ARGYLL AND BUTE COUNCIL

MAKI AREA COMMITTEE SEPTEMBER 2022

ROADS AND INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES

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1.0 INTRODUCTION

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we provide weekly updates on schemes via our weekly briefing. At the time of writing this report 39 of the 49 individual schemes in MAKI have been completed.

Winter Maintenance

- 3.9 The annual winter policy update is being reported to EDI in September. The proposed policy is largely unchanged from previous years and should it be agreed it will form the basis of the delivery of our winter maintenance activities over winter 22/23.
- 3.10 A key aspect of the winter service is the provision of public information on what we do and why we do it. There is a range of online resources available on the Council website here.

Campbeltown Flood Prevention Scheme

- 3.11 We have been providing regular updates o this scheme through previous EDI reports, various press releases and coverage in several editions of our weekly briefings. In summary, a contractor, Dawson WAM, has been appointed to deliver the scheme. We expect that by the time this report is considered at Committee the contractor will have mobilised to site and set up or be setting up their site compound. We have prepared a specific webpage for the scheme which is available here. The webpage has helpful background information in a FAQ-type format, and it will host regular monthly project updates. There is an option for anyone interested to sign up to an email mailing list to have these monthly updates sent on to them directly.
- 3.12 At the time of writing this report we are finalising with the contractor a programme of pop-up information events where members of the project team will be on hand to give an overview of the project and to answer any queries from residents, businesses etc.
- 3.13 We are planning to arrange a specific session for local members with the contractor and project team including a site walk-round and project overview. At the time of writing we are aiming to have this session at some point in September once the contractor has mobilised to site.
- 3.14 This is an exciting scheme which will see major works at various areas throughout the town, all progressing with a view to addressing long-standing flooding issues.

ban together with capacity for non BMW material beyond the ban and a further we now expect these works to be complete by the end of the month. As a community benefit through the project, the contractors are donating £1200 to Gortonvogie Residential Home.

3.16 At the time of writing this report the above remains the positon by the time of the