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Date: 8th September 2023

Dear Mr Proctor,

SOUTH FERRY ISLAND RESIDENTS MEETING

Following our meeting on 7th September 2023 with regards to the forthcoming South Ferry Island Residents Meeting on the 25th September 2023 at the Yacht Club at Liverpool Marina, I wish to make the following statement for you to share amongst the Residents of South Ferry Island:-

The roads, footpaths, street lighting and highway drainage of the streets comprising of South Ferry Island are private and are maintained in their entirety by the Canal and River Trust. Liverpool City Council Highways department neither inspect or maintain any of the infrastructure within the estate, which is consistent with all other private estates within the Liverpool City Boundary.

I can confirm that representatives of the Canal and River Trust have approached the Council dating from September 2021 and more recently to discuss the potential for the Council to maintain a number of roads within the estate as adopted public highways. These preliminary discussions are amenable to the Council provided that Canal and River Trust can meet the following requirements:-

- Submission of a full design package/As built drawings of roads to be adopted and reviewed in accordance with the Council highway standards;
- Payment of the Council fee's in full;
- Provision to enter into an Agreement with Council to formally adopt roads;
 and
- Completion of works by the Canal and River Trust as specified in technically approved drawings to the Councils standards/Agreement.

Provided that all the above criteria can be met, the Council will adopt the Roads specified within the agreement and the roads will become highways maintained at public expense, however until such a time the roads become adopted the responsibility for the maintenance and upkeep of those roads will remain with the Canal and River Trust.





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Yours sincerely,

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