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We want to make it better  
for people to cycle and walk  
in Beckton

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Easy read booklet  
November 2022



# Who we are and what this booklet is about



We are **Newham Council**. We want Beckton to be a great place for people to walk and cycle.



We have a plan to make it easier and safer for people to walk and cycle in Beckton, but we want your help.



We want to know what changes you would like us to make. We have written some questions for you to answer and to tell us what you think. This is called a survey.

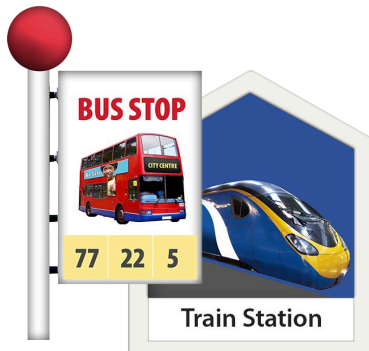


This booklet tells you about the changes we want to make and where you can find our survey.

# Where we will make changes



We have chosen 4 places in Beckton that we want to change so they are better for people to walk and cycle. We call these our 4 key areas.



## 1. Beckton Town Centre

A busy place where people shop and travel from Beckton bus and train station. We want to make it easier for people to get to Asda.



## 2. Tollgate Road

A road that goes across Beckton and helps people get to houses, shops and the **community**.



**Community** means where you live and the people you know.



### 3. Woolwich Manor Way

A main road in the South of Beckton that joins the A13 motorway.



### 4. Beckton Corridor

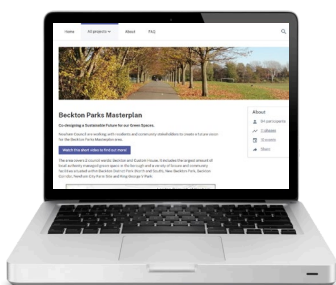
A footpath away from lots of cars that people can walk down. It is easy for people to walk from Beckton station to Beckton Park and Royal Albert Way.



We want to look at the changes we could make to Beckton's parks.



We will give everyone who lives in Beckton a chance to meet and share their ideas about how we can make Beckton's parks better.



Go to this website to know more about how you can take part

[www.newham.gov.uk/becktonparks-masterplan](http://www.newham.gov.uk/becktonparks-masterplan)

# Changes we could make



We have some ideas to make Beckton an easier and safer place or people to walk and cycle.

## We could



- ✓ make lanes just for bikes.
- ✓ plant more trees and plants.
- ✓ buy better lights and CCTV cameras for outside.



- ✓ change road junctions.
- ✓ make sure less cars drive in Beckton.



- ✓ make sure paths can be used by people who are disabled.
- ✓ make footpaths better for people to walk on.



- ✓ have more crossings like zebra crossings.
- ✓ put up more signs so people know where to walk or cycle.





We think more people would spend money in the local shops if we made these changes.



If we plant more trees and plants and make sure less cars drive in Beckton, the air will be cleaner and better for people to breathe in.

## Changes we have already made



The 2 photos above show the changes we have already made to **Mitchell Walk** in Beckton.

We have taken away the steps so disabled people can use the path, put in new lights for when its dark, and CCTV so it is safer.

# What will happen and when

## 2022

### Now to 1 January 2023

We have a survey so people who live or work in Beckton can tell us what they think.

**Questions**



1. What do you think about it?

Good

Bad

Not sure



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### December

We will meet with disabled people who live in Beckton to ask what makes it hard for them to walk, cycle, or wheel around Beckton.

### December

A team of people will plan what the changes to our 4 key areas and Beckton's parks will look like.



# 2023

## January



We will meet with people who live and work in Beckton to ask them what they think.

## January



We will meet online with people who live and work in Beckton to ask them what they think.

## January



We will meet with disabled people who live in Beckton to ask what makes it hard for them to walk, cycle, or wheel around Beckton.

## March



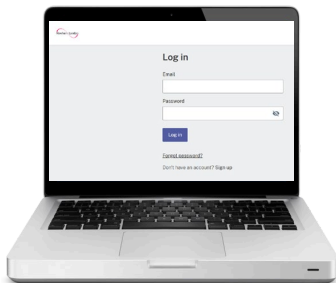
We will start work on the changes we decide to make to our 4 key areas and Beckton's parks.



# Tell us what you think



Use our survey to tell us why it is hard for you to walk or cycle in Beckton and what changes we should make.



Go to our website if you live in Beckton and want to fill in our survey

[newhamcocrete.co.uk/en/projects/becktonwalkingandcycling](https://newhamcocrete.co.uk/en/projects/becktonwalkingandcycling)



Or you can point your camera at this QR code which will take you to our website.



You have until **1 January 2023** to fill in the survey.



We want disabled people who live in Beckton to tell us about why it's hard for them to walk, cycle, or wheel around Beckton.



We are working with **Transport for All** to plan an online meeting that will happen in December.



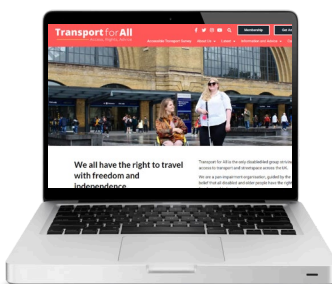
If you want to join our meeting, call this telephone number

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Go to our website to read more about how we will make Beckton a great place for people to walk and cycle.

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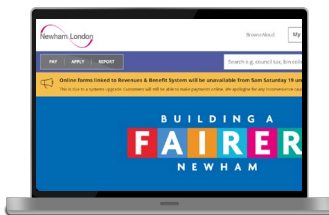


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