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Beckton Walking and Cycling Project

We want to hear what you think

Nov 2022

Newham Council wants to make Beckton a great place for active travel. To make that happen, we are committed to improving local streets to make Active Travel an easy, safe and convenient way to get around.

An online survey is now live. You can tell us what kinds of changes you would like to see in Beckton to make it better for walking and cycling. The survey runs until Sunday 1 January 2023.

This leaflet includes:

• The Beckton project area and objectives

• Examples of design work being undertaken already

• How to tell us what you think.

**BECKTON WALKING**

**The Beckton project area**

We are working closely with colleagues from the Parks Service in order to build upon the learnings from the Community Vision for the Beckton Parks Masterplan, for more information please visit **www.newham.gov.uk/becktonparksmasterplan**

The map below shows the project area. We are particularly interested in making improvements for walking and cycling in the four following focus areas.

**Beckton Town Centre**

Beckton Town Centre is a hub of activity including community retail and

transport facilities such as Beckton DLR station and Beckton bus station. The scope of potential improvements to walking and cycling includes access to and through the wider ASDA shopping area.

**Tollgate Road**

Tollgate Road is a key east-west corridor, which runs through the Beckton area and supports access to residential, community, and commercial destinations.

**Woolwich Manor Way**

Woolwich Manor Way is particularly significant because it forms the only major north-south connection across the A13 within the project area.

**Beckton Corridor**

Beckton Corridor is a key pedestrian route, separated from car traffic,

connecting Beckton DLR station to residential areas, Beckton Park, and Royal Albert Way (including Royal Albert DLR station).

**What kinds of changes are we looking to make?**

The Beckton Walking and Cycling Project is focused on upgrading the physical infrastructure in order to:

* Make walking and cycling easy, safe and convenient
* Reduce air pollution
* Promote more High Street economic activity

Physical infrastructure upgrades could include, for example:

* Cycle tracks and lanes
* Trees and greenery
* Improved lighting and CCTV
* Changes to junctions
* Traffic-calming
* Better access for people with disabilities
* Improved footways
* Pedestrian crossings (including zebra crossings)
* Wayfinding signage

**Mitchell Walk**

Work has already been undertaken to make Mitchell Walk accessible for

all. The scheme includes step-free access, new CCTV and lighting.

**Project stages**

We will collect the views of local residents and businesses in order to design further improvements that will most effectively support walking and cycling.

Here are the indicative project stages:

**2022**

Now to 1 January 2023 - Resident and business online survey

Early December - Disabled residents workshop

December - Design team produces draft designs

**2023**

Mid-January - Resident and business workshop (in-person)

Mid-January - Resident and business workshop (online)

Late January - Disabled resident workshop

March and ongoing - Early construction works begin

**We want to hear from you**

**Resident survey**

We would like to hear your feedback on issues and suggestions for improvement schemes that will make Beckton better for walking and

cycling.

Please visit our website

newhamco-create.co.uk/en/projects/becktonwalkingandcycling

The survey is live until Sunday 1 January 2023!

**Disabled residents workshop**

The Council is working with Transport for All to host a workshop for disabled residents, to identify barriers and share ideas that will make Beckton better for walking, cycling and wheeling.

The workshop will take place in early December via Zoom.

To register your interest, please contact Transport for All:

020 3409 3007 (leave voicemail)

consultancy@transportforall.org.uk

www.transportforall.org.uk

**Contact information**

**Contact us**

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**Further information**

For more information, please visit our website using the URL:

www.newham.gov.uk/becktonwalkingandcycling

**Other languages**

For a translation of this document:

Visit shorturl.at/bHKT1 and enter code 1879798, or call 0203 373 4000

**Accessible formats**

Accessible formats are available on the Beckton Walking and Cycling website, and include:

• PDF

• Plain text (Word)

• Easy Read (simplified text)

• Audio recording

• British Sign Language summary