisure scrutiny committee met on the 2 February to examine opportunities to use the planning process to better target regeneration spending at areas of need.

The committee resolved to explore opportunities for working with the GLA to use the Community Infrastructure Levy to invest in mutually beneficial regeneration projects.

I would therefore like to invite you to a committee meeting to discuss the possibility of utilizing the planed Community Infrastructure Levy to fund transport infrastructure regeneration projects, particularly the much needed refurbishment of the Elephant and Castle station.

We have two dates in mind; either the 7 March at 8pm or the 4 May at 7pm. If you are unable to make either meeting we would be grateful if you could send a substitute. We will also be extending an invitation to the London Mayor's transport adviser; Kulveer Ranger, to discuss this matter.

I look forward to your response. If you would like more information please contact Julie Timbrell on 020 7525 0514 or email: julie.timbrell@southwark.gov.uk.

Yours sincerely

Cllr Mark Glover Chair, Regeneration and Leisure scrutiny committee

CC Kulveer Ranger; Advisor for Transport