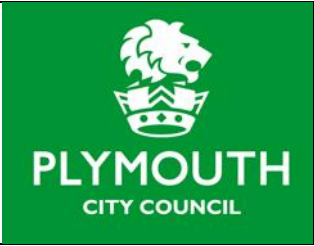


MOTION ON NOTICE



Date of Council Meeting: 15 September 2025
Title of Motion: Plymouth Highway Maintenance Amendments
Motion Narrative: The Council Notes: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Plymouth City Council is committed to delivering a more efficient and effective approach to highway maintenance.• Plymouth will manage its transport assets to deliver a safe and well-maintained network that is fit for purpose whilst using resources wisely to deliver the best possible value for money.• The contents of the Local Highways Maintenance Transparency Report outlines that the number of pot holes filled over the last 5 years has declined and the condition of Category A, B and C roads have also declined.
Action Required: The Council Therefore agrees to request the Cabinet Member for Strategic Planning and Transport to: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Investigate the means of amending the Pothole Repair Policy, Highway Inspection Manual and Term Maintenance Contract to encourage the council’s Highway Maintenance Contractors, when attending a highway defect, to proactively repair other defects in the vicinity.2. Seek evidence to confirm the cost of this approach3. Seek evidence to confirm whether this change of approach will improve the standard of the highway network.
Proposer: Councillor Chris Wood
Seconder: Councillor Andy Lugger