



## Forth Crossing Bridge Constructors

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Dear Householder,

FCBC, the contractor working on the Forth Replacement Crossing principal contract on behalf of Transport Scotland, is shortly due to commence BP Enabling Works which includes fencing, soil stripping, earthworks, bund preparation and BP protection structure works in the vicinity of Dundas Home Farm.

In detail, the works shall include the erection of LMA (Land Made Available) fencing to delineate the site, the stripping of soil, the diversion of existing services, the bunding of soil to create a “false cutting” and the construction of a reinforced concrete protective structure over the existing BP pipeline.

### Description of the plant to be deployed and mitigation

The plant to be deployed shall include excavators, dump trucks, vibrating and deadweight rollers, tractors, compressors, road wagons, concrete truckmixers and small tools.

Noise, vibration and dust monitoring shall be deployed for the full duration of these works.

Modern plant shall be used and we shall ensure that adequate dust suppression is on hand to be applied when required. The earth bunds shall be created early in the process to provide a screen for both noise and vision.

### Timing and Hours of Work

The works shall be carried out, in accordance with the Code of Construction Practice, starting during week commencing 13 February 2012 and continuing throughout the year 2012.

Work shall generally be carried out within standard site hours i.e. 0800 hours to 1900 hours Monday to Friday with the option to work Saturday 0800 hours to 1800 hours.

In the unlikely event that we wish to work outside those hours we shall only do so with the permission of the Employer’s Representative and the Local Authority and we shall inform you accordingly in advance.

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

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.

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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](http://www.forthreplacementcrossing.info).**

**Should you have any queries, please contact our email [enquiries@forthreplacementcrossing.info](mailto: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 supply information.**

Issued to – Residents in the vicinity of Dundas Home Farm properties and Newbigging Lodge.

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