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### Station Frontage & Approach

Signs & Poster Cases	OK.
Pigeon Nets	All areas directly over pavement OK
Station Frontage	Stone and brickwork around the doorway OK. The untreated brick of the walls to the right of the entrance is dirty and needs to be cleaned.



### Entrance & Lower Stairway

 Litter Bin	Missing.
 Poster Cases	Some graffiti on Train Running poster case. (see Picture B).
Stairs	Generally OK. Like the upper stairway, is in need of a deep clean and repainting of faded stair-edge lines.
Walls (whitewashed)	OK.
Walls (above whitewash)	Obscured by scaffolding being used for roof repairs.
Roof	Network Rail are currently repairing this area of the roof.
Lights	OK

### Booking Hall

Poster Cases	OK.
Walls (lower)	OK.
 Walls (upper)	Dirty.
Roof	Network Rail are currently repairing this area of the roof.
Lights	All working OK.

### Upper Stairway

Poster Cases	OK
 Stairs	Lines on step-edges are fading and need to be repainted. The stairs are generally dirty and need a thorough clean. Because of the leaking roof the stairs get wet during rain presenting a risk to passengers of slipping on the greasy surface.
Walls (whitewashed)	Badly stained by water from leaking roof. Some graffiti near top of steps - (see Picture C).
 Walls (above whitewash)	Dirty.




Roof	Network Rail are currently repairing this area of the roof.
Lights	OK.

### Platform & Canopy

Litter Bin	New bin installed last month still in situ, despite some attempts by vandals to remove from the wall.
Shelter & Seats	OK. Shelter roof is extremely dirty.
Canopy	During heavy rain the gutter overflows in two places towards the east end of platform 2. The gutter is possibly blocked, causing water to cascade on to platform during heavy rain.
😊 Pillars	1 <sup>st</sup> pillar on platform 1 has unblocked and repainted – and looks magnificent again ! See Picture E.
☹️ Platform Surface	Although less pigeons have been seen in and around the station this month, excessive amounts of pigeon mess remain on platform surface (see Picture A).
Platform Edge	“Mind The Gap” warnings have not yet been added.
North (Up) Flower Beds	OK – some minor vandal damage this month. FOWS have applied to Salford City Council for funding for winter re-fresh of flower beds and planters.
South (Down) Flower Bed	OK – recently weeded by FOWS.
Free-standing Planters	OK.
☹️ Platform Signs	“Walkden” sign still missing from first pillar on platform 1. Graffiti on first sign platform 2 (see Picture D).
North (Up) platform walls.	OK.
South (Down) platform walls.	OK.

### Photographs

<p><b>Photo A</b></p> <p>Pigeon mess on platform.</p>	
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<p><b>Photo B</b></p> <p>Graffiti on Train Running poster case.</p>	
<p><b>Photo C</b></p> <p>Graffiti at top of steps.</p>	
<p><b>Photo D</b></p> <p>Graffiti on platform sign.</p>	
<p><b>Photo E</b></p> <p>Newly repaired and painted pillar.</p>	