

QUEENSFERRY AND DISTRICT COMMUNITY COUNCIL
Transport Report
for Council Meeting on Monday 25 March 2013

1. **Parking in Queensferry** – On Friday 1 March along with Diane and Keith I met a CEC Parking Manager and Professional Officer to discuss ongoing parking and traffic management issues. Most of the subjects QDCC raised in the past, such as off-street parking and High Street congestion are being studied by CEC's consultants, Halcrow. Monitors around the High Street area are evidence of investigations. However Dalmeny Station parking facilities are viewed as too complex for inclusion in this project and pedestrians crossing The Loan was considered of secondary importance.
2. **Parking at Dalmeny Station** – Difficulties continue with overflow parking from Dalmeny Station and the nearby offices. On Friday 15 March I met Diane and Juliette to discuss questions which could be asked of station users and nearby residents to establish needs, opinions and patterns. Participants could complete the survey either on paper or online using the Survey Monkey tool. We received information from SIAS through Justin Lamb Associates of their survey conducted in May 2011. ScotRail have no objection to our survey in principle but require full information before allowing us to proceed.
3. **Local Transport Strategy Review** – On Monday 11 March and Tuesday 12 March I attended two separate workshops focusing on issues raised in CEC's Review Document. These were: speed limits; emission zones; integrated transport; residents parking; supported bus services; travel planning. I also submitted a document summarising feedback received from the Queensferry community and internal QDCC discussions. The draft Local Transport Strategy covering the next 5 years (2014 to 2019) will be available for comment later this year and finalised shortly afterwards.
4. **Forth Replacement Crossing** – On Wednesday 6 March, along with Terry and Keith I attended the South Community Forum at the Contact & Education Centre to hear about progress on FRC-related construction. Of particular interest was the Queensferry Junction construction schedule for the next few months. It may be useful to have fuller dialogue with QDCC on the detailed plans.
5. **Public Transport** – Fares on Stagecoach buses and Horsburgh 63 will be revised on Monday 25 March.

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