

QUESTION BY MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC

Question submitted by: Alderman George Wheeler

To the Cabinet Member or Chair for: Facilities Management

To be asked at the next (Council, Cabinet or Planning Committee) Meeting: Council

Date: 16/09/2024 2pm

Question (to be no longer than 50 words):

Your reply to my question at the Council meeting on 29th January 2024 included the statement "As announced, the replacement toilets will be installed during the St Budeaux Transport Interchange works." The works have been completed but the old toilet block is still there. Why is this, please?

Will you be attending the meeting in person to ask your question? Yes

Response:

Following public consultation in February 2024 the decision was taken to remove the current facility and provide a new toilet provision at St Budeaux.

Financial support totalling £30,800 had previously been provided by Councillors and internal funding to complete the work was secured in July 2024.

The council's strategic projects team have been commissioned to manage this programme of works and the project manager was assigned at the end of August at which point he would have reviewed the initial brief and design and is now in the process of appointing a contractor to remove the current toilets and install the new facility.

Until the contractor is appointed and the programme of works agreed we are unable to confirm the timeline for completion