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**Neighbourhood and Commercial** 

Strategic Director: Michele Moloney

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Dear Resident / Business owner,

## RE: Lea Bridge Road improvements update - Section H

We are writing to update you about the next stage of works in preparation for converting the Whipps Cross roundabout to a T-junction. Back in February this year, we wrote to let you know we would be conducting preliminary works around the Wood Street junction with Lea Bridge Road.

Preliminary works around the existing roundabout will start on **Monday 14 August 2017** which are expect to be completed by October 2017, weather permitting.

The upcoming work around the junction is the second phase of converting the Whipps Cross roundabout into a signalised T- junction. The works is being staged to reduce the impact of construction on the road network. This stage of work will include, but not limited to, ducting, relocating lighting columns, repairs / replacement to the existing foul sewers, and removal of some of the traffic islands.

While the majority of these preliminary works will not impact on traffic flow, some works will occur in the carriageway which will require short term partial lane closures which may impact journey times on Lea Bridge Road. You may wish to adjust your travel, and share this information with your visitors, customers and suppliers. To allow the work to take place safely with as little disruption as possible, please look out for signs along the road to warn drivers of the disruption, as well as pedestrian and cycle diversions if needed. The existing Whipps Cross roundabout will remain operational during this second stage of works.

We will be doing everything we can to keep disruption to a minimum, and will provide regular updates on our webpage, <a href="http://www.enjoywalthamforest.co.uk/lea-bridge-road/cons-upd/">http://www.enjoywalthamforest.co.uk/lea-bridge-road/cons-upd/</a>. This will help you, friends, family and visitors plan journeys, and if you are a business, help your customers and suppliers to plan journeys during the work.

If you require further information or have any questions relating to the scheme please:

- Visit www.enjoywalthamforest.co.uk/lea-bridge-road
- Email enjoy@walthamforest.gov.uk
- Call 020 8496 3000

Kind regards,

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