

Action Plan

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Sustainable Travel					
Newport	Newport	General congestion at peak times into Newport - IW Council staff major contributor.	Introduce a Work Place Travel Plan for Council staff.	Council currently investigating as part of Eco Island initiative.	ASAP
Newport	Fairlee Road	Congestion.	Cyclists should be encouraged to use cycle track along Fairlee & Racecourse to reduce hold ups.	Comment forwarded to Cycle Forum. Cycle infrastructure improvement underway and cycle etiquette leaflet being written.	Aug 2008
Islandwide	Newport	Congestion in Newport.	Park & Ride schemes to be set up on outskirts, keeping shoppers vehicles out of town thus reducing congestion in town centre. Also investigate linking in with existing high frequency bus routes. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parkhurst • St. Mary's • Fairlee • Pan 	Possible sites to be investigated for suitability. Discuss with Southern Vectis.	Nov 2008
			Saturday Park & Ride at existing sites. Also investigate linking in with existing high frequency bus routes. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IW College • Medina High • Wellington Road schools. 	Discuss with IW College, High Schools and Southern Vectis.	Nov 2008
Carisbrooke	Wellington Road	School pick up and drop off congestion.	More bus transport / less car use / include in school review considerations.	Transport issues are being highlighted as part of schools review and School Travel Plan Process.	On-going.
Carisbrooke	Gunville Road	Link road by current Carisbrooke High School.	As part of school review revise use of existing school access to Gunville Road - rather than current rat run.	Taylor Road not part of public Highway. May be reconsidered as part of school reorganisation.	On-going.
Islandwide	Islandwide	Congestion.	Make settlements more self sustainable - reduce need to travel.	Being considered as part of Island Plan.	On-going.
Islandwide	Islandwide	New developments with poor transport links.	New developments should provide transport infrastructure to integrate into and enhance existing network.	Being reviewed as part of the Island Plan.	On-going.

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Road Safety & Traffic Management					
Islandwide	Strategic Road Network	From Freight Workshop, 17-03-2008.	Contingency plan, diversion routes need better signage, co-operation with Police & Highways Authorities. Consider key roads eg. Whippingham Road (A3021).	To be considered as part of the Network Management Duties. Some informal plans exist between Council and Police, however further work is required.	Dec 2008
Newport	Riverway Industrial Estate	From Freight Workshop, 17-03-2008.	Traffic lights required at junction.	Junction to be investigated by the Road Safety & Traffic Management Section. Junction Medina Way/Riverway changes being considered as part of 20 year plan.	2008
Islandwide	Islandwide	From Freight Workshop, 17-03-2008.	Review 6ft6 width restrictions islandwide (as in Devon) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sandy Lane through Whitecross Lane (Shanklin), current 6ft6 width restriction to be reviewed. 	Road Safety & Traffic Management Section drafting letter to Shanklin/Lake Town Council indicating intent to remove width restriction.	2008
Islandwide	Islandwide	From Freight Workshop, 17-03-2008.	Introduce new yellow lines:- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bembridge. 	Yellow lines in process for Bembridge.	Oct 2008
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sandown High Street. 	To be investigated by Road Safety & Traffic Management Section.	2008
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Riverway Industrial Estate. 	To be investigated by Road Safety & Traffic Management Section.	
Ryde	St Johns Hill	Congestion.	St Johns Hill not wide enough for heavy goods vehicles especially with more vehicles for Tesco's.	Junction being investigated by the Road Safety & Traffic Management Section.	2009
Islandwide	Strategic Road Network	From Freight Workshop, 17-03-2008.	Develop trailer park(s) at strategic locations with facilities WC, showers, Travel café. Site would have to be jointly funded by Private/Public mechanisms. Single site would not be suitable, multiple sites to be considered. Possible locations:- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Football club (Newport). Ryde area. Next large industrial estate (Kingston). Consider dual use of site, Park & Ride, Coach Park, Cars & Caravans, HGVs (STGO, Special Type General Order).	Such sites are developer led initiatives, Council would look to support suitable developments.	2009

