

Waste and Street Scene Policy Committee – 20 December 2023

Petitions and Questions Received from Members of the Public

Name	Question	Member(s)
Andy Buck	<p>Question:</p> <p>1. My complaint of 24 March 2023</p> <p>On 24 March I emailed Streets Ahead, thus:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">“On Wednesday 22 March, one of your staff visited Chippinghouse Road. He marked one pothole with yellow paint. He then looked at and walked past several other potholes and left. Yesterday, 23 March, the one pothole he marked was filled, which is of course good - see attached photo.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">At least some of the potholes he did not mark are hazardous, in particular to cyclists. See attached photos for three examples.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Why weren't these other potholes marked for repair? Could this now be done, please.”</p> <p>This complaint was acknowledged on 28 March 2023. I have since been told on seven occasions that owing to ongoing investigations it has not been possible to respond to my concern. At the Committee on 27 September I was told that “many of the points have been addressed in the Streets Ahead response dated 7 August” and that “the ongoing remaining issues ... will be responded to by October 2023”.</p> <p>My concern was simple: why didn't the Streets Ahead member of staff mark up the other, hazardous potholes for repair?</p> <p>Will the Council please ensure that I receive a response to this concern, and tell me by when I will receive this?</p> <p>2. Shorter term maintenance of Chippinghouse Road</p> <p>At the Committee on 27 September I asked “will the Council guarantee that Amey will repair all the sections of Chippinghouse Road marked up for repair on 15 September 2023 before the yellow markings</p>	Cllr Joe Otten, Chair of the Waste and Street Scene Policy Committee

fade and disappear.” The answer was unequivocal: “Yes, Amey have confirmed that they will repair all the sections marked up for repair.”

I have appended a page of photographs of the marked up sections of the street.

Three months have passed. The yellow markings are no more. No work has been done.

Will the Council please explain why the commitment made on 27 September has not been fulfilled, what steps you are taking to ensure that Amey does so, and by when the repairs will be completed.

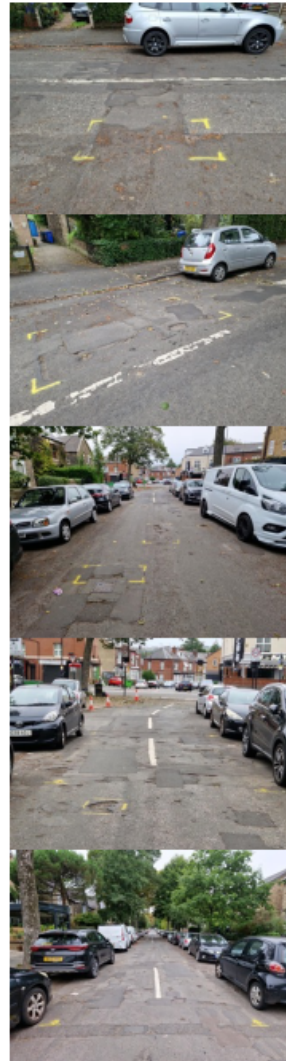
3. Resurfacing of Chippinghouse Road and neighbouring streets

I am pleased to see that Chippinghouse Road is in phase 3 of the CIP design programme.

Will the Council please confirm that:

- a) The design process will be completed by 31 March 2024?
- b) Amey will definitely complete the required works by 31 March 2025?

Answers were provided at the meeting and the webcast and minutes (when published) can be found here: [Agenda for Waste & Street Scene Policy Committee on Wednesday 20 December 2023, 10.00 am | Sheffield City Council](#)



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