



Utility Diversions – Leith Walk

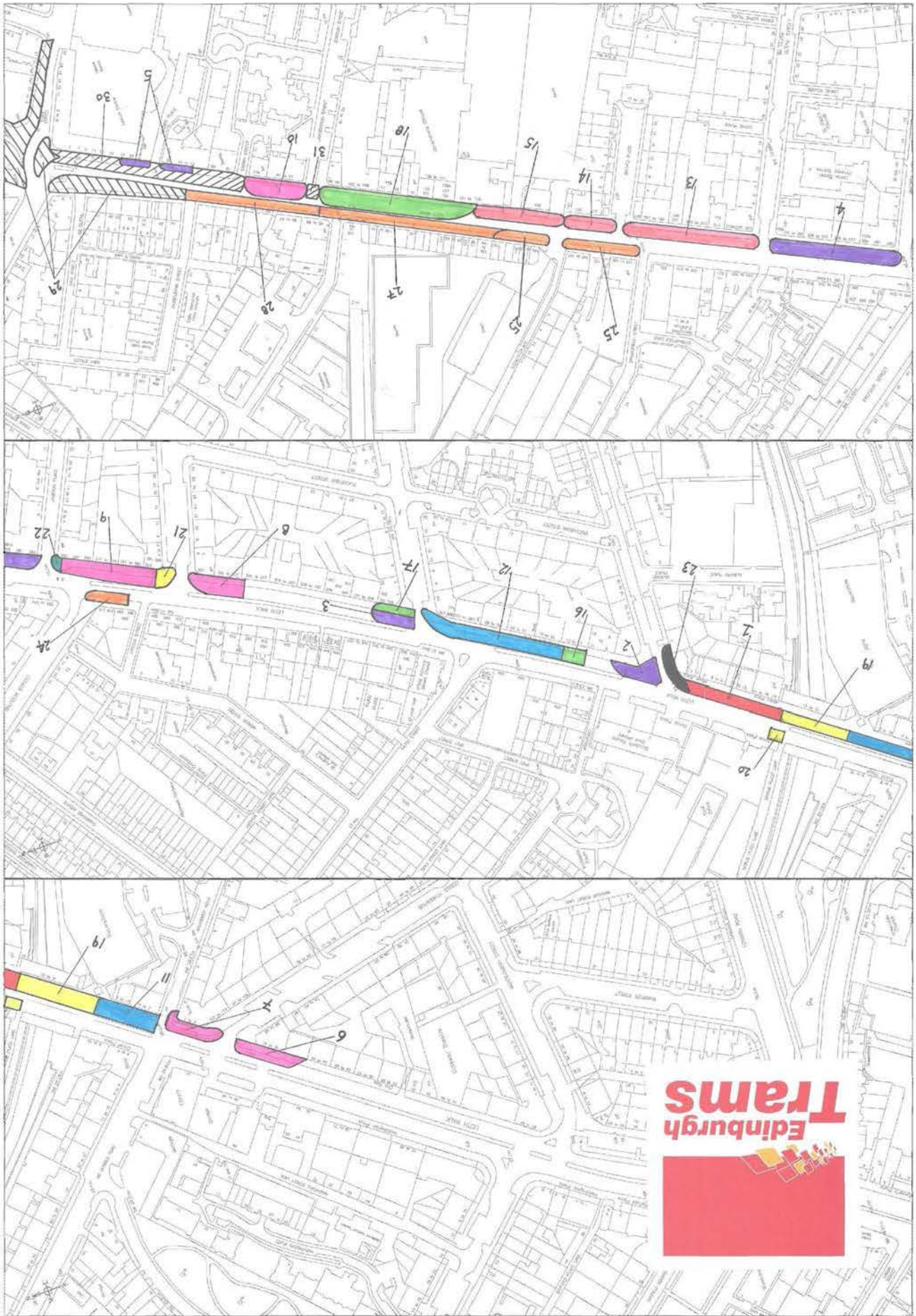
From the end of April 2008 the main utility diversion programme will be completed on Leith Walk. Details are listed in the table below and a map of the colour coded areas can be viewed overleaf.

