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Dear Mr Pursglove

SOPHIE CULLINAN, CLERK TO BRIGSTOCK PARISH COUNCIL - RE: CORRESPONDENCE WITH NORTH NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNCIL.

Thank you for your enquiry originally addressed to George Candler, Interim Chief Executive, which has been passed to me to respond on his behalf.

The A6116 is high on our list of priorities for major structural repair works, particularly between Islip and Sudborough; however, we have no firm plans at present that we can share with you until we have completed the approvals process.

We have undertaken numerous pothole repairs as a result of enquiries received via Street Doctor and as a result of monthly safety inspections that this road is subject to.

Regarding Brigstock village footways, at the present time, there are no major footway resurfacing projects in the pipeline for North Northamptonshire Council. If there are areas of particular concern, we'd ask that they are reported via Street Doctor. Please note that our investigatory levels commence at 20mm depth in footways, with the caveat that our teams of Inspectors and Community Stewards use a risk-based approach when assessing defects and can issue instructions for repairs where the depth of the defect is shallower than 20mm due to the presence of specific risks (ie: outside schools, surgeries etc).



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Thank you, once again Mr Pursglove, for bringing this issue to our attention and for representing your constituents. We hope we have provided some clarification on this matter for Ms Cullinan.

Yours sincerely

Graeme Kane

Executive Director Place and Economy (interim)