

PERIODS OF COVER 2016 / 2017

Instructions on reporting times for Nightshift crews Sunday to Friday, early start crews Monday to Friday and standby crews 7 days per week , will be issued by Roads Maintenance Partnership Staff during the previous day

| Period | Standby routes operated | | | | | | | | | | Total | Control Centre in operation (operated from home) plus basic cover by Tayside Contracts Summer Standby |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|---------|--------|---------------------------|-----------|--------------|----|--|--|--|-------|---|
| | South | | | | | North | | | | | | |
| | Perth | Kinross | Crieff | Blairgowrie | Aberfeldy | Blair Atholl | | | | | | |
| 10 October – 16 October | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 | | | | | Control Centre in operation (operated from home) plus basic cover by Tayside Contracts Summer Standby |
| 17 October – 13 November | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 11 | | | | | Lead in period limited system – reduced cover |
| 14 November – 12 March | 5 Plus 1 nightshift | 2 | 3 | 5 Plus 1 nightshift | 2 | 3 | 22 | | | | | Main standby system – full cover |
| 13 March -26 March | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 11 | | | | | Lead out period limited system – reduced cover |
| 27 March – 9 April | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4 | | | | | Control Centre in operation (operated from home) plus basic cover by Tayside Contracts Summer Standby |

WINTER MAINTENANCE- LEVEL OF SERVICE & PRIORITY SYSTEMS 2016 / 2017 (CARRIAGEWAYS)

| Category | Definition | Routes (examples) | Length (km) Indicative Only | Hours of Cover | Service Provided |
|-------------------|--|--|-----------------------------|---|--|
| Nightshift routes | The most important strategic routes. City routes plus early morning bus service routes in the Perth area. The A93 South of Blairgowrie, the A94 between Meigle and Perth and the A923 between Blairgowrie and Tullybachtart. | A class roads network and early morning bus routes in the Perth area | 165 | Sunday to Friday 00:00 – 08:00 During the full cover period As per category 1a route cover times during lead in and lead out periods | In ice and snow conditions or <u>pre-salted</u> when ice or snow is forecast and roads are not dry. |
| 1a | Priority routes. Other strategic routes carrying large volumes of traffic and connecting main centres of population outwith the Perth area | A977, A91, A913, A926, A827 Aberfeldy – Ballinluig A822 Crieff – Greenloaning A924 through Pitlochry | 110 | Until 21:00 all days. In the full cover period, complete morning de-icing by 07:30 (09:00 on Sundays and nationally recognised public holidays) | In ice and snow conditions or <u>pre-salted</u> when ice or snow is forecast and roads are not dry. |
| 1b | Priority routes. Other strategic routes connecting larger communities and other main rural roads. Roads leading to important or sensitive locations such as hospitals or fire stations.* | A93 Blairgowrie – Glenshee A923 Blairgowrie - Dunkeld A827 Aberfeldy - Killin A822 Crieff - Dunkeld A823 (part), A824 (part), A912 B996, B9097, B9099, B996 etc. | 645 | Until 21:00 all days. In the full cover period, complete morning de-icing by 07:30 (09:00 on Sundays and nationally recognised public holidays)** | In ice and snow conditions or <u>pre-salted</u> when ice or snow is forecast and roads are not dry. In severe snow conditions, Category 1b routes will be treated after Category 1a |
| 2 | Non priority routes. Minor rural roads serving small settlements or a significant number of rural properties. Secondary distributor/local roads in settlements. Other urban or rural roads with special difficulties such as steep gradients.* | | 1310 | 08:00-15:00 Monday –Friday Excluding public holidays | In ice and snow conditions only, no <u>pre-salting</u> |
| 3 | Rural roads serving no or small numbers of isolated properties. Local access roads in settlements within easy reach of local distributor roads. | This will include most residential streets with only local traffic | 210 | Not applicable | <u>Not normally treated</u> unless there is hard, packed rutted snow on these roads with road surface temperatures below zero and treatment of all other categories has been completed |
| 4 | Rural public roads serving no habitation which because of their altitude, alignment and width cannot reasonably and safely be treated using normal winter maintenance plant. Private (unadopted) roads which is not the responsibility of a Council service and which are not considered to have a wider community use. | U159 Kenmore – Garrows (Kenmore Hill). U161 Bridge of Balgae – A827 at Loch Tay. | 8 14 | Not treated | Not treated. |

* Service Bus routes have been included in categories 1a, 1b & 2 to ensure their comprehensive coverage.

