

NCN2 Cycle Link Scheme FREEPOST PLUS RLYT-GRJA-GJCZ

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### NATIONAL CYCLE NETWORK 2 CYCLE LINK SCHEME



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Alternatively, visit our website

www.brighton-hove.gov.uk/cycling

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Translation? Tick this box and take to any council offic	e.
ترجمة؟ ضع علامة في المربع وخذها إلى مكتب البلدية.	Arabic 🗖
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需要翻譯?請在這方格內加剔,並送回任何市議會的辦事處	· Cantonese 🗖
لطفاً این مربع را علامتگذاری نموده و آن را به هر یک از دفاتر شهرداری ارائه نمائید.	🗖 Farsi ترجمه؟
Traduction? Veuillez cocher la case et apporter au council.	French 🖵
需要翻译?请在这方格内划勾,并送回任何市议会的办事处	· Mandarin 🗖
Tłumaczenie? Zaznacz to okienko i zwróć do któregokolwiek biura samorządu lokalnego (council office).	Polish 🗖
Tradução? Coloque um visto na quadrícula e leve a uma qualquer repartição de poder local (council office).	Portuguese 🗖
Tercümesi için kareyi işaretleyiniz ve bir semt belediye burosuna veriniz	Turkish 🗖
other (	please state) 🖵

This can also be made available in large print or on audio tape.

We would now like to ask a few questions about yourself to help us reflect your views.
This information will be entirely confidential. Postcode:
Gender: Male O Female O What was your age on your last birthday?
Religion/Faith: Are you? None O Christian O Jewish O Hindu O Muslim O Sikh O Buddhist O Other, please state
Disability: Do you have a long standing illness, disability or infirmity? Yes 🔿 No 🔿
Ethnicity: White British O Irish O Other White background O
Black and Black British Caribbean O African O Other Black background O
Asian & Asian British Indian O Pakistani O Bangladeshi O Other Asian background O
Mixed White & Black Caribbean O White & Black African O White & Asian O Other Mixed background O
Other Chinese O Other Ethnic background O Don't know O
Sexuality: Are you? Heterosexual 🔾 Bisexual 🔾 Gay 🔾 Lesbian 🔾 Transgender 🔾 Other, please state

**MADEIRA DRIVE** The route along Madeira Drive will include on-pavement provision where possible closest to the Pier and a two-way cycle lane on the southern side of the road where it is not possible along the majority of the remaining length of the route. There will be a short section of route which will remain unmarked to the east of Dukes Mound junction due to constrained road widths.

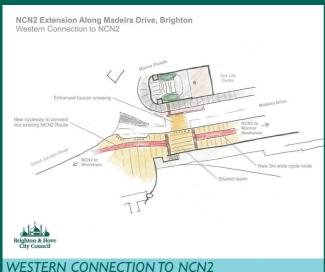
When on-road, cyclists will be sea-side of parked vehicles offering improved safety and narrowing the road slightly which will help to manage vehicles speeds. The cycle route widths will vary between 2.1m and 3m. No physical road narrowing will take place as the existing width is required for events which take place along Madeira Drive on a regular basis.





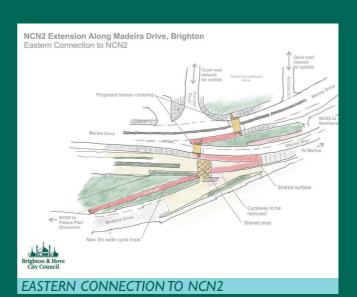
#### **BENEFITS**

- · Leisurely seafront route
- Relatively flat
- New toucan crossings across Marine Parade just to the east of Arundel Road



VESTERN CONNECTION TO NENZ

An upgraded crossing is proposed for pedestrians and cyclists. This will link with the proposed cycle route and tie in to the existing route towards Shoreham.



Two toucan crossings are proposed to assist with crossing Marine Drive for pedestrians and

cyclists. These will link to the proposed cycle route along Madeira Drive.

