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Dear Spokes Representative,

The City of Edinburgh Council (the Council) is seeking Sustrans Places for Everyone (PfE) funding to introduce improvements to the 'Powderhall Junction' (the Junction), as part of the wider Powderhall Bowling Greens and Waster Transfer Site regeneration. This study is seeking to enhance the Junction in order to balance the needs of all users, including pedestrians, cyclists and wheelers (wheelchairs, prams etc.). The Junction consists of the intersection between McDonald Road, Broughton Road (east and west), St. Marks Path (Quiet Route 20) and a new service / vehicular access to serve the new development proposals at the Powderhall Waste Transfer Site.

The work aims to improve and address safety concerns of cycling on Broughton Rd and McDonald Rd, and to increase use and awareness of the active travel network, providing priority for pedestrian and cycle movement which aligns closely with other projects being delivered within the Edinburgh City region.

### Have Your Say

A **community engagement event** will be held in Broughton Primary School (132 Broughton Rd, Edinburgh EH7 4LD) on Thursday the 15<sup>th</sup> September 2022 between 15:30 and 19:30. All are welcome, so please feel free to share the invite more widely. As a key stakeholder, you will be invited to attend a **stakeholder workshop** to be held via Microsoft Teams and invites will be sent shortly.

A survey is available online which closes on **25<sup>th</sup> September 2022** and can be viewed here:

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The information provided at this stage will be collated and will help to inform the development of concept designs that reflect the needs and aspirations of the local community.

This is the **first stage of engagement** on Powderhall Junction to inform the preparation of the concept design and we would welcome your feedback to help us identify challenges faced by all users of Powderhall Junction and highlight opportunities for improvements.

Kind regards,

**Powderhall Junction Project Team**

# Powderhall Junction Study - Online Survey

## Background

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The vision for the Junction is **to make it as easy as possible to move about the city without the need for motorised transport.**

The aims of the study are to:

- Promote a healthy, active and inclusive city through improved connectivity and the provision of safe spaces
- Improve access to key services via active travel for communities in the local area
- Achieve a measurable increase in cycling as an every day mode choice within five years of construction
- Contribute to the creation of a community led active travel corridor that incorporates local placemaking ideas through continued engagement with the local community
- Facilitate users of all abilities.

The Junction improvements that are being explored will provide significant value to the local community, particularly for people living and/or working in Broughton as well as those travelling through the area.

This study will help transform the streets of Edinburgh in favour of walking, wheeling and cycling, which aligns closely with other projects being delivered within the Edinburgh City region.

## Have your say

Stantec, on behalf of the Council, is undertaking an online public survey in order to understand the existing challenges faced by users of the Junction and highlight any opportunities for improvements. This information will help us to further develop the concept design for the Junction. Once the concept design has been developed, there will be further opportunities to comment through public consultation events including surveys and in-person events.

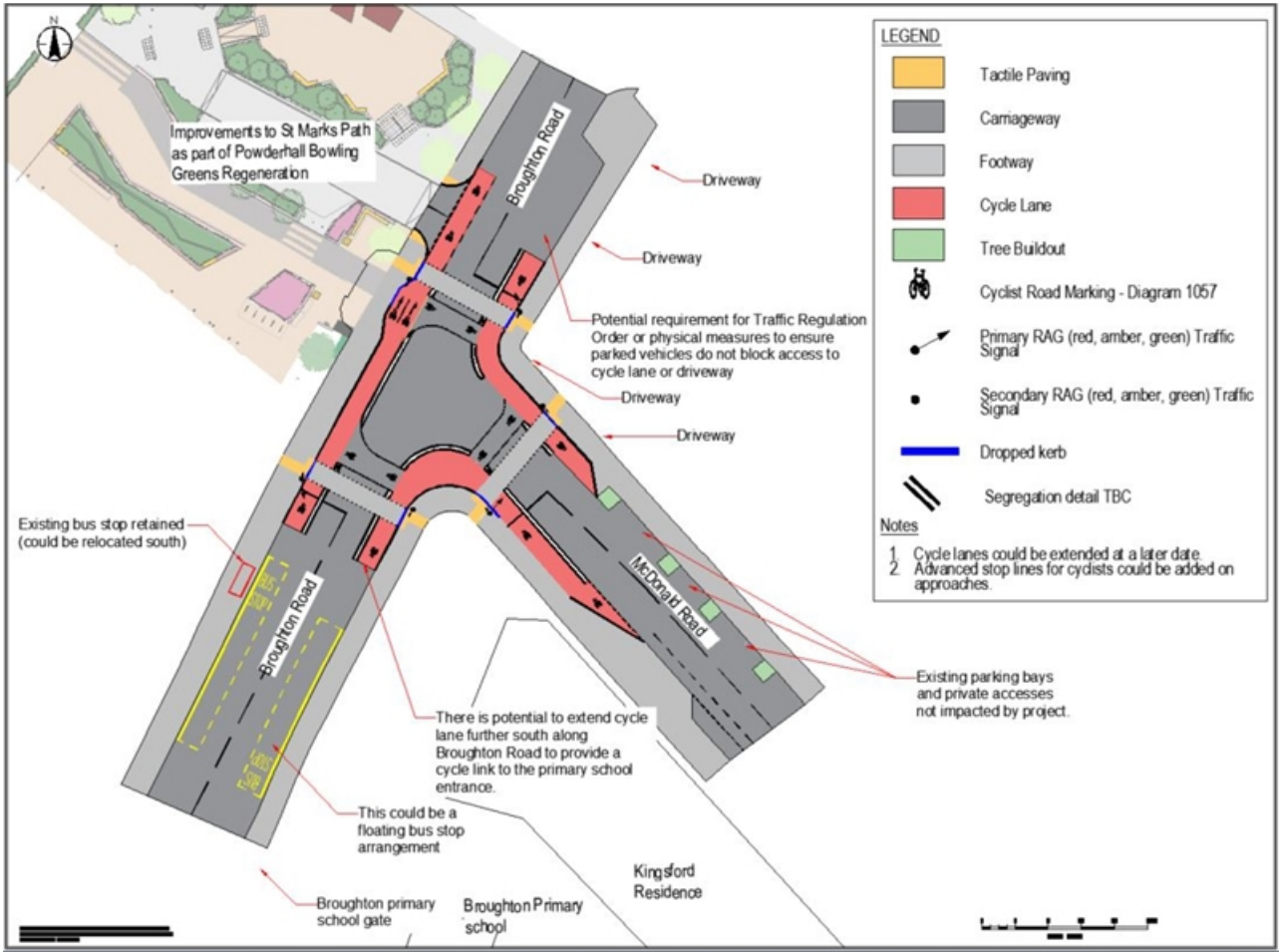
The survey will run until **Sunday 25th September 2022.**

Please allow up to 10 minutes to complete the survey.

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Proposed scheme design of the Junction



Map of Study Area

