

QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL Wednesday 14 June 2023

1. QUESTION FROM COUNCILLOR BAILEY Re: Metcombe Road – Flood Damage

Please can the Cabinet Member for Highway Management advise me what plan DCC has to remediate the Metcombe Road which was seriously and extensively damaged in the floods over a month ago on 9th May and which urgently requires major repairs.

REPLY BY COUNCILLOR HUGHES

Metcombe Road is currently open and available to traffic and safety defects have been signed and guarded. A repair scheme has been identified and this will be designed and prioritised alongside other needs in the current programme. There are a number of additional schemes being identified across the local area following the flooding event and as priorities are determined the Neighbourhood Team will be able to provide further updates.

2. QUESTION FROM COUNCILLOR BAILEY Re: Commencement of Negotiations - Redbridge

Please can the Cabinet Member for Highway Management advise me whether DCC (or its agent) had started discussions with the landowner before February 2023 with regards the relocation of the Redbridge, Newton Poppleford.

REPLY BY COUNCILLOR HUGHES

I can confirm that discussions with the landowner and their representatives commenced before February 2023.