

The Owner / Occupier
Joppa Road
Edinburgh

Our Ref: RS/E/DS/JR

Date: 29th October 2011

Dear Sir / Madam

Type of works: Footway Resurfacing & Street Lighting

Location: Joppa Road, Edinburgh

Proposed start date: Monday 7th November 2011

General details

As part of an investment in excess of £24 million in Edinburgh's roads and pavements for 2011/12, part of the south footway in Joppa Road between No. 63 and the junction of Coillesdene Drive Street will be resurfaced soon. The footways have been prioritised due to their current condition and the works will improve both travelling experience and visual appearance of the surfaces. This work is scheduled to begin on Monday 7th November 2011 for approximately 4 weeks, depending on weather and other circumstances.

Street Lighting Installation

The works will also include an upgrade of the street lighting. The new column positions will be marked LP on the footway prior to the works commencing and some of the new positions may differ from the existing ones. If you have any questions regarding the street lighting, please contact **Paul Clarke on (0131) 458 8040**.

Road use during the works

To allow for the safe execution of the works a temporary traffic regulation order is in place to suspend on street parking during construction periods. The contractors operating times will be between the hours of 08:00-17:00 Monday to Sunday. Street notice signs will display changes to parking restrictions or access. **Please make sure you do not park on-street and that all vehicles are removed from the location of the works during the times outlined above.**

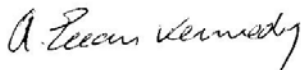
Minimising disruption

We will make every effort to minimise disruption, but unfortunately some is unavoidable during road works. We would very much appreciate your patience during any delays that occur. Throughout the programme, emergency vehicle and pedestrian access will be maintained. Where possible, we will also maintain access to businesses and residential properties. I apologise for any inconvenience, but hope you will benefit from the improved street condition in the coming years.

Our Commitment to Edinburgh's roads

The City of Edinburgh Council is committed to improving our roads. By the end of March 2012 more than £143 million will have been spent improving roads and pavements since 2005. A further £73 million will be spent between 2009 and 2012. This is the largest amount spent on road maintenance over such a short period. If you have any questions, please contact **Derek Shade on (0131) 529 3400**.

Yours sincerely



Euan Kennedy
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