



# Local access plan

**Hackney,  
Redbridge and  
Waltham Forest**

Sunday 26 May 2024

**Information for residents and businesses**

Ford RideLondon, the world’s greatest festival of cycling, returns for its 10th edition on Sunday 26 May 2024 with routes across London and Essex.

To make the event safe and memorable for all, road closures will be required in some areas of London and Essex on Sunday 26 May.

This leaflet provides information for residents and businesses in **Hackney, Redbridge and Waltham Forest** about how to access your property and plan essential travel during the road closure period.

Please read this document in conjunction with the central London road closure information leaflet, and use the interactive road closure map, which are both available at [ridelondon.co.uk/community-info](http://ridelondon.co.uk/community-info)

**Plan any journeys and deliveries**

You will need to plan your travel in advance as there will be significant delays to road journeys. To get around more quickly, please use Tube and rail services, or consider walking or cycling for shorter journeys.

**The A12**

On Sunday 26 May, the A12 will be closed northbound from 04:00 to 12:00 and southbound 04:00 to 18:30.

**The A11 Bow Road**

On Sunday 26 May, the A11 Bow Road will be closed eastbound from 04:00 to 12:00 and the westbound section will be inaccessible from the Stratford area between 04:00 and 18:30.

**Open as usual**

The Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park and Westfield Stratford City are open as usual on Sunday 26 May. A separate local access plan for this area is available online at [ridelondon.co.uk/community-info](http://ridelondon.co.uk/community-info)

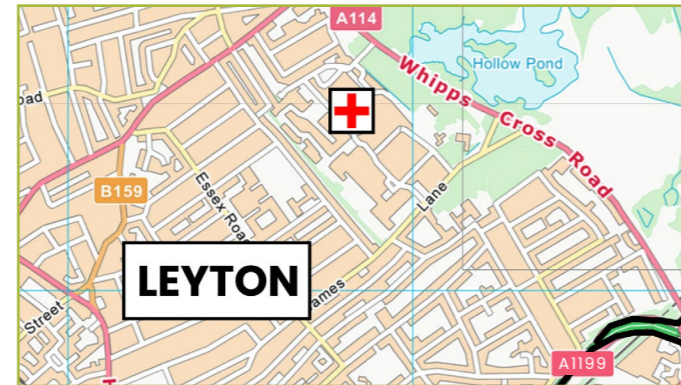
If possible, please travel to these places by public transport and plan your journey in advance. If you need to drive to the area during the closure of the A11 and A12, there are several alternative routes:

A112	Leyton Road
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A112	Leyton Road and Penny Brookes Street
A112	High Road Leyton and Temple Mills Lane
A106	Ruckholt Road and Temple Mills Lane
A10	Eastway and Waterden Road White Post Lane and Carpenters Road

**Access to hospitals**

All hospitals in east London will be open as usual throughout Ford RideLondon. However, your quickest route to the hospitals may be different on Sunday 26 May. If you need to drive to a hospital on Sunday 26 May, please read the following information carefully.

**Whipps Cross University Hospital**



To access Whipps Cross University Hospital, please use the online map to plan your journey. The main access route to and from the hospital will be via the A104 Lea Bridge Road.

The A114 Whipps Cross Road will be closed at the Green Man Interchange, but will remain open between the A104 Lea Bridge Road and James Lane.

**Other hospitals**

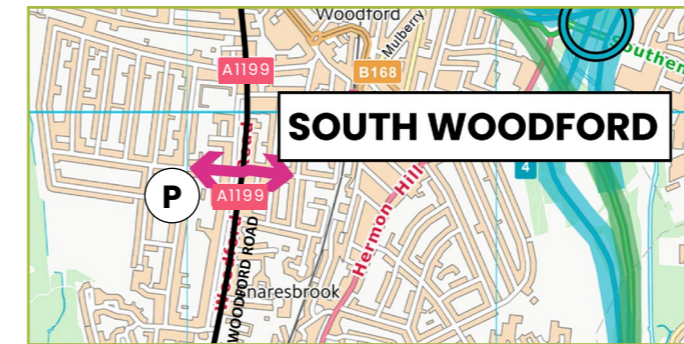
Access to and from Royal London Hospital and Newham University Hospital is largely unaffected, but please use the online map to plan your journey.

