

8 MELFORT PLACE – PROPOSED ALTERATIONS (AN15-2003)

Following the demolition of Trottick, Mains and Claverhouse Courts, the access to the remaining properties in Melfort Place involves negotiating a corner with poor advance visibility. It is proposed to provide a new junction onto Old Glamis Road directly from Melfort Place. These works will include traffic calming measures and will reduce speed and improve sightlines. The residents' associations at Melfort Place have highlighted this problem in the past and have been consulted on the proposals.

It is proposed to carry out these works as an extension to the existing contract with Torith Ltd for the Road Safety Measures 2002/03 – Clepington Road/Strathmartine Road, based on competitive rates for similar work. The estimated cost of this additional work is £25,000. This can be met from the re-allocation of Scottish Budget Resources 2002/3, for additional traffic calming measures.

The Committee's approval is sought for this course of action.