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TO: EACH MEMBER OF THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OF WATERFORD
Roads Progress Report to end of September 2022

1. Road Works Programme

The Road Works Programme (RWP) for 2022 was approved in March and was tendered on the 6th of May. Two tenders were received and Roadstone was awarded this Contract on the 14th of June 2022. Works by Roadstone in the City commenced in July but have been interrupted due to staff issues and other work commitments. Works have resumed in September with work on The Manor and Parnell Street due to be carried out in mid-October. Works by the Council Yard crews have now been completed.

2. Community Involvement schemes

One CIS project has been included for 2022 in the Metro District in Newtown Tramore. This is due to be carried out in October.

3. Low Cost Safety Schemes

There are two schemes outlined in the RWP 2022 for Low-Cost Safety.

- a) Corbally Beg Junction improvements at L-4068/L-4069 – work now complete.
- b) Crash Barrier Repairs and signage on Glen Road Tramore R685 – work to be carried out in October.

4. Coastal Repair works

The Department of Agriculture Food and Marine approved further funding for coastal repair works at Tramore Pier and in addition funding for works to carry out repairs at Cheekpoint Pier and Passage East were included. Approval was granted for all three locations for significant improvement works and tendering and design work has commenced. The Contract for Tramore Pier is due to be awarded in October. Design proposals are being prepared for both Cheekpoint and Passage East.

5. Road Closures

Turkey Road in Tramore closed in September to facilitate the Skafest.

6. Other Works

Metro West Area

- Pothole repairs on the R682 Monvoy Road, the L68213 Newtown Hill, the L67507 Westbrook, the L80381 Ballyknock Road, the L8080 Elm Park and the L67505 Cairn Dubh.
- The Jet Patcher was working on repairs on the L8089 Westtown/Newtown, the L4102 Cliff Road, the L80863 Roselawn and the L80381 Ballyknock.
- Drainage works were carried out on the R682 at Orchardstown, the L41308 at St Otterans Terrace and the L68213 Newtown Road.
- Signs and poles replaced at the following locations: the L4050 Knockeen, the L8089 Newtown Woods Road, the L4061 Drumcannon and the R682 Priests Road.
- Other works included treatment of slipways in Garrus, Ladies Slip, Mens Slip and Boat slip.
- Footpath works on the L41308 St Otterans Terrace, the L8082 Sweet Briar Close and the R682 Convent Hill.
- Assistance provided for the Skafest and the Vitamin Sea Festival in Tramore in September.

- There were no out of hours callouts during the month of September 2022 for road traffic related incidents.

Metro East Area

- Pothole repairs carried out on the L4079 Drumrusk, the L4016 Crooke, the L4085 Passage East, the L4083 Cheekpoint, the L8055 Rossduff, L96851 Ballinattin, L4068 Gortahilly, L8059 Crooke and L8053 Ballynamoynttragh.
- Jet patcher working on the L4079 Drumrusk and the R708 Kilacleague West.
- Bin collections currently three days during the week and one day at weekends around the towns and beaches in the Area.
- Illegal dumping cleared from Carriglea.
- Drainage works on the L4076 Dromina, the L4068 Coxtown, the L4079 Drumrusk, the L8054 Creedan, the L8054 Ballyloughbeg, the R685 Ballynamoynttragh, the R685 Clohernagh, the L4074 Leperstown and the L8053 Ballynamoynttragh.
- Replacing signs at L96851 Ballinattin and on Woodstown Beach.
- Footpath repairs on the L4202 at the Hermitage in Dunmore East, on the R684 Park Road Dunmore East and on the L4203 Cuckaloo Hill.
- Ongoing maintenance of sluice valve on Woodstown beach. New valves to be fitted in October.
- There were three out of hours callout during in September 2022 in Metro East Area. Overtime on putting cones out for cruise ships in Dunmore East.

Metro City Area:

- There was drainage works and drainage gullies cleared and repaired at the following locations in September; Cork Road (at RSC), Waterside, Vincent White Road, Passage Road, Griffiths Place, Ballinakill Village, Island Lane, Woodlawn Grove, Powerscourt, Tycor Avenue, Sexton Street, Newgate Street and John's Lane.
- Potholes repaired at Earls court, Riverview Knockboy, Ursuline Court, Barrack Street, St John's Park, Kilcohan Park, Avondale, Pearse Park, Farran Park, Grange Park and Lismore Park.
- Jet Patcher used in Ursuline Court, St Annes, Ashe Road, Orchard Drive, Knockhouse, The Anchorage, Birchwood, Grantstown Village and Norwood.
- Footpath repairs carried out at Bernards Place, Military Road, John's Park and Cherrymount.
- Signs replaced at the following locations: Ashe Road, Briot Close, Lismore Park, Ballybricken, Avondale, Ardleigh Bracken Grove, Rockshire Hill, Mount Sion Avenue, Avondale and numerous directional arrow signs replaced.
- Other works on O'Connell Street to replace slabs, new manhole in Knockhouse and replacing covers in John Roberts Square and Grange Park.
- There were 6 out of hours emergency callouts in September for issues with traffic lights, road traffic accidents and other road related incidents.