

# Briefing Note

## Newport City Council Brynglas Tunnels Refurbishment Update

3<sup>rd</sup> July 2017

Dear Councillor

The works on Malpas Viaduct as part of the ongoing Brynglas Tunnels refurbishment programme have been progressing well.

We have completed works on the Westbound on and off slips and are currently working on the Eastbound off slip until Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July. Once this has been completed, we will commence work on the Eastbound on slip which will be completed under full day and night closures from Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July:

Direction	Dates	Closure Times
Eastbound off Slip	3 <sup>rd</sup> to 13 <sup>th</sup> July Monday - Thursday	Overnight 20:00hrs – 06:00hrs
Eastbound on Slip	17 <sup>th</sup> to 20 <sup>th</sup> July	24 hours

Prior to the closure of the Eastbound on slip advance warning signs are to be erected to notify the travelling public on the Southbound A4051 and A4042, and Bettws traffic joining Malpas Road. All signage warning of the slip road closure will be erected at a minimum of 7 days in advance of the planned dates.

During the closure of the Eastbound off slip the designated diversion route is to travel to Junction 24 eastbound and return westbound to Junction 25a Grove Park roundabout, whereby vehicles can resume their intended journey towards Newport, Cwmbran or Pontypool.

During the Eastbound on slip closure the designated diversion is to travel westbound along the motorway to Junction 27 and return Eastbound. Traffic travelling along the A4042 southbound from Cwmbran and Pontypool wishing to travel Eastbound on the M4 will be signed to join the motorway at Junction 25a on slip at Grove Park.

We regret any disruption caused by the works and will endeavour to minimise any disruption.

