

## Forth Crossing Bridge Constructors

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Dear Neighbour,

FCBC, the contractor working on the Forth Replacement Crossing main contract on behalf of Transport Scotland, will be carrying the construction of a new site access adjacent to the B800 bridge near the Arup headquarters at Scotstoun, South Queensferry, commencing Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2012.

## Activity Description

The works consist of removal of soft material and the construction of an access track road comprising crushed stone and/or concrete.

After completion, the access will be used to provide access for the construction of the southbound public transport link works including drainage, earthworks, fencing, service diversions and roadworks.

## Timing and Hours of Work

The access construction works shall be carried out over a period of three days commencing Monday  $2^{nd}$  April 2012.

The subsequent public transport link works shall be continuous for the remainder of the contract commencing later in April 2012.

Hours of work Mon – Fri inclusive shall be 0730hrs to 1900hrs which includes personnel arriving at, and leaving from, work, with no plant starting up before 0800hrs. If Saturdays are worked, work shall be between 0800hrs and 1600hrs.

Whilst we will make every effort to adhere to the stated programme these dates may alter due to unforseen circumstances.

## Plant to be deployed

The access construction work shall be carried out using a small excavator, dumper, vibrating roller, generator, vibrating poker and concrete wagon.

On completion the access will be used by road going vehicles and general construction plant to continue with the construction of the public transport link later in April 2012.

The access construction and subsequent work is 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.

We would like to take this opportunity to apologise, in advance, for any inconvenience our activities may cause and also to thank you for your patience and consideration to date.

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 temporary Contact and Education Centre, currently located in the Forth Road Bridge offices on the south side of the existing Forth Road Bridge is manned 09:00hrs to 17:30hrs, Monday to Friday, and Saturdays 10:00hrs to 16:00hrs to deal with enquiries and to supply information.

Issued to – Residents nearest the Scotstoun access/QDCC.

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