**Vehicle crossing points**

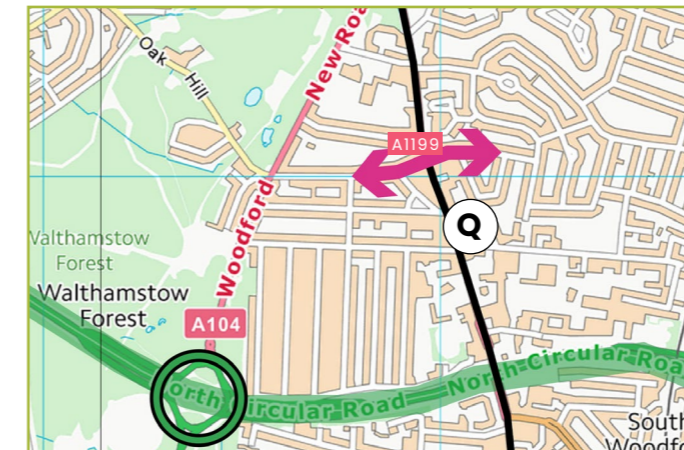
On Sunday 26 May, several vehicle crossing points will be available for residents and businesses to use to cross the Ford RideLondon event route. Details are provided below and the full list with a map is available online at [ridelondon.co.uk/community-info](http://ridelondon.co.uk/community-info)

Vehicle crossing point P crosses the route at the A1199 Woodford Road from Broadwalk to Clarendon Road, and will operate before 06:25 and after 17:30.

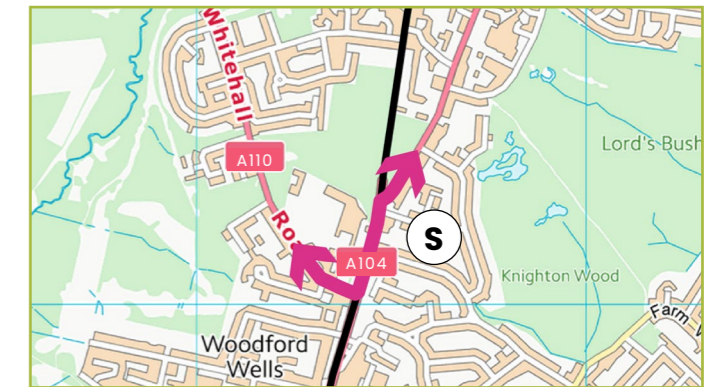
The fire gate on Hermitage Walk will also be open to allow residents on the Firs Estate and surrounding area access to Snaresbrook Road.



Vehicle crossing point Q crosses the route at the A1199 Woodford Green from Fullers Road to St Alban’s Road, and will operate before 06:25 and after 17:25.



Vehicle crossing point S crosses the A104 Woodford Green from the A110 Whitehall Road to A121 High Road, and will operate before 06:30 and after 11:25.



**Charlie Brown’s Roundabout**

Snaresbrook, Wanstead and South Woodford are accessible for local residents and businesses from the north via Charlie Brown’s Roundabout to the A113 Chigwell Road.

These areas are accessible for local residents and businesses from the south via the A1008 Blake Hall Road.

Access to St Barnabas Road and Wansford Road and the surrounding area is available to local residents and businesses only via Charlie Brown’s Roundabout and the A113 Chigwell Road.

**Chingford Lane**

A1009 Chingford Lane will remain open in a southbound direction for access to the A104 Woodford New Road towards the A406 and Waterworks Corner.

The A104 Woodford New Road will be closed in a northbound direction from Waterworks Corner. There will be no access to the A1009 Chingford Lane in a northbound direction from Woodford Green between 05:00 and 18:30.

### Emergency services

Emergencies will be treated as a priority in the usual way. If you require the emergency services, call 999. Emergency vehicle access will be maintained and prioritised throughout all Ford RideLondon events.

### Non-999 emergencies

If you have an urgent and critical need to cross the event route, but it is not a 999 emergency, please speak to an event steward who will help you to cross the route as soon as it's safe to do so.

### Parking restrictions

If you usually park on a road that will be closed for the event, please move your vehicle the night before. Vehicles cannot be parked on the event route from 00:01 on Sunday 26 May until the road reopens. Any vehicle left on the route or parked in a suspended parking bay will be removed.

### Public transport

There will be some planned engineering works taking place on the Transport for London network on the event weekend. For more details, please visit [tfl.gov.uk/status-updates/planned-works-calendar](https://tfl.gov.uk/status-updates/planned-works-calendar)

Due to event road closures, some bus services will need to be diverted temporarily, suspended or terminated earlier than usual. Some stops may also be temporarily relocated on Sunday 26 May.

### Pedestrian crossing points

Pedestrian crossing points are located along the event route. These will be supervised to help pedestrians cross the road. Usual crossings may be suspended, but an alternative will be signposted where it will be easier to cross. Please be patient during the event and listen to stewards' instructions.

### Religious services

Religious services will run as normal throughout the road closure period, but please check with your local place of worship for specific details and please plan your journey as roads and bus services may be affected.

### Need help?

To receive our road closure updates via email, please register at [ridelondon.co.uk/road-closures-updates](https://ridelondon.co.uk/road-closures-updates)

If you have any queries or need assistance, please visit [ridelondon.co.uk/help/contact-us](https://ridelondon.co.uk/help/contact-us)

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and understanding in helping us deliver an event that's set to raise thousands of pounds for charity.

