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Calderdale Local Plan Examination

Stage 2 Hearings

Matter 8 – Growth Delivery/Infrastructure Needs/Air  
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Stage 4 Continuation Hearings

Air Quality

March 2022

This note provides detail on the timetable for updating the West Yorkshire Low Emission Strategy (WYLES).

The original WYLES ran from 2016 to 2021. It was West Yorkshire wide but was not 'owned' by the West Yorkshire Combined Authority (which has since become a Mayoral Combined Authority). The issue was discussed at the West Yorkshire Heads of Planning meeting on 4 February 2022, and it was confirmed that an officer from Kirklees Council was tasked with preparing the update. Significant progress was made, but completion was stymied by the COVID pandemic. It was agreed by the Heads of Planning that WYLES is best being owned by the Combined Authority and as such they are coordinating the finalisation of the review with a view to taking it through their governance processes over the next few months.