

Exeter Freight Quality Partnership - Action Plan

Action	Lead Partners	Project Manager	Consultees	Target Date
1. Install strategic signing on the M5 and A30(E) to the main industrial estates	LSG, HA, NM	Richard Oldfield	ECC, MBF, SF, FTA, RHA	March 2003
2. Development of drivers maps, including assessment of existing maps, use of the internet and input to computerised mapping systems	LSG, ECC, MBF, SF	Adrian Jelfs	FTA, RHA, NM	March 2003
3. Review the provision of information boards at industrial estates and motorway service areas	ECC, LSG	Ruth Sanders	MBF, SF, FTA, RHA	April 2003
4. Additional enforcement of illegal parking, targeting areas of concern and setting up a pilot scheme	Police, LSG	Dennis Symons	ECC	Ongoing
5. Study/put forward proposals for the city centre regarding loading/unloading problems including loading bays, service areas, illegal parking, amendments to hours of deliveries and pedestrian priority areas having regard for the Exeter Local Plan	LSG, ECC	Richard Oldfield	FTA, RHA, Police, NM, John Harvey	June 2003
6. Evaluate pilot schemes on the Marsh Barton Industrial Estate for shared deliveries and collections and to develop and assist deliveries by bicycle. Assess possible transshipment arrangements	MBF, LSG, ECC	Richard Jacobs / Mike Walker	FTA, RHA, FOE, NM	July 2003
7. Extension of bus/HGV priority lanes on main routes	LSG, ECC	Richard Oldfield	FTA, RHA, Police	December 2002
8. Investigate and encourage local distribution networks for local food produce and manufactured goods with the aim of reducing freight mileage	FOE, NM	Maurice Spurway	Ian Hutchcroft, LSG, ECC	April 2003
9. Assist maximising freight by rail and air.	ECC, NM	Richard Oldfield	EWS, LSG, FOE, FTA	Ongoing
10. Works/publicity to improve safety of vulnerable road users including pedestrians and cyclists	LSG, ECC	Adrian Jelfs	FOE, RHA, NM, FTA	Ongoing
11. Investigate better provision for overnight lorry parking for Exeter and surrounding area	ECC NM	Ruth Sanders	FTA, RHA, LSG, Police MBF, SF	May 2003
12. Research best practice elsewhere	NM, LSG, ECC	Dick Taylor	All	Ongoing

Abbreviations:

HA; Highways Agency FTA; Freight Transport Association RHA; Road Haulage Association FOE; Exeter Friends of the Earth MBF; Marsh Barton Forum SF; Sowton Forum
EWS; English Welsh and Scottish Railway ECC; Exeter City Council LSG; Devon County Council Exeter Local Service Group NM; Devon County Council Network Management Group