Mayor on Air – March 2017



It should be noted that listeners/callers to Mayor on Air should still lodge their request/query directly with Council. People can call 64 714 700, email wcc@westcoast.tas.gov.au, lodge a request from Council's website (www.westcoast.tas.gov.au) where's there a service request link on the homepage, or call into the Office in Queenstown.

This is the preferred method.

By only calling into Mayor on Air, Council is not able to follow-up with updates or for more information.

Responses to Caller queries from Mayor on Air 28 March 2017

- 1. On 28th July last year the riverbank on One-Way Esplanade that leads onto Brown Street Queenstown collapsed and nothing has been done is there any plans to repair? Creeks and rivers are managed by Crown Lands and Council officers are continuing to work in partnership with Crown Land Services on a number of riverbank issues. This particular riverbank, along with several other areas within the municipality, has been inspected by Crown Lands Officers and are being monitored.
- 2. There are roadside gutters in Colebrook Street, Rosebery that are exposed and I believe illegal is there any plans to repair?

As part of Council's future Stormwater capital works programs such gutters will be looked at for potential upgrades. Open drains are not illegal.

- 3. Will the loose gravel all over the road be dealt with in Hollywood Street, Rosebery?

 As part of TasWater's infrastructure upgrades some of the works required excavation, causing loose gravel to be spread through some streets. This will be rectified as part of TasWater's remediation works.
- 4. What is the Council's stance on traffic flow on Harvey Street, Strahan? The speed and amount of heavy transport is an accident waiting to happen, speed limits are not being observed and no one seems to want to enforce the speed limits for trucks and cars. From 5.30am to 6am it is a drag strip.

Council is not responsible for nor do we have the authority charge speeding offenders. This complaint will be passed on to the local Police.