

General Information	
Ministerial Decision Type	Miscellaneous
Report Title	Short term closure of Lay-bys 3 and 2 Victoria Avenue
Minister	Infrastructure
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Lead Department	Infrastructure, Housing and Environment (IHE)
Lead Directorate	Operations and Transport (IHE)
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Associated Law(s) and/or Subordinate Legislation	Road Traffic (Public Parking Places) (Jersey) Order 2006
Action required if recommendation agreed	Department to take necessary action.
Resource Implications	There are additional financial and/or manpower implications. Further detail is included in the detail section of the report.

Introduction

The Island Energy Group has requested the temporary closure of Lay-by 3 Victoria Avenue from 8am Monday 3rd October to Saturday 21st October 2022. Then Lay-by 2 from 8am Monday 24th October to Saturday 5th November 2022, for the laying of a new replacement Gas main.

Recommendations

The Minister is recommended to approve the closure of the two lay-bys on Monday 3rd October 2022 to Saturday 21st October then Monday 24th October to Saturday 5th November 2022 for the laying of the new Gas main.

Detail

A request has been received from the Island Energy Group (formally Jersey Gas) to suspend parking in Lay-bys 3 and 2, respectively. This is to finish laying the new replacement gas main that runs along the avenue and then up the Railway walk.

The works will be carried out by the Island Energy Group and their appointed contractors.

As the gas main runs down the centre of the Lay-bys parking will have to be suspended for the duration of the works.

These works have been put back to the winter months after consultation, to cause minimal disruption to the public and events. As this is the winter period the neighbouring Lay-bys will be able to cope with the displaced vehicles.

Resource implications

The Island Energy Group will meet all the costs for temporary signage and site safety.

Background

The Road Traffic (Public Parking Places) (Jersey) Order 2006 is administered by the Minister for Infrastructure.

Article 3 (c) of the Road Traffic (Public Parking Places) (Jersey) Order 2006 allows the controlling body of a parking place to close for any period and for any purpose the whole or any part of a parking place by notice displayed at the parking place.