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TO: EACH MEMBER OF THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT OF WATERFORD**

Roads Progress Report to end of January 2022

1. Road Works Programme

The Road Works Programme for 2021 including a list of strengthening jobs and surface dressing jobs was completed as follows; Also included below is a list of locations where footpath improvements have been carried out in 2021.

STRENGTHENING:

Tramore Ring Road	Regional Road
Dunmore Road - entrance to Dunmore East	Regional Road
Tramore Dunmore Road (Coast Road)	Regional Road
Ballybeg Drive	Local Road
Lismore Park Road No. 5)	Estate Road
Lismore Park (Road No 6)	Estate Road
Leoville	Estate Road
Oriel Square, Lisduggan	Estate Road
Doyle Street (from 7 to 3 in 5 years)	Local Road – Residential Area
Ballybricken Green	Local Road – Busy commuter/bus route
The Glen (Road No 2)	
Ballinakill Park/Vale	Estate Road
Ballytruckle Road (completion)	
Johns Hill completion	
Bramble Court (The Grange) Rustic Rd	Estate Road
Butlerstown School Road	Local Road – School Route
Alexander Street	Local Road – City Centre
Ballyknock Road	
Garrarus Coast Rd Completion	
Butlerstown School Road	Local Road – School Route
Summerhill towards Tesco	Local Road Tramore – School Route
Bawnfune	Local Road – Residential Area
Bawnfune overpass	Local Road
Keiloge Road	Local Road – Bus Route to school
Leperstown	Local Road
Kilmaquague Road	

ADDITIONAL STRENGTHENING WORKS 2021:

Newport Square	Local Road – Residential Area
Oak Road Viewmount (50mm Surface)	Estate Road
Blenheim	Estate Road

SURFACE DRESSING 2021

R685 Coast Road
R675 Tramore Road
R680 Cork Road near Holycross
R675 Fenor
Kilcop Upper
Kilcaragh
Rossduff Road
Creadan Head
Carrigsaggart Road
Kilmaquague Road
Knockanduff Road
Old Kilmeaden Road
Butlerstown Road
Dunhill Road
Bawnfunne

All the above works were completed in 2021. In total 30% (€763,000) of the strengthening budget was spent on housing estate roads and roads in the City that are predominantly residential.

FOOTPATHS

Waterford Road, Tramore
Pickardstown Tramore
Horsequarter Dunmore East
Cheekpoint/Faithlegg
Ard Na Coille
Sweetbriar
Ballinakill
The Anchorage
Grange Manor
St Herblain Park
Bracken Grove
Viewmount
The Village
Clashrea Place
Hillview
Ballybricken (Exchange Bar)
St Patricks Terrace/Jail Street
Paddy Brownes Road - laneway
Paddy Browne's Road St Paul's School
John's River Walkway
Outer Ring Road
Paddy Browne's Road
Grange Park Avenue
Greenfields
Grange Park Avenue
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A total of €445,000 was expended on footpath repairs across the Metropolitan District in 2021. More than half of this came from Active Travel Grants and the balance from normal maintenance and Capital funding.

A draft Road Works Programme (RWP) for 2022 has been prepared. Funding will be confirmed in February and the grant allocations for each District will be known at which time the final draft will be completed. These draft proposals will be brought to the members for approval at the February 2022 Metropolitan District Meeting and will be discussed at a workshop in advance of this meeting.

2. Community Involvement schemes

We are waiting approval for funding for the CIS scheme for 2022.

3. Low Cost Safety Schemes

The funding approval has been submitted for 2022 in the Metropolitan District: funding is to be confirmed in February as to the low cost safety schemes to proceed.

4. Coastal Repair works

An application is to be made for 2022 to the Department of Agriculture Food and Marine to approve further funding for coastal repair works at Tramore Pier and in addition funding for works to carry out repairs at Cheekpoint Pier.

5. Road Closures

Road closures in Tramore for urban renewal works continued in January.

6. Other Works

Tramore Area

- Pothole repairs on the L-4061 at Ballykinsella, at the L-40391 at Bawfune, at the L-4061 Ballinamona, the R685 Lower Glen Road, the Lower Prom Car Parks and around town in Tramore at Riversdale, Pinegrove and Beach Estates.
- The Jet Patcher was working on repairs on the L-8089 in Newtown/Westown, the L-4061 Ballykinsella Road and the L-8036 at Sporthouse.
- Drainage works on the L-4058 Carrigavanry Road, the R675 at Pickardstown where a culvert had blocked and also clearing blocked gullies in Tramore Heights.
- Illegal dumping cleared from the L-8038 Kilbride Road, the Lower Prom Car Park, the L-4061 Ballykinsella Road and from the L4061 at Ballinamona.
- Signs replaced at the following locations; the L-80872 Riverstown Cemetery and the L80371.
- Other works at Ballyccarnane removing fallen branches, treating slipways for moss and extending chips storage bays at Orchardstown.
- There were five out of hours callouts during the month of January 2022 for oil spills, removal of dead seals from beaches and issues with horses at Orchardstown.

Dunmore Area

- Velocity Jet Patcher working on the L-80521 Fornaght, the L-4074 at Leperstown, the L-4070 at Corballybeg and the L-8054 Ballyloughbeg.
- Pothole repairs carried out on the L-8053 at Kilcaragh, the L-8039 at Castletown, the L-80521 Fornaght, L-4079 Drumrusk, L-4076 Ballyglan/Raheen, L-8054 Ballyloughbeg, R683 Parkwood, L-4082 Kilcullen and the L-4085 Knockroe.
- Bin collections continue 2 days a week around the towns and beaches in the Area.
- Footpath repairs carried out at Woodview in Dunmore East.
- Drainage works and opening inlets on the L-4076 Kilmacomb, the L-4068 Rathmoylan, the L-80521 Fornaght and the R684 Ballymabin.
- There was no out of hours callout during January 2022 in Metro East Area.

Waterford City:

- There was drainage works and drainage gullies cleared and repaired at the following locations in January; Riverview, Roanmore Crescent, The Glen, Francis Street, Ballybricken, Old Kilmeaden Road, Hennessys Road, Link Road Carrickpherish, Ballinakill Downs and The Moorings.
- Potholes repaired at Jenkins Lane Car Park, Beechwood Avenue, College Green, St John's Park, Grantstown Village, Ardkeen Village, Belmont Heights, St Killians Place, Passage Road, Kilcohan Park, Cherrymount, Roanmore Park, Lismore Park, Hillview, The Grange and Ursuline Court.
- Road signs cleaned, replaced or erected at Farmleigh, O Connell Street, Gracedieu and Morrisson's Avenue.
- Footpath repairs carried out on Williamstown Road.
- Bollards repaired/replaced on High Street, Mayors Walk, Bachelors Walk, Ballybeg, John Street, Patrick Street, Ursula's Terrace.
- Repairs to walls at John's Park and Grange Park Avenue following traffic accidents.
- Collection of barriers and signs following Winterval.
- There were 6 out of hours emergency callouts in January for issues with faulty traffic lights, an oil spill and road traffic accidents. In addition there were also 13 occasions where salting of roads was required in January during frosty weather.