

9 GREEN CIRCULAR IMPROVEMENTS (AN73-2004)

Reference is made to Article V of the minute of meeting of the Planning and Transportation Committee of 2nd December, 2002 when approval was given for a programme of works for Cycling, Walking and Safer Streets projects. This report identified additional capital consent in 2003/04 of £218,000 and allocated £40,000 to the Paths for All Initiative, for which the Director of Leisure and Arts has a lead responsibility.

As part of this initiative, the Director of Leisure and Arts remitted to the City Engineer to bring forward proposals to improve the public footpath/cycleway from Wyvis Road to the Seven Arches Viaduct. In order to maximise the spend within the current financial year it is proposed to extend the current contract with Tayside Contracts for works at Camperdown Car Park approved at this Committee on 20th October, 2003 to cover these improvements (Article II(a) refers). The cost of this work based on the competitive rates in the Camperdown Car Park tender is £18,694 including Professional Fees and Contingencies for which approval is now sought.