

Public notice

Dante Road permeable road closure



*The London Borough of Southwark (Prescribed routes) (Dante Road) Traffic Order 202**

1. Southwark Council hereby GIVES NOTICE that it proposes to make the above order under the powers of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984¹, as amended.
2. The effects of the order would be:-
 - (a) to formalise a point road closure prohibiting the movement of motor vehicles, with certain exemptions including that of emergency services access, which will be physically enforced with traffic signs and a lockable fire gate, in DANTE ROAD at a point 12 metres north-west of its junction with Newington Butts; and
 - (b) to remove, now redundant, directional traffic restrictions (banned turns) in DANTE ROAD and NEWINGTON BUTTS at the junction of Dante Road and Newington Butts.
3. For more information about these proposals please contact Tobias Allen of the Council's Highways – Transport Projects team Highways@southwark.gov.uk .
4. Copies of this notice, the proposed order, a statement of the council's reasons for making this change and plans may be found online at www.southwark.gov.uk/trafficorders. Paper copies may be obtained from or viewed at Highways, 3rd floor hub 2, 160 Tooley Street, London SE1 2QH by appointment only. Contact traffic.orders@southwark.gov.uk or 020 7525 3497 for booking details.
5. Anyone wishing to object to or make any other representations regarding the proposal, may use the form labelled '*Parking - Road traffic and highway schemes - responding to statutory consultation notices*' at www.southwark.gov.uk/statutoryconsultationnotices or send a statement in writing to: Traffic Order Consultations, Highways, Southwark Council, Environment and Leisure, P.O. Box 64529, London SE1P 5LX or by e-mail to traffic.orders@southwark.gov.uk quoting reference '*TMO2122-008 Dante Road*' by 12 August 2021. Please note that if you wish to object to this proposal you must state the grounds on which your objection is made.
6. Under requirements of current access to information legislation, any letter or e-mail sent to the Council in response to this Notice may be subject to publication or disclosure, or both, including communication to other persons affected.

Dated 22 July 2021

Dale Foden Head of Service - Highways, Environment and Leisure

¹ 1984 c.27

Statement of reasons

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This scheme aims to regulate the flow of traffic in the Newington area, St George's ward in the London Borough of Southwark.

After successful trialling of this closure at the location, the decision has been made to formalise a point road closure in Dante Road located at a point 12 metres north-west of its junction with Newington Butts, which prohibits the movement of motor vehicles with certain exemptions including that of emergency services access.

The closure is physically enforced by traffic signs and a lockable Fire Service access gate, with room to allow cyclists to pass either side.

It is necessary to also remove redundant directional traffic restrictions (banned turns) in both streets at the junction of Dante Road and Newington Butts.

Decision background: <https://moderngov.southwark.gov.uk/ieDecisionDetails.aspx?Id=7244>

