

64661 - "Pocket Park" - Junction of Meadowplace Road and Featherhall Crescent

Please provide detailed information as follows in regard to the "pocket park" which was constructed at the junction of Meadowplace Road and Featherhall Crescent.

How much was spent on construction of the pocket park?

Circa £24,000

Who is responsible for its maintenance?

City of Edinburgh Council

Since construction, please detail the cost of maintenance and what council department or private contractor has carried out this work.

Maintenance has been carried out by P1 Solutions, and their sub contractors. This cost was conglomerated into a wider maintenance regime but was circa £2000 per 18mth period.

Is any contractor currently being paid to maintain the park? If not, what council department is responsible for its upkeep?

The Council's Active Travel team is currently in the process of trying to appoint a contractor to undertake maintenance of the planters.

Why has the park been neglected, despite numerous requests to councillors for action, and why has this park been ignored and other planters around Corstorphine have been refreshed and maintained?

Other planters have been taken on by volunteer groups to be maintained. The Council is working with contractors to try to appoint one to undertake current maintenance of the Featherhall Crescent planters, to date it has proved challenging to get a contractor to take on maintenance of the site due to the small scale of the site.