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To: Matthew Crosse
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I will indeed Matthew. This sounds to be a very worthwhile initiative

Steve

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From: Matthew Crosse < Matthew.Crosse@tie.ltd.uk>

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Steve

One of the issues that is being addressed at the engineering working process group that met yesterday is the effectiveness of the meeting structure between SDS and tie. This group includes engineers who have previous in depth experience in working on other tram projects in the UK. It includes Kim Dorrington, Jim Harries, Roger Jones, Gavin Murray and David Powell. The objective of the group is to improve the engineering processes within the project as a whole.

The group considers that the current meeting structure, programme and agendas between SDS and tie can be radically improved. The group has developed some ideas based on best practice from other tramway projects and needs to be empowered by tie and SDS if it is to achieve progress. The group, and Kim Dorrington in particular, has some ideas that they believe will add discipline, focus and productivity to the interface between tie and SDS.

Could you please consider inviting Kim to develop his proposals so they can be shared between SDS and tie. Then you and I can agree how (and if) to implement them.

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