QUESTION SUBMITTED FOR WRITTEN REPLY BY COUNCILLOR PETER FOOKES ON BEHALF OF RAE FLEMING

What criteria is used to determine how often individual streets are swept and how often is this reviewed?

Reply

The criteria for the frequency of sweeping is based initially upon the hierarchy of the footway and carriageway, and the land use type. For example certain busy main roads within retail areas will be scheduled for cleaning on a daily basis, whereas residential locations may have a pavement frequency of fortnightly and road sweeping on a four weekly cycle. The frequencies were last reviewed in 2011 and implemented with the commencement of the current street cleansing contract on 29th March 2012. The frequency of individual streets being cleansed is reviewed on an ongoing basis at the prompting of Council Officers and Ward Councillors.

QUESTIONS FROM MR COLIN WILLETTS FOR WRITTEN REPLY

Question 1

We understand having chased up a complaint from a resident, that works are progressing to rectify severe over runs on edge of circular green in Robin Hood Green(47-49), could you tell us the details of this scheme?

Reply

Cray Valley West Ward Councillors Judi Ellis, John Ince and Harry Stranger are in discussion with Council Officers regarding various possibilities for this location and will be further discussing the options and their recommendations which broadly amount to widening the turn and to provide additional safe parking round the green when they meet again with directly affected residents shortly.

Question 2

Following complaints from local residents driving southbound in Sandy Lane (towards the village), could you have the hedgerow overhang to the highway in front of Ruxley golf course cut back?

Reply

This location is scheduled for routine work no later than April 2014.

Question 3

Following a complaint from a disabled resident at 2 Midfield Way 18/2/14, could you have the backline footway concrete infill completed at the flank of this property apparently left unfinished following slab work renewal?

Reply

We are aware that a fillet of concrete has not been installed at this location and anticipate completion over coming days
