

## COMMUNITIES DIRECTORATE

DAGRAUC

### MINUTE

5<sup>th</sup> May 2022

13:30 hours at Microsoft Teams Meeting

<b>Present</b>			
<b>Name</b>	<b>Organisation</b>		<b>Title</b>
Mike Grunwell	DGC	MG	
Matthew Crossan	DGC	MC	
Clare McCulloch	DGC	CMcC	
Charlotte Carson	DGC	CC	
Michael McDonald	Police Scotland	MMc	
Stephen Scanlon	BT Openreach	SS	
Phil Boylan	Scottish Water	PB	
Shannon Riley	BEAR	SR	
Dylan Russell	SGN	DR	
Alan Crozier	SPEN	AC	
Joao Carmo	SPEN	JC	
Emma West	Scottish Water	ES	
Jordan Robertson	Autolink	JR	
Kevin Willson	SGN	KW	

<b>Apologies</b>			
<b>Name</b>	<b>Organisation</b>		<b>Title</b>
Dave Allen	Amey		
John Hughes	SPEN		


Item	Title	Action
1.	<b>Apologies</b> Apologies as above. Dave Allen had moved on and not covering SW Area	
2.1	<b>Minutes of Previous Meeting held on 3rd February 2022 were agreed – nothing of importance to raise.</b>	
2.2	<b>Matters Arising</b> i. None.	
3. 3.1	<b>Operational Issues</b> <b>Performance Monitoring</b>  It was agreed at Rauc's that the meetings are to take a more co-ordinated base going forward. Performance will be discussed every 2 <sup>nd</sup> meeting, which will be discussed in August.	All
3.3	<b>Co-ordination of Works</b>  <b>DGC</b> – We will be commencing our Surface Dressing Programme on 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 2022. Sites will be shared with group with works starting in West and heading eastwards.  Charlotte Carson offered her services as point of contact for DGC if anyone has any issues to discuss during these works. <a href="mailto:charlotte.carson@dumgal.gov.uk">charlotte.carson@dumgal.gov.uk</a> .  <b>DGC</b> – There have been quite a few emergency closures and traffic lights set up for Scottish Water lately. MG has asked for a call as well as an e-mail. He will re-issue contact list. MC also stated that these emergency Closures should also be reported to the Police.  <b>DGC</b> – Need to find out who new contact is for Amey SW now that Dave Allen has left.  <b>OR</b> – Stephen Scanlon had said that the R100 meetings were beneficial to both sides. Project Falcon and R100 are still ongoing. Any issues speak to Stephen.  <b>SW</b> – Phil Boylan requested a further call to discuss upcoming work at Kippford next year.	All  All  MG  DGC  DGC

	<p><b>SGN</b> – Deer park Ave, Sanquhar, works concluding coming quarter. DR mentioned upcoming works in Castle Dougals and at Moffat Academy – hoping these works will take place during School Hols.</p>	
4	<p><b>Events</b></p> <p><b>DGC-</b> MG advised of Dangerous Building in English Street causing major disruption in Dumfries Town Centre as there are 3 diversions in place. As this issue will not be resolved any time soon, any planned works contact DGC as soon as possible and we can see what we can do to work round it.</p> <p><b>Tour Series Cycling Event</b> – Stranraer Town Centre. Closure in place Wed 11<sup>th</sup> and Thur 12<sup>th</sup> May 2022</p> <p><b>Three Events for the Road Cycling Championship:</b>  Crighton to Glencaple Thur 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2022  High St, Castle St, Kirkcudbright Fri 24<sup>th</sup> June 2022  Castle Douglas to Gelston Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2022</p> <p><b>Youth Beats</b> – Pleasance Avenue Area, Dumfries Sat 25<sup>th</sup> June and Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2022</p> <p><b>Scottish Rally</b> –  B709 Eskdalemuir, B723, B7076 – 23<sup>rd</sup> July</p>	All
5.	<p><b>Police Report</b>  No particular issue, but in attendance available for discussion</p>	MMc
6.	<p><b>Safety/ Pedestrian and Traffic Management</b></p> <p>During the previous meeting it had been discussed the use of footway closures, pedestrian provision top in road users heirarchy  DGC position where footways to be closed, appropriate maybe in low speed residential areas with good sight lines and high number of pedestrian appropriate dropped kerbs - DGC should be contacted to be made aware and advise.</p>	All
7.	<p><b>Any Other Business</b></p> <p><b>DGC – MC</b> – Reform of these meetings, constitutional reform not changing calendar or much, limited published guidance on what form meetings should take but process highlighting local works discussion priority – open for items to cover / format</p>	MC

	<p><b>DGC</b> – There will be a major scheme taking place installing a new roundabout at Pleasance Ave and new Traffic Lights at Crossroads, Troqueer Road, Dumfries. These major works will last for around 26 weeks and will commence mid August 2022 causing disruption to any works in Dumfries Town Centre.</p> <p>We have tried to contact utilities and need contact names to speak to someone urgently regarding renewing old ironwork in connection with this scheme, particularly SW, SGN &amp; Openreach. Could do with a meeting to walk over the site to see what ironwork need brought up to scratch.</p> <p><b>DGC</b> – Can all check the original mailing list and advise if there is anyone else who they think should be on the list.</p>	<p>All</p> <p>All</p>
8	Next meeting 4 <sup>th</sup> August 2022 @ Microsoft Teams.	