

Forth Road Bridge Proposed Restrictions 2009-2015

Year	Month	Restriction	Project	Status
2009-2010	August-Spring	Overnight carriageway closures as required plus limited number of total bridge closures (00:30 to 03:30)	Tower Painting (erection of Dropped Object Canopy at North Main Tower)	Works in progress.
2009	Autumn	Overnight carriageway closures	Installation of new Weigh in Motion System	Works be prepared.
2009-2010	Autumn – Summer	Overnight carriageway closures	Installation of main expansion joint fail safe measures	Materials being procured
2009-2010	November – October	Footway/cycleway and possible overnight carriageway closures	Installation of new access to main expansion joints	Contractor to be appointed October 2009
2010-2011	TBC	Lane/carriageway restrictions	Improvements to deck half joints (trial)	Design being prepared
2010-2013	Spring – Spring	Possible overnight restrictions – carriageway closures and weight restrictions	Viaduct bearing replacement	Tender to be issued October 2009
2010	Spring	Weekend contraflows (potential)	Viaduct waterproofing and resurfacing trials	Consultant to be appointed September 2009.
2010-2011	November – Spring	Overnight carriageway closures as required plus limited number of total bridge closures (00:30 to 03:30)	Tower Painting (dismantling of Dropped Object Canopy at North Main Tower)	Dependent on progress painting north main tower during 2010.
2012	April - June	Weekend contraflows	Viaduct waterproofing and resurfacing plus resurfacing of north approach	Consultant to be appointed September 2009.
2011-2013	TBC	Lane/carriageway restrictions	Replacement of Truss End Links	Feasibility
2011-2013	TBC	Lane/carriageway restrictions	Main Tower Wind Barriers	Feasibility
2012-2014	TBC	Overnight carriageway restrictions	Main Cable Investigation	Consultant to be appointed
2013-2015	TBC	Narrow Lanes	Viaduct Barrier Replacement	Dependent on results of full scale testing.

Notes: 1. Subject to confirmation following tender awards.

2. Overnight carriageway closures for routine maintenance and carrying out parts of the capital works will be ongoing throughout.