ITEM 06 Appendix A

BRIEFING NOTE FROM NETWORK MANAGER

National Grid Gas (NGG) Works in Watford - 2012/13

NGG have embarked on a significant programme of major mains replacement works in and around Watford for 2012/13.

They have completed over 8km of works, and are making good progress on the schemes.

Eastbury Road scheme

Eastbury Road was closed in Easter where a total of 640m of pipes were replaced. Veolia Water and Network Rail also utilised this closure for maintenance and repair works.

Watford Road scheme

Works complete around Hunton Bridge. There will be further works on the A41 North Western Avenue verge starting in late July/early August.

Cassiobury Area scheme

NGG started works on Harford Drive and Woodford Drive prior to surfacing works by Herts Highways. NGG will start work on Parkside Drive at the end of July.

A significant section of the scheme is a crossing of Hempstead Road at the junction of Langley Way and Langley Road. Both Langley Way and Langley Road will be closed for a period of three weeks from 13th August. Lane closures will be in operation on Hempstead Road, and the traffic signals will be turned off.

Green Lane scheme

Oxhey Road will be closed in the school holidays for up to six weeks.

NGG will be preparing press releases for the two closures during the school holidays, giving more details of the proposed works. These will be circulated to members before distribution to the public.

The details and dates included are subject to change.

The latest information regarding all planned Roadworks within Hertfordshire is available via www.hertsdirect.org/roadworks

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