Dated 22 July 2021

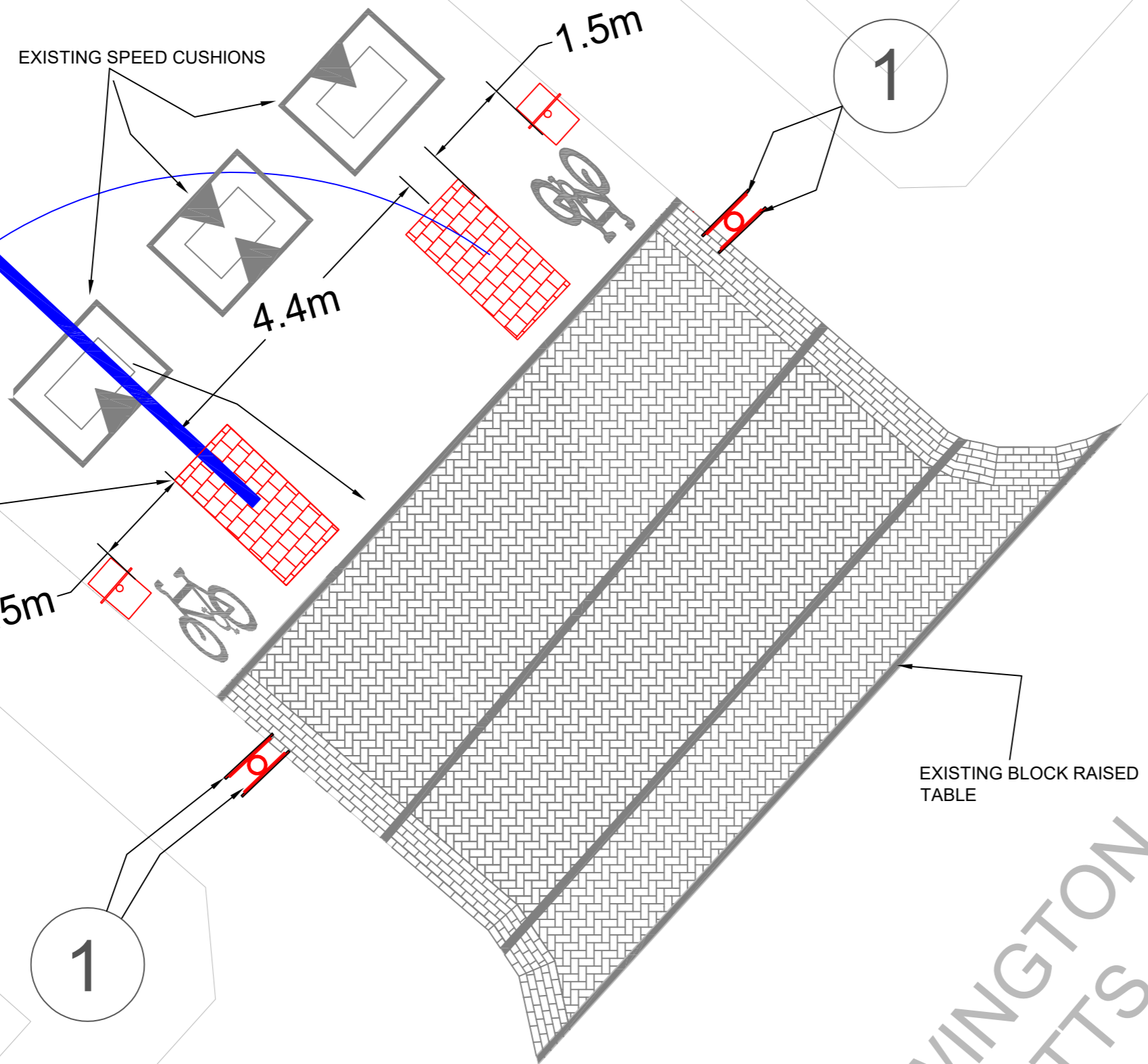
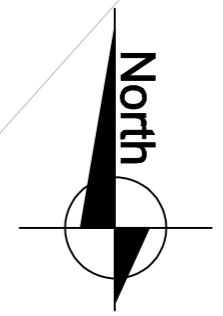
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DANTE ROAD






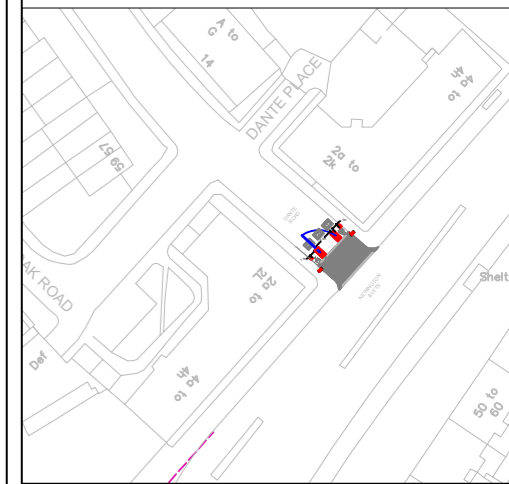
PROPOSAL - MAKE CURRENT GATE LOCATION AT JUNCTION WITH NEWINGTON BUTTS PERMANENT

