



Forth Crossing Bridge Constructors

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Dear Neighbour,

Further to our Flier Ref F26, delivered to you last week, we confirm that the South Abutment concrete pour (referred to in that flier) was postponed due to the effects of adverse weather. Below, we describe the new arrangements which are exactly as they were previously but moved to Wednesday 3rd April 2013.

FCBC, the Principal Contractor working on the Forth Replacement Crossing on behalf of Transport Scotland is, on **Wednesday 3rd April 2013**, carrying out a large concrete pour to construct the base of the South Abutment of the new bridge. The South Abutment is located immediately in front of Inchgarvie House.

The pour shall involve placing approximately 1300 cubic metres of concrete, the largest concrete pour on the project to date.

The operation shall commence at 05:00 hours at the South Abutment and the concrete is planned to be in place by 20:00 hours with only finishing works happening between 20:00 hours and 22:00 hours.

The programme and the hours of work may vary due to unforeseen circumstances.

The plant shall involve a fleet of concrete wagons, concrete pumps, compressors and hand tools, temporary floodlighting and works vans.

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.

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 in the vicinity of the south abutment in Linn Mill, Clufflat, Springfield, QDCC and BRIGS.

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