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Subject: Highway Issues
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Good Morning Cllr Alcott,

I understand you have recently spoken with Cllr Mark Deaville in regards a number of outstanding highway defects within the Cannock area.

Cllr Deaville has asked the liaison team to investigate these matters and report back to you directly.

*I apologise for the delay in response however there were a number of concerns listed which has required some investigation. However I have summarised the lists you originally provided on the attached spreadsheet. The highlighted lines are the ones which fall under SCC responsibility however there are some issues falling under CCDC responsibility
Reactive maintenance work, which is aimed at keeping the roads safe by addressing safety defects, is primarily identified by a comprehensive system of highway inspections that look for defects and categorises them based on the risk they present to the travelling public.
Repairing these defects is then coordinated centrally to obtain the maximum efficiency from the available resources.*

In addition to this inspection regime, repairs can also be identified by the community via telephone calls or emails to the Contact Centre. Following receipt of such a report a Reactive Inspector will visit the location and assess what repair is required and its priority, with this again being based on a risk management approach which determines what risk the defect presents to the road user. Repair of these defects is also coordinated centrally.

Out of the list provided I understand the depression on Cemetery Road was a priority, as a result of these concerns I have recently met with operational staff and agreed to program this particular site for excavation investigation along with a number of other sites as soon as possible. I am very hopeful this work will take place very shortly.

We have also actioned the pothole on Beecroft Road island, this site is particularly difficult to work on however the area has been made safe and arrangements for a permanent repair are in progress.

Finally in regards the ironworks near the Express & Star office, I appreciate this has taken some time to deal with however it is South Staffs Water who are responsible for these covers and we sent a Section 81 defect notice to SSW some months ago. Various meetings have taken place and we continue to raise the profile of this defect. The delay is due to the amount of traffic management that will be required to carry out the works safely, a lane closure on the dual carriageway is needed so additional detailed planning is required.

As soon as I have any further detail in regards this particular issue I will let you know.

If you have any further concerns please do not hesitate to contact me.

Members of the public can report defects directly to our contact centre on 0300 111 8000 or via highways@staffordshire.gov.uk, in addition there is lots of information on our webpages – www.staffordshire.gov.uk

Kind regards

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Summary: Re Cllr Gordon Alcott enquiries in regards Highway issues.

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Date	Address	Source	Issue	Responsibility		Comments	CILM Comment
				CCDC	SCC		
Sep-14	Rummer Hill Esate	Joanne Dowling / CCDC	Surface issues		Yes	Jobs on system pending works	N/A
24/09/2014	Warwick Close	Estate walk	Gates	Yes		NFA	
24/09/2014	Warwick Close	Estate walk	Drain issues	Yes		CCDC Drainage	
24/09/2014	Devon Green	Estate walk	Fly Tipping	Yes			
24/09/2014	Oxford Green	Estate walk	Trees	Yes			
24/09/2014	Devon Green	Estate walk	Remove Wood	Yes			
24/09/2014	Devon Road	Estate walk	Dog Fouling	Yes			
24/09/2014	Devon Road / Surrey Drive	Estate walk	Road surface		Yes	Works pending Ref: 200957 / 2007296	N/A
24/09/2014	Oxford Green	Estate walk	Trees	Yes			
24/09/2014	Surrey Close	Estate walk	Wall issue	Yes			
24/09/2014	Salop Drive Gate	Estate walk	Lock Issue	Yes			
12/03/2014	Devon Road	Estate walk	Brick Wall	Yes			
12/03/2014	The Green opp Garage Site	Estate walk	Uneven Surface		Yes	Works raised cat4 low priority	N/A
12/03/2014	Oxford Green	Estate walk	Overgrown garden	Yes			
12/03/2014	Oxford Road	Estate walk	Area of Land	Yes			
24/06/2014	Devon Road	Estate walk	Drying area	Yes			
24/06/2014	Devon Road	Estate walk	Mattresses	Yes			
24/06/2014	Devon Road	Estate walk	Prune Trees	Yes			
24/06/2014	Salop Drive	Estate walk	Potholes		Yes	Nothing pending on system / suggest completed or req inspection	
17/06/2014	Banbury Road	Estate walk	Potholes / uneven		Yes	Completed 21/08/2014	N/A
17/06/2014	Whitby Way	Estate walk	Overgrown garden	Yes			
17/06/2014	Repton Close	Estate walk	Large Trees	Yes			
17/06/2014	Salcombe Close	Estate walk	Uneven Surface		Yes	Completed 21/08/2014	N/A
17/06/2014	Hazlemere Garage site	Estate walk	Fly Tipping	Yes			
17/06/2014	Skipton Place	Estate walk	Overgrown Garden	Yes			
17/06/2014	Conway Road	Estate walk	Blocked Drain		Yes	Completed 9/08/2014	N/A
17/06/2014	Leamington Close	Estate walk	Potholes		Yes	Completed 2/07/2014	N/A
17/06/2014	Carlisle Road / Ascott	Estate walk	Potholes		Yes	Completed 2/07/2014	N/A
17/06/2014	Banbury Road	Estate walk	Large Trees	Yes			
01/12/2014	Ascott Drive	Estate walk	Driving on garden	Yes			
01/12/2014	Banbury / Ascott / Salcombe / Conway	Estate walk	Road surface		Yes	Referred to Dan Vale consider to scheme	Frwd Progrm
29/07/2014	Ascott Drive Estate	Joanne Dowling / CCDC	Road surface enquiry		Yes	As above this matter has been referred for a possible scheme	Frwd Progrm
01/12/2014	Banbury Road	Estate walk	Overgrown garden	Yes			
01/12/2014	Conway Road	Estate walk	Broken Drain		Yes	No record of enquiry / Inspection required	N/A
01/12/2014	Whitby Way	Estate walk	Overgrown garden	Yes			
29/07/2014	Ellesmere Road	Estate walk	Fly Tipping	Yes			
29/07/2014	Whitby Way / Ascott	Estate walk	Fly Tipping	Yes			
29/07/2014	Whitby Way	Estate walk	Long grass	Yes			
18/09/2014	Cemetery Road	Steve Scofield	C/way Depression		Yes	Works have taken place / site is monitored, new job raised for investigation work	Works planned shortly
18/09/2014	34 Ringway Beecroft & Allport Rd Ju	Steve Scofield	Potholes		Yes		
18/09/2014	Allport Street	Steve Scofield	Potholes		Yes		
18/09/2014	Brindley Heath Road (near pools)	Steve Scofield	Potholes		Yes	??	
Unknown	View Street Hedgesford	Hand written list GA	Surfacing		Yes	A scheme is planned 2015	Programmed works

