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**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** EIR-17-0599 - Wellington Brae Works  
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Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your information request of 18 April 2017. Aberdeen City Council (ACC) has completed the necessary search for the information requested.

**Some weeks ago, Wellington Brae was closed at what appeared to be very short notice for the purposes of emergency tree work. I now understand that a walking route is closed for the reconstruction of retaining walls to private properties and the resurfacing of the path as a cycle track.**

**I would welcome confirmation of the work being undertaken by the Council,**

The works involve removal of trees, drainage, retaining wall works, resurfacing of path, installation of lighting columns, landscaping and associated works.

**the proposed timescale and how it is all being paid for, including capital costs or recharges to private owners of the adjoining lands.**

The contractors original programme was for an 8 week duration, starting 1 April 2017. The project is currently suspended and under review. This includes project timescale, funding and arrangements with private owners.

We hope this helps with your request.

Yours sincerely,

Grant Webster  
Information Compliance Officer

#### **INFORMATION ABOUT THE HANDLING OF YOUR REQUEST**

As the information which you requested is environmental information, as defined under Regulation 2(1) of the Environmental Information (Scotland) Regulations 2004 (the EIRs), ACC considered that it was exempt from release through FOISA, and must therefore give you notice that we are refusing your request under Section 39(2) of FOISA (Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002). However, you have a separate right to access the information which you have requested under Regulation 5 of the EIRs, under which ACC has handled your request. Please refer to the attached PDF for more information about your rights under the EIRs.

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