Motion: Councillor R. Boyd Barrett

“That this Council will commence the planned road and paths improvement works for Pottery Road.”

Report:

The Council has progressed the planned road and path improvement works for Pottery Road to the Part 8 stage of approval and the preliminary designs have been completed. The next stage involves commencement of Compulsory Purchase Orders process and instructing the Consultants on detailed designs. Unfortunately due to the funding cuts being implemented by central government it is not possible to put the necessary funding in place and therefore the council is not in a position to issue instructions.

The Council acknowledges that the Pottery Road Improvement Scheme is a priority. The Consultants who did the preliminary designs have been retained and they have been advised that it is the intention of the council to proceed with the scheme when the funds become available.

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