

McElholm, Colm

From: Knox, Andrew
Sent: 31 May 2019 11:36
To: McElholm, Colm
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: OFFICIAL [PARTNERS], Dernawilt Cross

Colm,

My site meeting with PSNI and EA on Wednesday afternoon this week confirmed any vehicle parked in the existing lay-by, especially a bus or a lorry does restrict sight lines for drivers exiting Corran Road, however if the layby was removed and these same vehicles had to simply stop on the live carriageway then they equally restrict the sight lines but in addition to this they create further difficulties for vehicles travelling behind them who have to slow down and make an overtaking manoeuvre of the parked vehicle, putting themselves in conflict with oncoming traffic as well as anyone trying to exit Corran Road. Vehicles trying to turn right and exit the Lacky road opposite this location are also impeded by a large vehicle parked out on the carriageway at this point.

There is no recorded RTC incidents for the junction of Corran Road, however there is one recorded incident on the police data base confirming an RTC involving a vehicle emerging from the Lacky road was involved in a collision with a vehicle travelling on the Dernawilt Road – it was noted on site that the sight lines from Lacky Road are often restricted by delivery vehicles and other vehicles parking adjacent to this busy rural shop.

It was the firm belief of all those present at the meeting and in particular the education authority transport manager and school bus driver that this lay-by should be retained – the bus driver felt very vulnerable when parked out on the live carriageway with the speed of vehicles coming up behind her and feared any proposal to take away the existing pull-in facility could lead to a rear end shunt type collision, similar to the Fatal incident we had at Cabragh some years ago when the young school girl lost her life. The bus driver was much more content when stopped in the adjacent lay-by and I fully understand her position.

The attached image shows an election poster attached to our direction signs at the Corran Road junction which did nothing to enhance visibility for motorists wishing to exit the junction – parties should be reminded not to erect such posters at busy junctions which may contribute to serious road traffic collisions.

Regards
Andrew

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From: Knox, Andrew
Sent: 09 September 2019 16:53
To: McElholm, Colm
Subject: FW: Large Banner strung out across Dublin Road opposite South West College Enniskillen

Importance: High

Colm,
Please see below regarding Banner in EKN
Andrew

From: Knox, Andrew
Sent: 05 July 2019 11:51
To: [REDACTED] McElholm, Colm
Cc: Curran, Martin (Avalee); [REDACTED]; Keown, Diane
Subject: Large Banner strung out across Dublin Road opposite South West College Enniskillen
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A large banner supporting UK Service Men and women has appeared overnight in Enniskillen in front of the South West College Campus at Gaol Square, the banner is strung out over A4 Dublin Road between two street lighting columns and concerns have been raised that as the wind blows these columns are moving/shaking. Obviously street lighting columns are not designed to sustain such additional wind loads created by a large banner being tied between them and one if not both of these columns could fail as a result.
Could PSNI investigate and advise who might have been responsible for erecting this banner? It needs to be taken down before it comes crashing down causing serious injury to members of the public.
Regards
Andrew