EXISTING SPEED CUSHIONS

EXISTING BLOCK RAISED TABLE

NOTES

-  NAL BLOCK WITH SIGNAGE
-  EXISTING POST
-  DIAGRAM 619 SIGN



REV	DATE	REVISION DESCRIPTION / DETAILS	DRN BY	CHKD BY	APPRD BY



PROJECT: DANTE ROAD - PERMANENT CLOSURE CLOSURE LOCATION

TITLE: MASTERPLAN

STATUS:	REVISION 1.0	DRAWN	TA
SCALE:	1:75	DESIGNED	TA
DRAWING NO:	LBS/DRFG1	CHECKED	AS
DATE DRAWN:	06 MARCH 2019	APPROVED	RW
DATE ISSUED:	12 AUGUST 2019	REV	1.0

NEWINGTON BUTTS



THE COUNCIL OF THE LONDON BOROUGH OF SOUTHWARK

TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ORDER

202* No. xxx

The London Borough of Southwark (Prescribed routes) (Dante Road) Traffic Order 202*

Made: xx xxxxxx 202*

Coming into force: xx xxxxxx 202*

The council of the London Borough of Southwark, after consulting the Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 6 and 124 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984^a, as amended, and of all other powers thereunto enabling, hereby make the following Order:

Citation and commencement

- 1.1 This Order may be cited as the London Borough of Southwark (Prescribed routes) (Dante Road) Traffic Order 202* and shall come into force on xx xxxxxx 202*.

Interpretation

- 2.1 In this Order:-

causing includes permitting;

“council” means the council of the London Borough of Southwark;

“enactment” means any enactment, whether public general or local, and includes any order, bye-law, rule, regulation, scheme or other instrument having effect by virtue of an enactment;

“motor vehicle” has the same meaning as in section 136 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984;

“prescribed routes”, for the purposes of Article 5 means any street or part of street referred to in Article 4 of this Order; and

“traffic sign” means a sign of any size, type and colour prescribed and authorised under, or having effect as though prescribed or authorised under section 64 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

- 2.2 Any reference in this Order to any enactment shall be construed as a reference to that enactment as amended, applied, consolidated, re-enacted by or as having effect by virtue of any subsequent enactment.

^a 1984 c.27

Revocations

- 3.1 Without prejudice to the validity of anything done, or to any liability incurred in respect of any act or omission before the coming into force of this Order, the London Borough of Southwark (Prescribed Route) Traffic Management Order 1965/691^b is hereby revoked in its entirety.

Prescribed routes

- 4.1 No person causing any motor vehicle to proceed in that part of Dante Road, which lies north-west of a point 12 metres north-west of its junction with Newington Butts shall, upon reaching that point, cause that motor vehicle to enter into that part of Dante Road which lies south-east of a point 12 metres north-west of its junction with Newington Butts.
- 4.2 No person causing any motor vehicle to proceed in Newington Butts or that part of Dante Road, which lies south-east of a point 12 metres north-west of its junction with Newington Butts shall, upon reaching that point, cause that motor vehicle to enter into that part of Dante Road which lies north-west of a point 12 metres north-west of its junction with Newington Butts.

Exemptions

- 5.1 Nothing in Article 4 above shall apply in relation to:-
- (a) anything done with the permission or at the direction of a police constable in uniform;
 - (b) any vehicle being used for ambulance, fire brigade or police purposes in an emergency;
 - (c) any person who causes any vehicle to proceed in accordance with any restriction or requirement indicated by traffic signs placed on the highway pursuant to section 66 or section 67 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984;
 - (d) any vehicle being used for the maintenance, improvement, re-construction, cleansing or lighting of that part of street; and
 - (e) any vehicle being used in connection with the laying, erection, alteration, or repair in or adjacent to a pedestrian and cycle zone of any sewer, main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water, electricity, or of any electronic communications network (as defined in section 32 of the Communications Act 2003^c), or the placing, maintenance or removal of any traffic sign, if the vehicle cannot be used for that purpose in any other street or part thereof.

Dated this xxxxxxxxxxxx day of xxxx 202*

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DALE FODEN

Head of Service, Highways
Environment and Leisure

^b LBS 1965/691

^c 2003 c.21

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order:-

- (i) introduces a point road closure (lockable fire gate) prohibiting the movement of motor vehicles (with certain exemptions) in Dante Road, between its junction with Newington Butts and a point 12 metres north-west of that junction; and
 - (ii) removes the, now redundant, directional traffic restrictions (banned turns) at the junction of Dante Road and Newington Butts;
- in the London Borough of Southwark.