# National Cycle Network 2 Cycle Link Scheme (NCN2)













#### Introduction

Brighton & Hove City Council is committed to improving cycling facilities for its residents and visitors to enable and encourage people to get on their bikes, move easily around the city and enjoy the facilities it has to offer.

Cycling offers many benefits, it is healthier and can improve the environment as it does not add to congestion and with the high cost of fuel it is a very economical method of transportation. Brighton & Hove has Cycling Town status alongside 17 other towns and one city which means it has funding from Cycling England as part of a national £100 million investment package to encourage more adults and children in the UK to take up cycling, improve their fitness and beat the traffic. This scheme is jointly funded through Cycling Town status and the Local Transport Plan (LTP) programme which has been developed by the Council with support from the Department for Transport.

The NCN2 Cycle Link Scheme supports the principles and measures of the Cycling Towns' projects which aims to provide cycle lanes, increase bike provision, cycle training and other initiatives to improve the health and travel choices of residents, employees and visitors. The scheme also supports the LTP's shared priorities: delivering accessibility, better air quality; reducing congestion; and improving road safety.

Using combined funding Brighton & Hove City Council is proposing a cycle route extension between Brighton Pier and the Marina. The key purpose of this scheme is to provide an east-west link, currently missing along this section of the National Cycle Network. The NCN2 extends from Dover along the south coast and onto St Austell in Cornwall.

### The Proposal

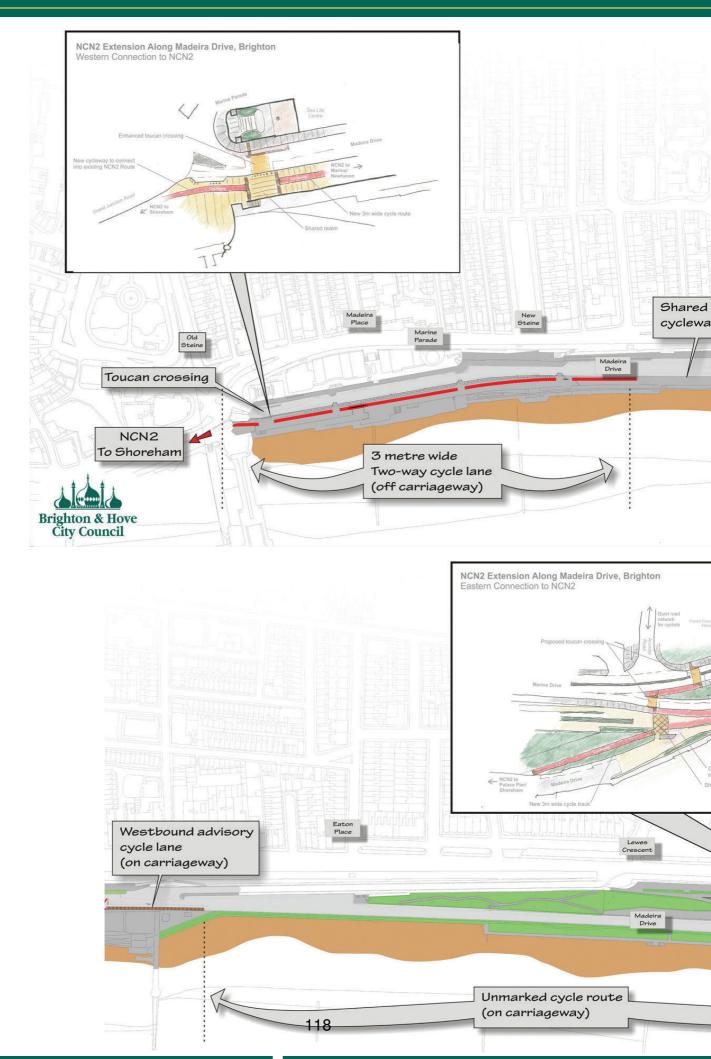
The initial proposal shown in this leaflet illustrates a potential option for the NCN2 cycle link from Brighton Pier to Brighton Marina. Completion of the route in this area will improve commuter and tourist links.

