

TAYRAUC LRAUC Meeting

26th January 2021

By TEAMS

Present:

Colin Heggie (Chair)	Perth & Kinross Council	CH
Alan Bowman	Dundee City Council	AB
Hazel Moore	BEAR (issue accessing the meeting by used e-mail)	HM
Douglas Hill	Angus Council	DH
Duncan MacLennan	Openreach	DMcL
Jamie Kippen	BEAR A92 (issue accessing the meeting but used e-mail)	JK
Michael Law	Dundee City Council	ML
Darren Pointer	Scottish Water	DP
David Murdoch	Network Rail (issue accessing the meeting but used e-mail)	DM
Craig Muir	SSEN	CM
Brian Milne	Perth & Kinross Council	BM
Andrew Matheson	Virgin Media	AM
John O' Neill	Dundee City Council	JON
Alan Hutchison	Tay Road Bridge (issue accessing the meeting but used e-mail)	AH
Clare Callaghan	Scottish Water	CC

Apologies:

Matthew Jones	Last Mile	MJ
Allison Wier	Last Mile	AW
Julie Greig	SGN	JG
Jim Forbes	City Fibre	JF
Michael Colgan	Dundee City Council	MC

Item		Action
	Introductions	
	<p>CH welcomed everyone to the meeting and briefly noted the TEAMS facilities. He then noted those who had indicated they were joining the meeting. Apologies as some people were having issues accessing with one link, they sent e-mails to CH advising of this.</p> <p>Amendments to the minutes from 27th October 2020 –</p> <p>Items 3.1 – JON advised that the pop-up lanes were being proposed and would be entered in Aurora as and when they were to be enabled.</p>	
2	<p>STATUTORY UNDERTAKERS PROGRAMME</p> <p>2.1 <u>SGN</u></p> <p>Issues with accessing via Teams – All Council to continue with local discussions as and when schemes were proposed.</p>	
2.2	<p><u>BT / OPENREACH</u></p> <p>As per attached works programme and DMcL advised that most works were customer driven.</p>	
2.3	<p><u>SSEN</u></p> <p>CM commented that most works were customer driven with an exceptional amount of faults occurring at this time. SSEN are also looking for local agreements regarding materials such as the one SW have in place.</p>	
2.4	<p><u>Scottish Water</u></p> <p>CC confirmed work is purely customer driven with an exceptional amount of emergency and urgent works because of bursts due to the prolonged period of cold weather. In certain instances overland supplies have had to be introduced to continue services with these having to be lagged. SW are working closely with the MET Office and all routine works are scaled back with the majority of resources being dedicated to the repair of bursts.</p> <p>DP has provided programmes. These will be issued with the minutes. At this time this section of SW has advised that their representatives will not be attending site for four weeks due to COVID protocols.</p>	
2.5	<p><u>Vodafone</u></p> <p>No representative, no programme.</p>	

2.6	<u>Virgin Media</u> No major works planned. Customer driven	
2.7	<u>Network Rail</u> DM advised that there are several works in the Perth & Kinross area, which Colin Heggie stated were all in for approval, or have already approved.	
2.8	<u>City Fibre</u> City Fibre are ongoing in Dundee, additional squads are in Dundee but issues have arisen with cables being damaged and reinstatements not to the correct specification. TM has also been an issue and is being addressed through meetings.	
3.1	<u>Dundee City Council</u> List of projects attached from Roads Maintenance Partnership. City Centre proposals are being designed as part of the spaces for people initiatives.	
3.2	<u>Perth and Kinross Council</u> BM reported on the major schemes as per the programme supplied <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spaces for People measures all in place. • Major Works all on SRWR - changes due to weather likely. 	
3.3	<u>Angus Council</u> Proposed Projects were as per the programme provided. All Councils PKC/DCC are awaiting budgets for next year to assess what schemes will be progressed.	
3.4	<u>BEAR</u> List of proposed works attached from NE Unit. North West Unit as follows:	

	<p><u>A9 Dual – Luncarty To Birnam</u></p> <p>Periodic TTL's throughout January/February within the extents for TM switch onto S/Bound carriageway which will take place in February.</p> <p><u>North East Unit</u></p> <p>M90 Friarton – resurfacing requiring SB running contraflow 10th – 14th Feb</p> <p>A9 Auchterarder Junction – trial closure planned before end of FY subject to easing restrictions and Gleneagles Hotel opening. Two weeks proposed with initial control data gathering first. TM plan etc still in development. BEAR in discussion with PKC and community groups.</p>	
3.5	<p><u>Tay Road Bridge</u></p> <p>No major works planned.</p>	
4	<p><u>Local and Seasonal Events</u></p> <p>Dundee: No major events planned. Consideration for events in Broughty Ferry in June and a Bridge to Bridge run in August (Tay Bridge to Forth Bridge)</p> <p>Perth: No major events planned</p> <p>Angus: No major events planned. Talks are being muted regarding an All Under One Banner (AUOB) independence march for the 3rd April 2021.</p> <p>At this time all events are subject to Government and Police Scotland restrictions.</p> <p>COP 26 was discussed but this would be for specific discussion with Transport Scotland.</p>	
5	<p><u>SRWR / SYMOLOGY</u></p> <p>CC confirmed Aurora webinar sessions had been issued with additional dates of the 3rd and 16th of February 2021 being set up. CC also apologies for almost stalking JON last week on some issues.</p>	
7	<p><u>Reinstatements</u></p> <p>CC asked all local authorities to look favourably on the use of alternative materials as per the Commissioner's letter.</p>	

8	<p><u>Inspections</u></p> <p>No major issues raised. CH advised that the standard of some TM on the Network was below what was expected as some Utilities were under the impression that Inspectors were not out and carry out inspection duties. Ch also confirmed that Network Inspectors had removed their own sub-contractors from the Network due to unacceptable and dangerous TM.</p>	
9	<p><u>Health and Safety</u></p> <p>CH asked everyone to read and take note of the safety bulletins that were issued by George Borthwick.</p> <p>CH also advised they had an incident on their network with a PKC bin lorry that went on fire. This was due to people placing combustible material within their refuse.</p>	
10.	<p><u>AOCB</u></p> <p>CC confirmed that it was business as usual for the SW100 side of the business.</p> <p>The date of the next meeting was confirmed as the 27th of April 2021 the day before CC's birthday. Everyone is encouraged to send her virtual cakes to help her celebrate.</p>	
11	<p><u>Date and Time of Next Meeting</u></p> <p>26 January 2021 By Teams 10am 27 April 2021 By Teams 10am 27 July 2021 By Teams 10am 26 October 2021 By Teams 10am</p>	