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Leader's Report



I am pleased to introduce my report to September's Council.

It is with relief and many thanks to those most closely involved that I can report that a settlement agreement has been signed with the consortium to build the tramline to St Andrew Square in the first instance. I believe that taking the tram route to St Andrew Square is the only sensible option for Edinburgh and I look forward to seeing a work programme which enables our tramline to be built and operational as quickly as possible.

As well as details of successes and awards received I have provided updates on a new care home for the city, road safety training for young drivers and our Foster Care Campaign.

I am particularly pleased that Parks and Greenspaces took a top award in the Association for Public Sector Excellence (APSE) Awards, and that 3 other teams were also shortlisted: the Asset Management Energy Management Team, 21st Century Homes and the Libraries and Information Service.

I hope that you find this report interesting. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have observations or comments that you feel could improve the way the Council operates, or even if you simply wish to offer a view.

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