Council: 20 October 2015

Opposition Motion in the name of Cllr Alan Schneiderman

Roads and Pavements

Council notes the rising complaints over the state of the boroughs roads and pavements, and that roads and pavements are the number one issue of concern for residents according to the council's own Residents Perception Survey.

Council also notes the recent practice of 'road surface dressing' in Barnet which leaves tarmac road chippings loose on the road surface resulting in damage to vehicles from flying chippings and damage to homes from tar.

Council further notes that many residents have complained about this new approach to road repairs, and asks the Environment Committee to review the procedure, including any contingency for dealing with a deterioration in roads due to the approaching cold winter weather.

Under Full Council Procedure Rule 23.5 I ask that if my motion is not dealt with by the end of the meeting it is referred directly to the Environment Committee.