Unknown	Cannock & Rugeley Paving	Hand written list GA	Block Paving	Yes	An outside contractor has completed the issues in Rugeley Town Nov / Dec 14. Cannock is ongoing an subject to regular inspection	See comments
Unknown	Bottom of Bower Lane Rugeley	Hand written list GA	Trench depression	Yes	Utility company are aware and have been served notice	See comments
Unknown	Brindley Crecent	Hand written list GA	Algae on footway	Yes	Low priority / Will be actioned by NHT during program	See comments
Unknown	Broomhill Close	Hand written list GA	Footpath near No.2	Yes	No Information on defect? Requires site check	
Unknown	Crossroads Cemetery Road	Hand written list GA	Sunken Manhole	Yes	No Information on defect? Requires site check	Needs inspection to confirm which cover. Also site will be difficult to action due to being in the middle section of signals.
Unknown	Station Road Hednesford	Hand written list GA	Manhole Covers / uneven surface	Yes	No Information on defect? Requires site check	No obvious defects along route
Unknown	Albert Street	Hand written list GA	Condition of surface / potholes	Yes	No Information on defect? Requires site check	
Unknown	Jubille Cross roads	Hand written list GA	Cover top missing	Yes	No Information on defect? Requires site check	
Unknown	Queen Square	Hand written list GA	Manhole Covers / uneven surface	Yes	SSW have been served defect notice they are dealing. Requires closure of a section of dual c/way	New surface throughout, minor issue with covers on junction / defected ssw dealing
Unknown	Cannock Road Chadsmoor	Hand written list GA	Condition of humps	Yes	No Information on defect? Requires site check	Condition is good however minor issue on one ramp near chemist / sunken blocks (requires action via Confirm)
Unknown	Cannock Road Heath Hayes	Hand written list GA	Roundabout - Cover & Surface	Yes	No Information on defect? Requires site check	
Unknown	High Mount Street	Hand written list GA	Drain Covers	Yes	No Information on defect? Requires site check	Overall good / Minor issues / Low priorities.
Unknown	Heath Street Hednesford	Hand written list GA	Drain covers / potholes	Yes	No Information on defect? Requires site check	Heath St has potholes within channel. Requires action / inspection and or repairs
Unknown	Shafbury Drive Hed	Hand written list GA	Drain covers / potholes	Yes	No Information on defect? Requires site check	Overall ok / Pothole on route
Unknown	Old Fallow Road - Cnk	Hand written list GA	General Surface condition	Yes	Nothing on the current program / possible future surface dress site. Partially recently resurfaced Cannock road end.	Minor issues
Unknown	James Street - Cnk	Hand written list GA	Potholes	Yes	No Information on defect? Requires site check	Pothole on junc / Action pending
Unknown	Saturn Road - Cnk	Hand written list GA	Potholes	Yes	No Information on defect? Requires site check	Pothole on turning head / action pending
Unknown	Cannock Town Centre by Pursehouse	Hand written list GA	Potholes	Yes	Completed	Pothole (cat 2) pending / now complete.
Unknown	Bradbury Lane - Hednesford	Hand written list GA	Potholes	Yes	No Information on defect? Requires site check	Good condition / No defects??

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