** Light snow to 20mm - 4 hours is the likely minimum treatment time in snow conditions and cannot be regarded as a definitive target.

WINTER MAINTENANCE - LEVEL OF SERVICE & PRIORITY SYSTEMS 2016 / 2017 (FOOTWAYS)

| Category | Descriptions | Examples | Length (km) | Hours of Cover | Service Provided | Response Time | Target Treatment Times (Priority Routes) | Target Post Gritting / Snow Clearance Time |
|----------|---|---|-------------|--|---|--|--|--|
| 1 | Priority routes. Main shopping areas, main arterial footways, busy feeder footways and footways leading to community centres and centres of employment. | Perth, Aberfeldy, Auchterarder, Blairgowrie, Crieff, Kinross, Pitlochry, Alyth, Bridge of Eam, Coupar Angus, Dunkeld, Luncairy, Milnathort and Scone. | N/A | 0630-1800 Mon-Sat 0800-1600 Sun and nationally recognised public holidays | In snow and ice conditions | 1 hour | N/A | 6 hours |
| 2 | Priority routes. As above plus Other footways with significant usage. | As above plus Abermethy, Aberuthven, Almondbank, Balbeggie, Bankfoot, Blackford, Braco, Burrelton Caputh, Comrie, Glencarse, Glenfarg, Inchture, Longforgan, Methven, Muthill, Powmill, Meigle, Stanley | N/A | 08:00-15:00 Monday - Friday | In snow and ice conditions | As soon as possible after Cat 1 routes have been completed | N/A | N/A |
| 3 | Non priority routes. Less well used footways and footways where a feasible alternative route exists | | N/A | 08:00-15:00 Monday - Friday | Not normally treated. Only treated in prolonged snow and ice conditions if time and resources permit, and after successful treatment of higher priorities | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 4 | Footways which are not the responsibility of a Council Service and which are not considered to be important in the footway network | | N/A | N/A | Not treated | N/A | N/A | N/A |

Lower priority routes will only be treated once the higher priority routes have been treated unless operational factors such as efficient route planning dictate otherwise. No footway treatment on either 25th December 2016 or 1st January 2017

Category 1a Carriageway Routes

| Route | Description |
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| A822 | Crieff to Greenloaning |
| A823 | Auchterarder to Junction with A822 |
| A824 | Auchterarder to Aberuthven |
| A827 | Aberfeldy to Ballinluig |
| A91 | Yetts o' Muckart to Strathmiglo (through Kinross) |
| A911 | Kinross to Fife Boundary at Auchmuirbridge |
| A912 | Edinburgh Road, Perth to Fife Boundary |
| A913 | Aberargie to Newburgh |
| A923 | Blairstown to Angus Boundary near Lundie |
| A924 | Through centre of Pitlochry |
| A926 | Blairstown to Angus Boundary near Craighton |
| A93 | A94 junction in Perth to Blairstown |
| A94 | Perth Bridge to Angus Boundary near Meikle |
| A977 | Kinross to Blairingone |
| B954 | Alyth to Angus Boundary near Newtyle |
| B996 | Kinross to Fife Boundary |
| | The following roads in Perth City |
| A93 | Glasgow Road - Broxden to Caledonian Road |
| | York Place, County Place, South Street, Queens Bridge |
| A85 | Dundee Road - from Toll House, Dundee Road, Gowrie Street, Perth Bridge to Charlotte Street |
| A85 | Barrack St and Dunkeld Road to Crieff Road |
| A85 | Crieff Road - Dunkeld Road to Newhouse Road Roundabout |
| A912 | Dunkeld Road - Crieff Road to Inveralmond Roundabout |
| A989 | Tay Street, Marshall Place, Kings Place, Leonard Street, Caledonian Road, Atholl Street, Charlotte Street |
| | Newhouse Road, Burghmuir Road, Jeanfield Road, Long Causeway |
| | Manse Road, Hatton Road, Corsie Hill Road, Muirhall Road, Lochie Brae |

