

Living in Hackney Scrutiny Commission

4th March 2019

Item 4 – Thames Water Main Burst in the Leabridge Ward - second update

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<u>Outline</u>

Thames Water attended a specially convened Commission meeting on the 21st November 2018. This was to discuss their response to the trunk main burst which had caused significant flooding in the Leabridge Ward the previous month.

At that meeting Thames Water delivered a presentation setting out the causes of the incident and its management of the aftermath.

Following that, and in response to questions from residents, local organisations and Commission Members, Thames Water advised that investigations on the cause of the event and its response still being carried out, that insurance, compensation arrangements were being worked through, and that the latest burst would help inform future improvement programmes.

This item has been scheduled to receive updates on these elements and any others.

Thames Water were requested to provide a paper in support of this item, which is enclosed.

Action

The Commission is asked to review the paper enclosed in advance of the meeting, to hear any opening comments from Thames Water, to ask questions.