

Communities Directorate Highways and Local Services

TEMPORARY TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT EMERGENCY SERVICES CONSULTATION REQUIREMENTS

Works promoters must determine traffic management and consultation requirements based on their own risk assessments. Where consultation is required, it has to be meaningful. The Council will consult the emergency services where necessary. This will not be needed for most jobs, but the grid below will help to determine whether or not it is. It is still for the works promoter or their agents to address any issues raised.

REMEMBER: This is a guide; there will always be non-standard situations which require a different approach.

	SHORT duration Up to 2 days or a weekend	MEDIUM duration Up to 14 days	LONG duration Any greater duration
LOW impact for example: Little impact on any road users No diversions Only minor delays expected. Not a scheduled bus route No bus stops taken out of use No impact on public buildings	No emergency services consultation will normally be required	No emergency services consultation will normally be required	Consult police via relevant NPT only (where relevant) Consultation with Fire and Ambulance services not normally required
MODERATE impact for example: Some delays and/or diversions Buses affected/stops suspended Some impacts at public buildings Some adverse economic impact (e.g. delays on major freight routes) Might affect adjacent strategic route	No emergency services consultation will normally be required	Consult police via relevant NPT only Consultation with Fire and Ambulance services not normally required	Consult police via relevant NPT only Consultation with Fire and Ambulance services not normally required
HIGH impact for example: The road is a strategic route Significant diversions or delays likely Significant impact at public buildings Significant traffic impacts Permanent traffic signals affected Planned event affected	Consult relevant NPT If the road is an 'A' road, also consult Motor Patrols Consultation with Fire and Ambulance services not normally required	Consult relevant NPT and Motor Patrols Consult Tyne & Wear Fire Service Advise North East Ambulance Service	Consult relevant NPT and Motor Patrols Consult Tyne & Wear Fire Service Advise North East Ambulance Service

GENERAL NOTES AND TIMESCALES

GREEN: Consultation will not normally be required, other than with those directly affected.

AMBER: A minimum of 7 working days must be allowed for consultees to respond.

RED: A minimum of 12 working days must be allowed for consultees to respond.

CONTACT DETAILS

Consultation indicated in grid	Contact	
Northumbria Police – NPT	Further details on Newcastle's NPT Sectors can be found by visiting: www.northumbria.police.uk/your-neighbourhood/central/newcastle/	
Northumbria Police - Motor Patrols	Further details on Newcastle's NPT Sectors can be found by visiting: https://beta.northumbria.police.uk/about-us/policies/general-policing-issues/motor-patrols-use-of-police-signs-by-the-fire-brigade/	
Tyne & Wear Fire & Rescue Service (Select the fire station which appears most appropriate)	Byker@twfire.gov.uk Gosforth@twfire.gov.uk NewcastleCentral@twfire.gov.uk WestDenton@twfire.gov.uk	
North East Ambulance Service	https://www.neas.nhs.uk/	
Newcastle City Council	Streetworks Admin Team: streetworks@newcastle.gov.uk Dave Fothergill: david.fothergill@newcastle.gov.uk	