

Planned Road Closure – Multi-Agency Emergency Exercise

A multi-agency emergency exercise will take place on **Wednesday 23rd September**. To support the exercise, a road closure will be implemented as follows:

- Time: 09:00 – 15:00hrs
- Location: A9 at Georgemas Junction
- Diversions: Clearly signposted diversion routes will be in place

Advance Warning:

Traffic signage will be installed two weeks in advance of the road closure. Digital signs will also be used to notify road users ahead of the exercise.

Northbound Traffic:

- Heavy Goods Vehicles (HGVs):
For HGVs travelling further North than the Achalone junction there will be a diversion at the Latheron Junction for vehicles to travel on the A99 via Wick,
- All Other Vehicles:
Diverted via the Achalone turn-off to Halkirk.

Southbound Traffic:

- Heavy Goods Vehicles (HGVs):
Diverted via Wick on the A99, rejoining the A9 at Latheron.
- All Other Vehicles:
Diverted via Halkirk, then along the single-track road towards Achalone Junction, reconnecting with the A9.

Local Access

Community engagement and consultation is ongoing with residents and businesses.

Residents in the Banniskirk area will still be able to access and exit their properties. Arrangements will be in place to facilitate this throughout the exercise period.

Queries:

For any queries relating to this notice, please contact Becky.Taylor@dounreay.nrservices.uk.

Road Closure Maps



