

County Councillor Report

I pursued the issue of the scaffolding on Hardy Street raised at the last meeting. It is up to the Borough Council to get the developer to complete the work asap. The role of the county Council is to issue a license to the developer to occupy the pavement and ensure that it is compliant with regulations.

Further work has been carried out at Nine Corners to install a dropped kerb.

I have spent a lot of time since the last meeting in discussions with Cadent and County Council officers regarding the upcoming gas main works. I have just been notified today that Broxtowe Borough Council will allow free use of their car parks for residents during the works. It has taken a long time for them to agree to this which has held up Cadent's planning and has led to a number of enquiries from residents. The diverted bus routes have now been finalised and I have been assured that they will be kept under constant review as I think they may well cause problems. There will be a suspension of parking on High Street to allow for the uninterrupted movement of buses. I am still concerned about Cadent's compensation scheme for businesses and have raised it yet again with them.

I have received information regarding the Notts on demand bus scheme. Options are being reviewed at the moment and there should be more information available late Summer or early Autumn.