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THAMES ESTUARY COMMISSION POISED TO RECOMMEND C2E EXTENSION

Sir John Armit's Thames Estuary Commission is reportedly poised to recommend to Government that Crossrail be extended to Ebbsfleet. Writing in the New Civil Engineer, Mark Hansford sets out the powerful case for the C2E extension - said to have been recognised by the Commission and supported by Government.

Responding to the reports, Leader of the London Borough of Bexley, Councillor Teresa O'Neill OBE, said:

"It is encouraging to see support for the extension growing so strongly and swiftly – with the Government, businesses and the engineering community independently recognising the potential to transform this part of London and Kent. If the Thames Estuary Commission recommends the C2E extension, it will add a powerful and respected voice to those in Government and across the region calling for us to finish the job on Crossrail."

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NOTE TO EDITORS

The Thames Estuary Commission is expected to publish its report on 25 June. This will set out a series of recommendations for Government investment in the Thames Estuary following almost two years' work.

The Commission is led by Sir John Armit, Chair of the National Infrastructure Commission.

Mark Hansford's article can be found at: https://www.newcivilengineer.com/latest/heavyweight-backing-expected-for-15bn-crossrail-extension/10031696.article?utm_source=dlvr.it&utm_medium=twitter

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