

ANGUS COUNCIL

ROADS COMMITTEE

29 JANUARY 1998

PURCHASE OF PEDESTRIAN CROSSING EQUIPMENT**REPORT BY THE DIRECTOR OF ROADS****ABSTRACT**

This report seeks approval for the purchase of puffin and toucan crossing equipment as stock in the current financial year for the continuing programme of provision of pedestrian crossing facilities in the financial year 1998/99.

1 RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Committee agree to the purchase of two sets of puffin crossing equipment and one set of toucan crossing equipment at an estimated cost of £20,000.

2 DETAILS

In order that the installation of new pedestrian crossings can proceed as quickly as possible in the next financial year it is proposed that two sets of puffin crossing equipment and one set of toucan crossing equipment be ordered and paid for this financial year.

Detailed proposals of the new sites for the pedestrian crossings where this equipment will be installed will be reported to a future Roads Committee.

3 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

i) Capital

The estimated cost of the pedestrian crossing equipment is £20,000 and this will be met from the 1997/98 capital allocation of £80,000 for Pedestrian Crossings and Traffic Signals.

ii) Revenue

Loan charges will amount to £2,349 per annum over 20 years.

4 CONSULTATION

The Chief Executive, the Director of Law and Administration and the Director of Finance have been consulted in the preparation of this Report.

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NOTE

No background papers as defined by Section 50D of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (other than any containing confidential or exempt information) were relied on to any material extent in preparing the above Report.

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