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Dear LES

HAZARDOUS WALKWAY AND CYCLEWAY – KELVIN WALKWAY, GLASGOW G20

Please take immediate action to close a hazardous new access way onto the Kelvin Walkway apparently built by Glasgow City Council and opened in the last few days, until it is made safe. It is located where Garrioch Drive meets Garrioch Road, at the bottom of Shakespeare Street.

The short length of new pathway / cycleway drops down a steep bank, see attached photographs. The construction is hazardous as:

- It is dangerously steep with a 1:1.5 slope from a sharp change of angle
- The asphalt surface will be slippery with tree droppings and rain water
- The edge has a hazardous drop
- There are no railings to stop people falling off the edges
- The pathway is open all the time in an unlit wooded area.

Someone unfamiliar with the area walking down the path in poor lighting may not see the hazards. Other lengths of path nearby that are not so hazardous and are less steep have railings.

The pathway should be closed before someone slips or trips.

Yours sincerely,

Pat Toms

Copied to Coun M. Razaq, J. Letford, M. Rhodes, F. Scally
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