**Meeting: OS & PD Committee** 

Date: Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2018

**Title: Construction Project** 

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Service: Construction Project

Wards affected: All

## 1. Purpose of Report

The purpose of this report is to notify OS & PD Committee of the intention to attend the next Committee meeting on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September to provide an update on the Construction Project.

## 2. Recommendations

It is recommended that OS&PD Committee note the content of this report in advance of an officer presentation on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2018.

## 3. Details

At its meeting on 27<sup>th</sup> September 2017, Cabinet agreed with the recommendations of the Working Group on the Future Construction Requirements of the Authority. Those recommendations mean that the Joint Venture with Kier Group Plc will end on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2019.

A project has been established to manage the transition of services from Kier North Tyneside to the Authority, ensuring that the appropriate set of arrangements are in place from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2019 to directly deliver the construction and repairs and maintenance offer.

Following its meeting on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> July OS&PD Committee requested that an update be provided in relation to the work being carried out as part of the Construction Project. Officers intend to attend the next OS&PD Committee on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2018 to present an update.

The proposed presentation will cover:

- Background to the Construction Project
- The role of the Construction Project
- Key progress to date
- Customer engagement
- Project next steps