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Dear Councillors and Stakeholders

## Covid-19 Cycling and Walking Emergency Response Measures

### **Proposed Measures at Sciennes Primary Schools to aid safe travel to school – Phase II**

Please be advised that as part of overall emergency measures we are proposing to re-designate key parts of the road network to help pedestrians and cyclists travel safely while meeting physical distancing requirements.

I have attached the proposed designs for these schemes. In summary it shows:

- **Sciennes Road - Revoke parking to maintain HGV turning point into the Royal Hospital for Sick Children**
- **Sciennes Road – close road to all traffic, except waste vehicles and emergency services, whilst maintaining access for cyclists through barrier.**

Given the urgency to make the required changes any comments relating to these proposals should be received by **5pm on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> August 2020 to** [spacesforpeople@edinburgh.gov.uk](mailto:spacesforpeople@edinburgh.gov.uk).

All feedback will be reviewed and where possible the scheme will be further refined. Feedback will be summarised in an assessment feedback form which will be presented to the Council Incident Management Team for approval. Please note that we will be unable to respond to individual emails.

If the proposal is approved for implementation, publicity will then be undertaken so that local people are aware of the changes. A dedicated inbox will help us to manage any feedback around proposals – [spacesforpeople@edinburgh.gov.uk](mailto:spacesforpeople@edinburgh.gov.uk)

The introduction of, or changes to, any restrictions will be implemented under emergency delegated decision-making powers using a Temporary Traffic Regulation Order.

Regards

On behalf of the Spaces for People Team