Further to your Information request ER66739 please find your questions and our responses below:

Who within the Council decided that the resurfacing of St Marks Road should stop at the junction that meets All Saints Rd. Before you throw statistical nonsense at me, this needs to be accompanied by proof. Its highly known within Maidenhead that the worse part of the Road was at the cross section of this junction yet the Council in its infinite wisdom decides to resurface a part of the Road which needed very little attention. I am intrigued why Taxpayers have to foot the bill for such shoddy thinking? I am also further intrigued to know the thought process behind this and expect a detailed reply which in turn I will forward on to my local MP, Councillor and Maidenhead Advertiser. There is far too many ill though out processes within this Council, this being the latest. Why and who on earth would sanction this decision? The cost of having them repair/resurface the road and leave out the worst affected part? Surely if this is ever repaired it will incur MORE cosr and MORE inconvenience to Road users? I expect a full and prompt response.

Response

It was, and still is, the Boroughs intention to resurface through the junction. The person requiring the information is correct that St Marks Road between Courthouse Road and All Saints Ave was resurfaced over the period 20th-25th June 2014 using traffic control. The reason that the junction itself was not resurfaced at that time as it required a road closure across the ends of All Saints Ave so the work could be carried out safely. At the time of the first phase a utility company was undertaking essential maintenance works on what would be the alternative route for diverted traffic when the road closure is in place. Therefore this area was not tackled at this time, in order to minimise inconvenience to the road users and has been programmed in for later in the year once these essential utility works are complete. Our contractor has currently programmed the resurfacing of the junction for 5th December.

If you require translation of the information you have been sent please do not hesitate the contact us.

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