

Guidance Bulletin 24-2023



ALL CHANGE!

Changes on site, Permit Conditions and Fixed Penalty Notices

Changes to certain aspects of a works without communicating the change to the Highway Authority can lead to a FIXED PENALTY NOTICE being issued with a potential value of £120 each.

What changes matter?

- Pedestrian Management If you need to close the footway on a site you should contact your Site Manager or
 Streetworks Team to ensure the permit is updated to reflect the fact that the footway will be closed BUT you must
 adhere to the Hierarchy for pedestrians as closing a footway is a last resort.
- Traffic Management If the TM changes on a site you should contact your Site Manager or Streetworks Team to
 ensure the permit is updated to reflect the new TM type for example the permit stated Give and Take but on site you
 are now using Traffic Lights.
- Working Method If the working method changes on a site you should contact your Site Manager or Streetworks
 Team to ensure the permit is updated to reflect the new method for example the permit stated trenchless but on site
 you are now using open cut.
- Works Location If the Works Location substantially changes on a site you should contact your Site Manager or
 Streetworks Team to ensure the permit is updated to reflect the location type for example the permit stated Footway
 but on site you are now working in the Carriageway.

Permit Conditions

- Failing to Display It is an offence worth £120 if you do not display the correct permit number on site at all times.
- Breach of Conditions It is an offence worth £120 if you do not make sure you have complied with all the conditions
 of the permit. These must be in your work pack.

DO'S & DON'TS

- DO Check that you know the Permit Conditions for your works, and you have a copy of them and the
 permits for all the streets in your project pack on site
- DO Talk to your Site Manager or Streetworks Team if you are in any doubt what the conditions mean and what you must do to comply with them.
- DO Check that the conditions are always available on site when the site is occupied
- DO Ensure that all site operatives are aware of what conditions they are working to.
- DO Contact your Site Manager or Streetworks Team if <u>ANYTHING CHANGES</u> on site just in case, we need to update the permit
- DON'T Assume always check that the permit is granted, and you can start works
- DON'T Accept a work pack without a copy of the permits and conditions for the whole project so <u>ALL</u> STREETS
- DON'T Change anything on site without checking with your Site Manager or Streetworks Team

