

EDINBURGH RAUC

Minutes of Meeting

Date: 8th May 2018 10.30 a.m.

Location: Business Centre, City Chambers, High Street, Edinburgh

Present:

Thomas Flaherty (Chair)	TF	CEC - (NRSWA Team)
Mandy Hoggan	MH	CEC – (NRSWA Team)
Graeme Mearns	GM	CEC – South West Locality
Andi Horne	AH	CEC – South West Locality
Graham Hall	GH	CEC – North East Locality
Shaun Wallace	SW	CEC – Events
Steven Knox	SK	CEC – Bridges
Neil Adamson	NA	SPEN
Lorraine Jones	LJ	SPEN
Kevin Douglas	KD	SGN
Jim Forbes	JF	CityFibre
Andy Matheson	AM	Virgin Media
John White	JW	Lothian Buses
Adrian Henzler	AH	Openreach
Fiona McInnes	FM	Scottish Water
Craig Lyall	CL	Scottish Water
Stuart Abbott	SA	Edinburgh Trams
Mike Hymers	MH	SGN

Apologies:

Stuart Harding	CEC – City Wide Manager
Sean Gilchrist	CEC – RAMP
David Ross	AMEY
Carole McDonald	City Fibre

1. Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

2. Matters arising from previous minutes

MH raised the issue of Temporary traffic signals and poor battery life. MH was meant to report back. KD from SGN will pick this up on MH's behalf. TF noted that is only affecting one PU, SGN.

SGN - No Further issues with temp traffic signals.

3. Local liaison meetings

Ongoing no issues to raise by CEC or PU's.

4. Utility Current & Future Works

Scottish Water – All works on Register.

SW - noted - feedback from contractors to enable coordination of minor works as conflicts are arising when registering SW works. SW noted the continuation of defects Inspected by CEC that are chargeable and remove Inspection fee TF CEC are fulfilling obligation to check defect.

SGN – As per the Register. (Craigmillar Park - Sept 2018, Willowbrae Road - 9th July 2018 & Redford Road / Collington Village)

SP – All as per the Register.

Openreach – All as per the Register.

Virgin Media – All as per the Register.

Network Rail – Not Present

CityFibre – All as per the Register. Minimal work in the City Centre area. Will update on progress. Scale of 800Km works. 150Km of Business supply complete. 2000Km to go in over 5 years, (yearly will be 400Km works, all will need coordinating to accommodate other utilities.

Note – JF – Craigmillar Park defect, CF cannot get in as SW has ongoing works.

Closed

Vodafone – All as per Register.

Verizone – Did not attend

Energetics – Did not attend

5. Council Current & Future Works

Roads Renewal – SG has list of planned works for the next 3 years. He circulated the list. Only PU coordinating their works with CEC is SGN. Sean asked for more dialogue with Pus, similar to that had with SGN on future works.

Sean Gilchrist
not here to
comment

Transport Design & Delivery – Rose Street refurbishment will start in September. QA says that PU's are very shallow in Rose Street and would be therefore encased in concrete. PU's voiced their concern as they will have to break the concrete. They further queried if they will be able to get setts for reinstatements. Is there the possibility to order additional setts and store them? CM asked if boxes will be replaced. If yes what will they be replaced with? QA to arrange walkthrough with PU's to address raised concerns.

No Comments

Roads Operations – Nothing to report

Events – Planned events – Rolling Stones, Suffragette & Moonwalk on the same weekend.

Street Lighting – Not present

Neighbourhoods:

North East – 6 to 8 jobs to go on Register

South West – All as per the Register

North West – All as per the Register - Ashley Terrace
Coordinating with SGN & Hamilton Terrace Junction

South East – Not present

Trams – SW comment - unmarked M/H cannot identify which is Trams M/H.

Bridges/Structures – Burnshot Bridge – Works to start September 2018

Flood Prevention – Not present

Traffic Signals – Not present

6. Surface Dressing Reinstatement

CM raised the issue of material used for reinstatements. Question was raised if specification for each side needs to be used or if HRA with chips can be used. JG says they had complaints from public about HRA. It is darker than surroundings.
GH suggested to wait for feedback from SG in this matter. Carried forward to next meeting.

No Comments

TF To distribute list from Sean.

7. Improvement Plans

The Commissioner would like the "improvement plans" to be discussed at the Local Liaison meeting before going to Area Raucs.

TF advised that they are discussed at the Liaison meetings with individual PUs.

No Comments

8. Difficulties encountered in previous quarter

GH raised the issue works don't have TM in place. No Parking boards, T/M companies not requesting TTRO's before T/M is put in place eg. Bellevue Road, Tennant St, Easter Rd, (NE) Wheatfield St (SW) – Contact details NSL – CEC parking contractor 0131 – 556 – 2410

JW Lothian Buses questioned T/L & T/M systems used by T/M Contractors charging Utility companies on TM plans not requiring TTRO's.

9. AOCB

Julie Greig of SGN requested to be added to the mailing list.

8. Date of next meeting:

The next Local RAUC meeting will be held at 10.30am on 7th August 2018 in the Business Centre, City Chambers, Edinburgh