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Islandwide	Strategic Road Network	From Freight Workshop, 17-03-2008.	Roads to be included in SRN: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Link road East Cowes, Esplanade to Whippingham for Red Funnel traffic. 	To be investigated by Engineering Services.	2009
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Access to Bembridge through Carpenters Road or Downs Road / Bullys Hill. 		
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Embankment Road (Bembridge) through Sandown Road, Longlands Shute & Marshcombe Shute (Brading). 		
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Shalfleet Garage through Porchfield to Barton's Corner. 	Not considered priority.	
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Whitepit Lane to be made one-way. 		
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Betty Haunt Lane to be widened, Cedar Hill (Carisbrooke) & Highwood Lane to be improved. 		
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improve Park Road. through Briddlesford Road. to Arreton. 	Park Road identified as a priority for improvement due to strategic significance.	
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Great Preston Road, route around Ryde town centre. 	Width restriction (6'6) one-way from St. Johns Hill.	
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Canteen Road. through Princelett Shute to be improved. 	Canteen Road and Wroxall possible additions to SRN.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wroxall through Upper Ventnor to be reviewed. 					
Newport	Coppins Bridge	Sequenced of lights not balanced against traffic flows.	Flows from Cowes often stopped & no traffic comes across junction.	System working to capacity and constantly under review.	Jul 2008
Newport	Town Gate bridge	Current weight limit on bridge.	Weight limit to be reviewed in regards to importance of route.	To be reviewed by Road Safety & Traffic Management Section.	Nov 2008
Ryde	Junction Five Ways - Ryde School	Traffic delays in morning & afternoon with school starts / finishes.	Traffic lights by entrance to school move back & use as pedestrian crossing - no need for School Crossing Patrol to control crossing - letting lights control flow without interruption.	Crossing Patrols reviewed annually, any further representations to be forwarded to Road Safety.	Sep 2008

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Maintenance					
Islandwide	Islandwide	From Freight Workshop, 17-03-2008.	Increase height of hedge cutting program on SRN to 16ft6. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Smallbrook/Westridge Cross, hedges need cutting. 	Press release underway to notify landowners of responsibility for hedges/trees overhanging carriageways and footways. Notices are being issued.	Jul 2008
Islandwide	Strategic Road Network	Freight Workshop, 17-03-2008, Specific parts of SRN require maintenance.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Carisbrooke Hill (High Street). 	Middle Road between Betty Haunt Lane and Alvington Shute (B3401) due for resurfacing. Works do not extend down to top of Carisbrooke High Street.	Sep 2008
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Arreton to Newport (A3056). Deterioration of carriageway adjacent to Bardon Vectis. Also, Road dropped north side of carriageway adjacent Gore Cemetery. 	To be investigated by Maintenance.	Sep 2008
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Middle Road. 	Section of Freshwater Road (B3399) East of Chessell due for resurfacing.	Jan 2009
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stabilisation at Bouldnor (A3054). 	Bid submitted to SEERA as of May 2008 for stabilisation & coastal protection works.	Jun 2008
Parking & Enforcement					
Islandwide	Newport	Congestion in & around Newport growing.	Increase island parking permit to economic level.	Price increase in April to £75.	April 2008
Islandwide	Islandwide	From Freight Workshop, 17-03-2008.	Improve enforcement of yellow lines and loading bays:- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prospect Road (Cowes) 	No observed issues, possible congestion due to vehicle testing station.	Jul 2008
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pyle Street / St. James Street (Newport) 	Issue with serial signage vandalism, thus causing enforcement issues.	
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Four Seasons Inn (Wroxall) 	No observed issues.	
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> York Avenue (East Cowes) 	Yellow lines in Regulation order.	
Newport	Newport	General congestion at peak times into Newport – workers block car parking, turnover all day.	Convert long stay into short term parking.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Little London -> Short Stay. Sea Street -> Long Stay. Sea Close Park (out of town) -> Long Stay. 	2008