

- > QDCC - September 2019
- > Councillor Hutchison - Report
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- > Full Council
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- > Full Council met on Thursday 19th September. Key decisions included the approval of the City Centre Transformation Strategy, which while laudable in many of its goals has no clear funding strategy, carries many contradictions in its specific proposals and offers nothing for residents outside of the City Centre.
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- > Full Council will meet again in Thursday 24th October at 10am in the City Chambers.
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- > Almond Neighbourhood Network
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- > I have no further information at present on the operation of neighbourhood networks going forward.
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- > The North West Locality Planning Partnership, on which the Almond Neighbourhood Network will be represented will have it's first meeting on Thursday 3rd October at 6.30pm, venue to be confirmed. I will be sitting on the Partnership as the elected member representative from the Almond Ward.
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- > Local Issues
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- > Queensferry Primary School - There has been some discussion around safety issues around the primary school at the start and end of the school day, particularly in relation to driver behaviour. I have discussed the concerns raised with the area Roads Engineer and he has agreed to arrange a round table discussion on the matter.
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- > Queensferry Visitor Attraction - By far the largest volume of correspondence received from Queensferry residents this month was on the proposal for the new visitor attraction at the Forth Bridge. I have accepted an invitation to meet my concerned residents for which a date is yet to be agreed.
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- > Dalmeny 20mph sign - I am advised that the long running saga of the Dalmeny 20mph sign should now be resolved.
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- > In addition this month I have also assisted residents with street lighting, roads issues, bin complaints and disability assistance.
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- > Events
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- > Unfortunately at the last minute I was unable to attend the QDCC AGM In Wednesday 28th August.

I attended the drop in event at Queensferry Primary School on Tuesday 3rd September in relation to the proposed new Bulyeon Road primary school.

I attended a discussion on cruise liner visits at the City Chambers on Monday 16th September along with QDCC Chair Keith Giblett, Graeme McKinley, Councillor Work and various Council Officers.

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- > Surgeries
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- > A reminder that I hold advice surgeries on the 2nd Monday of each month, Queensferry Library at 6pm and Kirkliston Library at 7pm.
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