

Aberdeen City Council – LOCAL RAUC MEETING, 10TH October 2018

MARISCHAL COLLEGE, ABERDEEN,

Attendees: Terry Macleod (TM); Jim Forbes, CityFibre (JF); Ally Cowie, SGN (AC); Craig McQueen, SW (CM); Duncan MacLennan, BT (DM); Liam O’Keefe, Vodaphone (LOK); Mike Dunn, SGN (MD); Jim Ditchburn, AWPR (JD)

Apologies: Kevin Abercrombie, ACC (KA); Karyn Davidson, Vodaphone (KD); Irvine Ellis, SSE (IE).

Agenda

1. Introductions and Welcomes
2. Aberdeen City Council’s upcoming programme of events/works.
 - a) TM provided details relating to the upcoming programme of works for ACC in terms of the Capital and Footway resurfacing programmes. TM highlighted that ACC would be carrying out works on North Deeside Road in March 19 and asked SGN to look into previously mooted works that have not been promoted. TM would look at proposed BT works in May 19 and may request that these be brought forward.
- 3) Planned Works by Utility Companies:
 - a) Scottish Water – CM provided SW’s upcoming programme of works.
 - b) BT – DM supplied BT’s upcoming programme of works.
 - c) CF – No update, but works still ongoing and being dealt with on a day-to-day basis.
 - d) JD – No confirmation as to when the AWPR would be open.
- 4) General Discussion Items:
 - a) TM confirmed that ACC’s Christmas works embargo would run from the 12th November until 0900 on the 7th January 2019.
 - b) TM raised the issue of SW carrying out works on traffic sensitive roads using temp signals and not informing ACC of the works. CM agreed that this is not acceptable.
 - c) CM discussed an agreement with ACC for SW to carry out small reinstatements in SMA roads using HRA and asked us to log our approval with the Commissioner before the national coring programme.
 - d) CM stated that ACC had requested that the harbour works be delayed until April, but that SW really need to get started as early as possible and would be looking to commence these works in January. Works for the whole scheme anticipated to take up to a year to complete.
 - e) TM asked about previously mooted SW works discussed with Caledonian Water Alliance. CW said that he would look into it.

f) JF stated that Gus McIntosh will be replacing him at future meetings and requested that he be included in the distribution list.

5) AOCB

No one had any issues or queries to raise.

6) Date of next meeting: 16th January 2019, Marischal College, Aberdeen, 11:30 am