

Orkney Islands Council
Department of Technical Services

Orkney RAUC

Minutes of Local Group Meeting held on Tuesday 17 February 2009 at 10:30

Item		Action
1.00	<u>ATTENDANCE & APOLOGIES</u>	
1.1	<u>Present at meeting:-</u>	
	John Tulloch - Scottish Water Peter Bevan - OIC Kenny Roy - OIC Donald Wilson - OIC Graham Johnston - SSE	
1.2	<u>Apologies:-</u>	
	Stevie Burns - SSE Keith Marshall - Openreach Bob Adam - Openreach Simon Butcher - OIC Sandy McConnachie - Scottish Water	
2.00	<u>PREVIOUS MINUTES</u>	
2.1	Agreed	
3.00	<u>MATTERS ARISING</u>	
3.1	Still no further details regarding proposed works for Gunns Close and Great Western Road. A report is being submitted for funding in March 2009, however it is expected to be put on hold until 2010-2014 programme.	
4.00	<u>ROADS & UTILITIES PROJECTED WORKS</u>	
4.1	<u>OIC Maintenance Works</u>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • K Roy discussed ongoing and proposed Revenue and Capital road works (list attached). 	
4.2	<u>OIC Capital Works</u>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Works ongoing on Cromarty Square St Margaret's Hope to replace the existing culvert • Garson Housing Development Phase IV is under design • Design of new pumping station and rising main for Hatston Terminal Industrial Sites • Assessment of existing Ferry Marshalling Stromness • On going minor IT works around Kirkwall • Cairston Road Stromness Drainage Improvements on hold to resolve land issues Pickaquoy Burn diversion design, concerns from Scottish Water regards affect on Peerie Sea Loan Pumping Station	

- 4.3 British Telecom:
- No major works
- 4.4 Scottish and Southern Energy
- No works envisaged for next 3-6 months
- 4.5 Scottish Water
- Birsay Water Main ongoing
 - Programme to be circulated (details below)

Areas in Orkney provisionally ear marked for new infrastructure:

- Burgir WSZ - this is basically covers Orphir, Stenness
There are two proposed jobs in this area.
- Cauldham WSZ - this covers South Ronaldsay apart from the South Parish. There are again two proposed jobs in this area.
- Linti Brae WSZ - this covers from Linti Brae SR back into the town and out to Hatston Ind. Estate and Old Finstown Road. There are again two proposed jobs in this area.
- Markstone WSZ - this covers Holm and Burray. There are two proposed jobs in this area
- Towerhill WSZ – this covers everything in Tankerness, Toab and into Deerness. There are two proposed jobs in this area.

This is very high outline information and there is no further information coming forward at the moment and when exactly the projects are proposed to take place is still to be advised.

5.00 SYMOLOGY

- 5.1
- Report on Fixed Penalty Notice's was submitted to Transportation and Infrastructure committee in January 2009. A further report is due to go before committee in June 2009
 - Scottish Water advised that there are problems with them closing notices

6.00 PERMITS

- 6.1 Brief discussion regarding procedures and applications

7.00 NOSRAUC

- 7.1
- KR advised of increase in inspection charge to £30
 - KR also advised that Roads Services have appointed Douglas Slater as Roads Inspector

8.00 AOCB

- 8.1 None

9.00 FUTURE MEETINGS

- 9.1 The next meeting will be held on 19 May 2009 at 10.30am in the Department of Technical Services meeting room.