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BPRDF - Covid 19 Emergency Measures - Kaimes Crossroads

Dear Bus Priority Rapid Deployment Team,

Spokes supports these measures to prioritise public transport. Some suggestions:

- Heading northbound from the junction, there is currently an existing narrow and barely visible cycle lane. The cycle lane should be refreshed and widened due to the large adjacent lane width (>4m).
- Junction box markings should be refreshed as they are badly worn at present.

Spokes is strongly of the view that all bus lanes (except in exceptional circumstances) should be 7-7-7, or even 24/7, to further prioritise public transport and cyclists who use them. Without extended hours of operation, new bus lanes risk providing additional capacity for general traffic.

Many thanks, Alex Robb Spokes Planning Group