# London Borough of Bexley

# News Release

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## Partial closure of Albion Road, Bexleyheath (Welling bound)

Work on the Bexleyheath Town Centre Revitalisation scheme (BTCR) between Townley Road and Oaklands roundabout is almost complete and this section should re-open to traffic on Tuesday 2 May.

Work will then begin for approximately 8 weeks on the section between Townley Road and Highland Road and this will be completely closed to westbound traffic (travelling towards Welling). Westbound traffic only will be diverted onto Highland Road, Arnsberg Way and Broadway. Traffic travelling towards Crayford will not be affected.

Initially work will begin on the Victoria Road/Albion Road junction and move along the front of the houses opposite the entrance to the Broadway Shopping Centre car park with this section closed to traffic. Access will be maintained for residents but arrangements will change as the work progresses.

While work is taking place on the Victoria Road/Albion Road junction and the area opposite the car park entrance, resident access will be from Highland Road roundabout, turning left into Pincott Road. To enable residents to exit there will be a temporary right turn from Pincott Road into Albion Road with this traffic required to give way to traffic on Albion Road. Particular care will need to be taken to give way were traffic needs to turn right and cross both lanes of traffic on Albion Road onto the Highland Road roundabout.

When the work progresses to the Pincott Road/Albion Road junction and this is closed, resident access will be from Townley Road roundabout, with a temporary right turn in place to enable traffic to turn into Victoria Road. Exit will be from Victoria Road.

During the first few days of the road closure these arrangements may be varied to allow the existing road surface to be removed safely. There will be signs and site personnel to assist drivers. Drivers should take extra care.

Throughout the works there will be no vehicle access to the front of properties along Albion Road and residents who would normally park here will need to use alternative parking.

Work on footpaths will be arranged in discussion with residents, where needed, so that appropriate pedestrian access is maintained.

Delivery access to specific properties will be dealt with on a case-by-case basis. Residents who need to make arrangements for deliveries should call 020 8303 7777 and ask to speak with a member of the BTCR construction team or alternatively email BTCR@bexley.gov.uk.

London Borough of Bexley apologises in advance for any inconvenience that may result during these improvements and will work with residents to minimise disruption.

### Ends

#### Attachments

• BTCR Area affected by road closures.pdf



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