



Forth Crossing Bridge Constructors

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Dear Neighbour,

We are writing to provide you with notice of planned works on the Forth Replacement Crossing (FRC).

FCBC, the Principal Contractor working on the FRC on behalf of Transport Scotland, is planning to carry out surfacing works on the U221 and at the junction of the U221 and the A904 **on Thursday 21st and Friday 22nd August 2014**. This will involve the temporary closure of the U221, between the A904 and the White Lodge, for these two days and nights. Pedestrian access will be maintained through the works.

The works will be carried out during normal working hours, 8am to 7pm. A road diversion will be put in place on the morning of Thursday 21st August 2014 and will be removed by 7pm on Friday 22nd August 2014. Details of the diversion are shown on the attached drawing No 16629 DIV.

The plant to be deployed in the works will include a road planer, road paver, rollers and bitumen delivery lorries. In order to mitigate noise impact we will be deploying best practical means, including using modern plant. The timing of the proposed works is weather dependent and, if conditions are unsuitable (for example heavy rain), the works will be delayed until the next suitable day. Should there be any significant delay, we will inform our neighbours accordingly.

We would like to take this opportunity to apologise for any inconvenience our activities may cause and also to thank you for your patience and consideration to date. The works as described above are an essential part of the overall Forth Replacement Crossing project, which is necessary due to concerns over the long term viability of the existing road bridge. The new crossing will maintain a vital link in the east of Scotland road network which is key to the wider Scottish economy.

For up to date information on the project please see Transport Scotland's FRC project website www.forthreplacementcrossing.info. Should you have any queries, please contact our email enquiries@forthreplacementcrossing.info or our Hotline on 0800 078 6910.

In addition, our Contact and Education Centre, located adjacent to the Forth Road Bridge offices on the south side of the existing Forth Road Bridge, is manned 09:00hrs to 17:00hrs Monday to Thursday, 09:00hrs to 16:00hrs on Fridays and 10:00hrs to 16:00hrs on Saturdays to deal with enquiries and to supply information. Additionally there are Open Days each Saturday between 10am and 4pm up to 25th October 2014 and there are technical presentations on the last Friday of every month as advertised on the Project Website.

Issued to – Residents on the U221 in the vicinity of the diversion described, Newton Community Council, Queensferry Community Council and BRIGS.

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