AREA NO.	LOCATION	START DATE	END DATE	NOTES
1	3-17 Albert Place	Existing	25 th April 2008	
2	Corner of Albert St.	Existing	2 nd May 2008	
3	Corner of Iona St.	Existing	2 nd May 2008	
4	229-263 Corner of Jameson Pl. & Lorne St.	Existing	2 nd May 2008	Roadway cleared by 2 nd May. Minor 20m sections ongoing until 16 th May on pavement.
5	21-55 Corner of Crown Pl.	Existing	2 nd May 2008	
6	72-75 Corner of Brunswick St.	Existing	9 th May 2008	
7	1-3 Corner of Brunswick St./Rd.	Existing	9 th May 2008	
8	297 & 301-307 Corner of Dalmeny St.	Existing	9 th May 2008	
9	265-289 & 293	Existing	9 th May 2008	
10	77-91 Corner of Crown St. & Manderston St.	Existing	9 th May 2008	
11	4-10 Corner of Brunswick Rd.	Existing	16 th May 2008	
12	13-32 & 372-381 Corner of Iona St.	Existing	16 th May 2008	Last 2 weeks on footpath only
13	185-227 Corner of Smith's Pl. & Lorne St.	Existing	23 rd May 2008	Last 3 wks = 1 lane of carriageway under TM
14	169-177 Corner of Smith's Pl.	28 th April 2008	23 rd May 2008	Last 2 wks = 1 lane of carriageway under TM
15	135-165	Existing	23 rd May 2008	
16	13-17	Existing	30 th May 2008	
17	Corner of Iona St.	26 th May 2008	30 th May 2008	Junction of Iona/Leith
18	99-131 Corner of Manderston St.	Existing	30 th May 2008	
19	19-31	Existing	6 th June 2008	
20	Corner of Shrub Pl. Lane	28 th April 2008	6 th June 2008	
21	Corner of Dalmeny St.	2 nd June 2008	6 th June 2008	Junction of Dalmeny/Leith
22	Corner of Jameson Pl.	9 th June 2008	13 th June 2008	Junction of Jameson/Leith
23	Corner of Albert St.	9 th June 2008	20 th June 2008	Junction of Albert/Leith
24	276-282 Corner of Balfour St.	Existing	27 th June 2008	
25	166-180 Corner of Stead's Pl. & Springfield St.	Existing	27 th June 2008	
26	142-150	Existing	27 th June 2008	Footpath only
27	100-140	2 nd June 2008	27 th June 2008	
28	80-98	12 th May 2008	27 th June 2008	
29	Corner of Duke St. & Great Junction St.	Existing	4 th July 2008	
30	3-18	7 th July 2008	21 st July 2008	
31	Corner of Manderston St.	7 th July 2008	21 st July 2008	

There will be additional works requiring traffic management following the programme above. These include the installation of utility crossings and the abandonment of utility apparatus, which conflicts with the tram alignment. The traffic management arrangements required for these remaining works will be localised and much smaller than presently seen on Leith Walk.

The utility crossings are planned to be carried out by installing a one way system on Leith Walk, with traffic flowing southbound on Leith Walk and making the return northbound journey via Easter Road. The one way system is to commence once Duke Street is returned to two way flow in early July.

Edinburgh's businesses will remain open and accessible and welcome your continued patronage.



News Flash!

New Tram Information Boards are being installed on Leith Walk in May 2008. They will provide up to date project information and will be located at the following locations:

- Foot of the Walk, beside the Queen Victoria Statue
- Near Jane Street
- Near Manderston Street
- West side of Balfour Street junction
- Shrub Hill
- Near Brunswick Road
- Annandale Street junction
- Near Greenside Lane

Businesses

The tram project team will continue to contact all local businesses to fully discuss any issues arising from the works. Each business within and around the work sites will remain open for business as usual.

Residents

Access to homes in the construction area will continue to be maintained throughout the works and any special needs will be addressed. If you are concerned about a delivery to your property, please call the helpline on 0131 623 8726 and choose Option 2.

Buses / Taxis

tie has been working closely with Lothian Buses to ensure that diverted routes cause minimal disruption to travel (this includes other bus operators). You can access specific bus information by visiting www.lothianbuses.com or your local operator's website. Taxis can also use the diversion routes highlighted and taxi stance locations will remain unaffected.

Motorists

Drivers travelling on Leith Walk should follow the signed diversion routes to their destination. There will be a number of temporary parking restrictions in place, which will be signposted. We would ask all drivers to assist us in keeping the city centre roads clear and to keep Edinburgh moving.

Shoppers / Tourists

Throughout the works Leith Walk will continue to be open for shoppers and tourists. Any changes to access will be clearly signposted. For your safety we would ask that all pedestrians use the clearly signed pedestrian routes around the work sites.

Cyclists

We are in close dialogue with Spokes to agree any future amendments to cycling routes during construction. In the interim, cyclists should follow the appropriate traffic diversions. For more information, visit www.spokes.org.uk.

Special Needs and Emergency Services

All pedestrian routes will have disabled access. For any specific needs or requirements, please contact us using the information below. Consultation has taken place with all emergency services and an agreed protocol is in place.

Learn more / Share your thoughts

- Speak to the uniformed tram construction advisers who will be at every work site
- Customer Helpline: 0131 623 8726
- Email: roadworks@tramsforedinburgh.com
- Website: www.tramsforedinburgh.com

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