Lean & 6Sigma Workshops

Street Lighting Fault Repairs

Highways Surface Defects

Principles of 2 Methodologies

6SIGMA

- Facts Based Data Driven
- Demand Profiles
- Variance
- CTQ Measurable

LEAN

- Awareness based
- Demand Types
- Non Value Added activity
- Customer Values
- Time

- Resolve Route Causes
- Remove Variance
- Focus of delivering what the customer defines as Quality
- Removal of Non Value
 Added Activity
- Improve Flow
- Focus on reducing Time and Improving Flow



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DEFINE

Highways Demand Types and Volumes



Street Lighting Demand Types & Volume



The largest proportion of cases are generated through LAGAN

7,898 cases were forwarded from LAGAN to the Insight Customer Service Module) 86% of these cases were acted upon, 14% cases (1,174) were closed immediately

Street Lighting Source of Demand

Period 1/9/2010 to 31/8/2011



Number of Cases Internally & Externally reported

8,241 cases were entered/forwarded on to the Insight General Maintenance Module

63% of these cases (5,166) originated from LAGAN;

37% of cases (3,075) came from internal sources e.g. Night Inspectors, internal phone calls & email

Highways Surface Defects - Where Orders are Generated from

81% of orders supplied by Safety Inspections and the Public



Safety Inspections supply 64% of orders

Street Lighting

Understanding Of the High Level Process

SIPOC

SUPPLIER	INPUT	HIGH LEVEL PROCESS	OUTPUT	CUSTOMER
General Public Police Councillors MPs	Telepone Call, email, letter, text	Customer Contact Centre	Check LAGAN	General Public Councillors/MPs
Night Inspectors Customer Contact Centre Central Management System Councillors/MPs General Public	Fax Customer Service Module Insight Auto Email from CMS Letters/emails/phone calls Letters/emails/phone calls/face to face	Street Lighting Admin	Collate orders into zones Generate Order on Insight General Mainenance Feedback into LAGAN	General Public Councillors/MPs Customer Contact Centre
Street Lighting Admin Councillors Stores (raw materials) CEx Office	Works Order (general maintenance) email components	Street Scene Admin	Pre repair - group orders for repair teams Post repair - Update general maintenance Complete order Order components	Street Lighting Admin Councilor/MPs CEx Office
Street Scene Admin Stores General Public	Works Order Components Verbal	Street Scene Repair Team	Sort out route collect components from stores travel to site repair fault complete paper work report further work	street scene admin general public
Customer requests appear at all levels of the process, and bypass the Customer Contact Centre				

Critical To Quality Tree – CTQ & Value Defines Customer VALUES and SPECIFICATION



Author: Chris Wilson- Changing Our Council

Demand and the way Orders are Received

50% Growth in patching over 5 years

Variable difficult to plan resources efficiently

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Measure

Current State Value Stream Map

How does the Process today perform against CTQ'S and Values

The way orders are managed in the Current State

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Analyse

7 Defined Zones of Measurement

Root Causes and Effects Analysis

Safety Inspection Example

Partial reports incur repeat visits and fragmented reports

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Improve

Street Lighting Fault Repair - Future State Map

Resources assigned to the 7 Defined Zones

Inspections aligned to the zones 1 to 2 day ahead of crews

Real Results Highways Surface Defects

Post Pilot Study Analysis August 1st to Sept 26th

Real evidence in Improvement in quicker response for Calls received from the Public using less processes –

Reduction in Risk and Happy Customers

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The Way Orders are Managed in the Future State – Reports Go Directly to Highways Delivery

Reduction of 16 days in time to repair

Tarmac Truck – Mileage Covered

Sample Taken August to Sept - same periods

Tarmac Truck – Range of Miles Covered during Trial

Combined Inspections are essential to better scheduling of work and Reduction in Travel

Combined inspections are essential for 1 visit 1 report on the surface – will enable better proactive planning of works

Orders are still Geographically scattered and have little reflection to Zoned Repairs

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Control

Proactive 6Sigma Process Controls – Street Lighting

Innovation in Lamp Technology or Monitoring Required

Highways could follow a similar model in Road Surface technology and standardisation

What's Been achieved so Far

- Less processes involved in responding to public requests
- Closer communication with Customers in diagnosing problem
- Customer Contact Centre will be provided with access to systems for accurate up to date information on fault repairs
- The Creation of efficient working zones
- Reduction in the overall time in repairing faults from 18 to 2.6 days from receipt of report from the public
- Reduction of 38% in mileage covered by the tarmac vehicle and its crew (17 miles per day)
- Avg of 10 Miles per Hour = 1.7 Hrs Value Added Time gained = 25% of a Working day
- Change of Lamp to a better quality supplier as already reduce reworks significantly

What's Remains Open from The Workshop

- Progress the Combined Inspection Regime & Combine Client & Contractor functions
- Progress required on the alignment of Inspections / Surveys aligning with order of repairs
- Progress the reduction of Mileage travelled by the Highways Inspection regime inline with changes from workshop
- Progress the opportunities from balancing delivery resources directly to works orders requested by the Inspection surveys and the public