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Council Members are asked to note the action taken in relation to the under-mentioned petitions which were presented to Council:-

1. Petition – To Include Alston Crescent on Priority Gritting Routes

A petition signed by 29 residents, was presented to Council on 14 June 2023 by Councillor Peter Walton. The petition read as follows:

“I/we the undersigned call on Sunderland City Council to include Alston Crescent on its list of priority gritting routes.”

Council Officers have considered the petition.

Throughout the summer months preparations for the forthcoming winter season take place and as part of these preparations all the gritting routes are reviewed to establish that they are still fit for purpose and delivering the outcomes that meet our requirements. This includes reviewing any additions or removal of certain roads and streets. Our winter gritting route resources are finite and there are requirements to ensure any routes can be completed within a requisite time and additions to routes will inevitably increase response times. Alston Crescent will be considered alongside any other potential additions as part of this review.

Councillor Walton has been advised of the response.