#### **Tell Us Your Views**

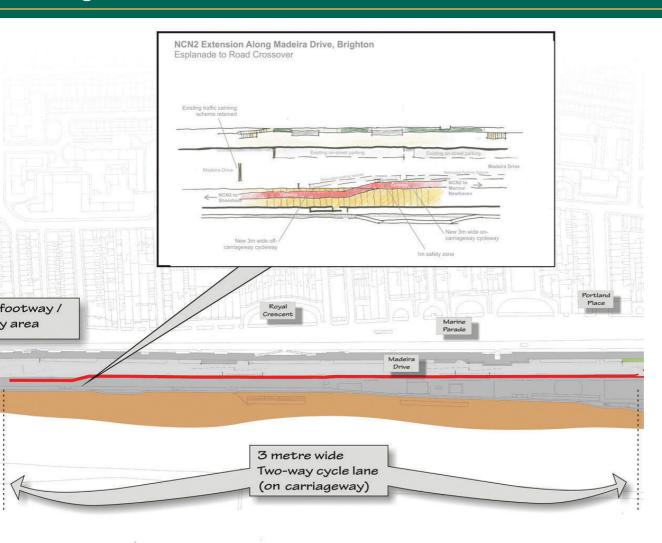
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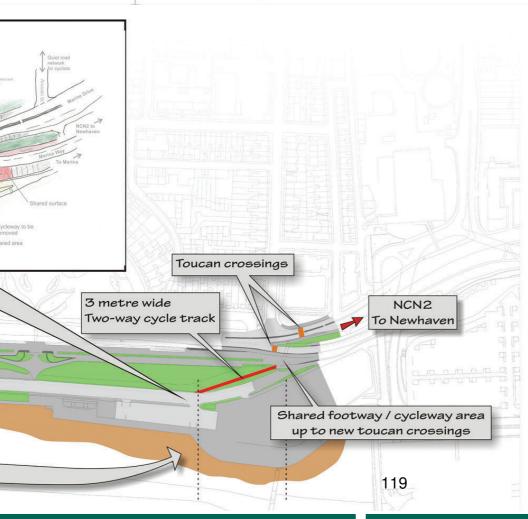
We have designed the proposed scheme which is explained in this leaflet and we would be very keen to hear what you think. There is a questionnaire at the back of the leaflet. If you would like your views to be considered into our design and implementation plans, please complete and return by 19th January 2009.

## National Cycle Network 2 - Cycle Link Scheme (NCN2)



# Along Madeira Drive





### NCN2 Cycle Link Scheme

### CONSULTATION QUESTIONNAIRE

When you have had a chance to consider the merit of the proposal in this leaflet, please answer the following questions by ticking the appropriate boxes.

Please return to us by 19th January 2009.

1.	Do you currently cycle between Brighton Pier and Marina? (If 'No' please go to question 3)  Yes No
2.	If you answered 'Yes' to Q1, which route do you currently use most often?  Madeira Drive Marine Parade  What is the main purpose for your trips?  Commuting Leisure Other, please explain
3.	If you answered 'No' to Q1, would improved cycle route provision along Madeira Drive as proposed encourage you to cycle?  Yes No
4.	Two new signalised crossing points are proposed across Marine Parade near the Marina. Would you like to see these crossings installed? (These will be for cyclists and pedestrians to use)  Yes No
5.	Do you think that further improvements for cycling are needed in the areas?  Yes No  If yes, please comment

Thank you for taking time to complete this questionnaire. Your responses are very useful and will help to shape the cycle network in Brighton and Hove. The questionnaire will be analysed and the results reported back to Cabinet later in the year and in a future edition of City News.

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