

## Snow Problem

Posted by Ernhw Ltd - 17 Jan 2018 11:19

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## Re: Snow Problem

Posted by Hhs - 20 Jan 2018 13:21

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Well done councillor McDonald but where are the rest of our councillors , is there no camera available for them ? , the highly paid Snp/ labour admin councillors are invisible as usual , this councillor is showing us all what a good councillor can achieve , let's hope some follow on

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## Re: Snow Problem

Posted by RM64 - 20 Jan 2018 17:44

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I could have emailed roads, but thought Cllr Miller would get something done quicker, at least try to get some salt/grit put down before roads staff open their emails on Monday morning.

Reply below from Cllr Miller -

-----Original message-----

From :

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Date : 20/01/2018 - 16:30 (GMTST)

Subject : Re: Eastwood Park Campus - Please take action - Conditions worse

Dear Sir

I have forwarded your email to the roads dept for action

Kind regards

Stewart

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**Re: Snow Problem**

Posted by RM64 - 22 Jan 2018 14:32

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**Re: Snow Problem**

Posted by RM64 - 22 Jan 2018 14:36

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Councillor and Convener for Environment Alan Lafferty has not replied.

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**Re: Snow Problem**

Posted by RM64 - 22 Jan 2018 14:48

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Reply to/Replies from Jim Sneddon -

Date : 22/01/2018

To :

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Subject : Re: RE: Eastwood Park Campus

Hi

As said, conditions were dangerous on Thursday and worse on Saturday.

I saw no evidence of Salting/gritting, and in fact the roads were in a worse condition on Saturday than on Thursday.

Again as said -

The main car park was completely black ice and sheet ice and in my opinion it was treacherous, very dangerous and virtually impossible to walk on.

It would appear some snow had been cleared from the car park, but as no grit/salt had been applied this had only made the conditions worse by exposing the black ice and sheet ice.

This has been a problem in Eastwood Park in previous years and has regularly been reported.

I can send you details if you wish.

On this occasion I think Residents and Council Tax payers of East Renfrewshire were entitled to a better service.

Thanks

From :

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Date : 22/01/2018 - 08:24 (GMTST)

Subject : RE: Eastwood Park Campus

Good morning,

I refer to your email below.

To update you I was able to secure additional snow/ice clearing on the vehicle routes within the park however I was unable to arrange gritting in the pathways.

The matter has been taken up with the Environment department who hold responsibility for gritting contracts.

Temperatures are now milder however I have expressed the desire to review and upgrade the contract wo include pathways and requested that this is given consideration.

Regards

Jim Sneddon

Sent: 19 January 2018 16:18

To: Sneddon, Jim

Subject: Re: Eastwood Park Campus

Hi

' I am awaiting confirmation of the position.'

What confirmation did you receive?

Thanks

From: &quot;Sneddon, Jim&quot;

Date: 22/01/2018 08:20 (GMT+00:00)

To: &quot;Macdonald, D (Cllr)&quot;

Subject: RE: Eastwood Park Campus - snow/ice problems

Good Morning Councillor,

The contract for gritting Council premises, including Eastwood Park sits with the Environment department.

I have been in touch with my colleague Phil Daws to draw his attention to the position experienced here in Eastwood Park in recent days.

I note from emails over the weekend that he has instructed staff to engage with services and identify anomalies in the current contract with a view to remedy, there is clearly a need for pathways to be included in the contract and this is not presently the position.

We have now entered a period of milder temperatures however I will maintain communication with the department until matters are satisfactorily resolved for the future.

Regards

Jim

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