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Dear Resident,

World Pipe Band Championships – Friday 16th & Saturday 17th August 2019

The World Pipe Band Championships is returning to Glasgow Green and continues with the same format as last year. This letter explains the impact in your area and the alternative access and parking arrangements which will be put in place for you.

On Friday 16th August, we will host the Grade One qualifying event. Saturday 17th August will be the main event day across the whole of Glasgow Green. As well as the World Pipe Band Championships, the event will also feature the highland games, highland dancing, a kids zone and a food and drink area celebrating Scottish produce.

We understand and appreciate the importance of maintaining use and access to as much of the green as possible for the public. For safety reasons and in line with construction regulations, we will have to restrict access to certain areas of The Green from Friday 9th August to Tuesday 20th August 2019. We have committed to keeping open for the entirety of the build and de-rig, the riverside path, St Andrews Bridge and the play park on the west of the Green. For public safety, the play park on the west of the Green will be closed on Saturday 17th August. The play park on the east of the Green will be out with the event perimeter and will therefore remain open for the duration.

On Friday 16th August, the riverside path will be closed from the West Boathouse however, an alternative route through the park will be sign posted. On Saturday 17th August 2019, the riverside path will be closed from west of the St Andrew's Bridge to Saltmarket. St Andrew's Bridge will be open throughout the event, please follow the directions of event stewards whilst vehicles are leaving the event site.

I have attached a copy of the Temporary Traffic Regulation Order for your information and more details are as follows;

Greendyke Street (from London Road to Turnbull Street) and Charlotte Street will be closed to normal traffic on Saturday 17th August. The closures will be implemented at 0400hrs on Saturday 17th August and will stay in place until 2359hrs on Saturday 17th August. Parking restrictions to help implement these closures



will operate from 1600hrs on Friday 16th August.

During this period an alternative access and egress route for residents who use the Lanark Street entrance will be jointly controlled by Police Scotland and SecuriGroup Stewards. This will be:

- Greendyke Street onto Lanark Street for access.
- Lanark Street onto Charlotte Street for egress.

Stewards will be situated at the junction of Greendyke Street and London Road, **please retain your copy of this letter to gain access on event days.** Drivers with any questions, issues or queries on the day will be directed to a secondary stewarding point 100 metres along Greendyke Street.

Residents who normally park on Greendyke Street or Charlotte Street are advised to relocate their vehicles by 2200hrs on Friday 16th August. Any vehicles still parked in these areas after 2200hrs on Friday 16th August will be removed by Glasgow City Council Neighbourhoods and Sustainability.

Vehicles will still have access to drive south on Turnbull Street and turn right onto Greendyke Street and then onto Saltmarket. In addition, pedestrian access along the north side of Greendyke Street will not be affected.

To alleviate inconvenience to local residents with regards to parking we will ensure the following:

- Residents who would normally use the Lanark Street entrance can access their parking area from Greendyke Street at London Road using the fenced lane provided. On approach to the junction of Charlotte Street, there will be a controlled crossing point for vehicles accessing Charlotte Street.
- Dyers Lane and London Road entrances will operate as normal.

We will provide security at each entrance from 0600hrs to 2000hrs on Friday 16th and Saturday 17th August to assist with the Residents Only Parking Policy and ensure that only residents with a copy of this letter gain access to parking within the Homes of the Future development.

We would also like to offer all residents in receipt of this letter four complimentary tickets for the event on a day of your choice, either Friday 16th August or Saturday 17th August. These tickets can be collected from **Glasgow City Halls Box Office** during the week of Monday 12th August to Thursday 15th August between 1000hrs -1800hrs and also on Friday 16th August at the World Pipe Band Championships Box Office at the Greendyke Street entrance from 1000hrs and 1700hrs. Please bring this letter along with a utility bill as proof of address.

We will be holding an information session at the People's Palace on Tuesday 30th of July from 1700hrs – 1900hrs. We would encourage you to attend this session if you would like to discuss the arrangements.

This event is organised by the Glasgow Life Events Team and with your co-operation we will make every effort to ensure the event runs smoothly with as little disruption to the local area as possible. Further information can be found by visiting www.theworlds.co.uk and should you wish further clarification on the contents of this letter then please call 0141 287 8985 or e-mail theworlds@glasgowlife.org.uk

We hope the information in this letter will prove useful to you in planning your movements around the event. We thank you for your co-operation and hope that you can join us in experiencing this wonderful Championship.

Yours faithfully



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**GLASGOW CITY COUNCIL
(WORLD PIPE BAND CHAMPIONSHIP)
(TEMPORARY TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT) ORDER 2019**

Glasgow City Council in exercise of the powers conferred on them by Section 62(1) of the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984, as amended, and of all other enabling powers being satisfied that traffic on the lengths of road specified in the Schedule hereto should be prohibited or restricted to facilitate the holding of the World Pipe Band Championship and to enable members of the public to watch this event and being satisfied that it is not reasonably practicable for the event to be held without the following roads being restricted and having had regard to the safety and convenience of alternative routes suitable for traffic which will be affected by this Order, hereby make the following Order.

04:00hrs on the 17 August 2019 to 23:59hrs on the 17 August 2019

1. **Charlotte Street**, between Greendyke Street and London Road
2. **Greendyke Street**, between Turnbull Street and London Road

SCHEDULE 2

NO WAITING AND NO LOADING

15:00hrs on 15 August 2019 to 23:59hrs on 17 August 2019

1. **Charlotte Street**, both sides, between Greendyke Street and London Road.
2. **Greendyke Street**, both sides, between Turnbull Street and London Road.
3. **Arcadia Street**, both sides, between London Road and The Green.
4. **The Green**, both sides, between Arcadia Street and King's Drive.
5. **West Carriageway**, both sides, between Greendyke Street and The Peoples Palace.
6. **Monteith Row**, both sides, between Monteith Place and Greendyke St.
7. **Templeton Street**, Both sides for its entire length

Effect

The Order will apply to the specified roads at the above times and dates, as indicated by appropriate traffic signs or under the instruction of a police officer in uniform and the effect will be to impose temporary restrictions on use.

Duration

The Order will come into force at 15:00hrs on the fifteenth Day of August, two thousand and nineteen and shall have effect for three days only.

This Order can be inspected during office hours at Traffic and Road Safety, 231 George Street, Exchange House, Glasgow.