CABINET MEMBERS REPORT TO COUNCIL

28 April 2016

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For the period -25th March to 28th April 2016

1 **Progress on Portfolio Matters.**

The capital investment in fitness facilities has been completed at Lynnsport and Downham and has been well received. The new area at Lynnsport "Synergy 360" offers a greater range of exercises particularly focussed on body weight training. The move of the toning equipment into its own space has received some complaints but feedback has been mainly positive. Officers are continuing to discuss opportunities to improve the areas with customers.

I visited Lynnsport to look at the capital works to create the new hockey and tennis facilities made possible by the Major Housing Development scheme for Lynnsport. The facilities are a fantastic improvement for the site and I look forward to opening them next month.

The pay by phone parking opportunity first tested on Tuesday Market Place is now available on all short-term car parks in King's Lynn and also the disabled pay and display parking area in the multi-storey car park.

The Council has commenced management and operation of the Burnham Market car park and toilets. I attended the opening ceremony on the 9th April. The quality of the car park is excellent and I am sure will be well used, particularly once the County Council completes its line marking.

2 Meetings Attended and Meetings Scheduled

| 30 March 05 April 05 April 06 April | Portfolio meeting Matthew Henry meeting Cabinet Downham Mkt SNAP meeting |
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| 19 April 22 April | LAC meeting Visit to Lynnsport with Dale Gagen |
| 28 April | Full Council |