EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS GLASGOW 2018

To: The Owner / Occupier

CYCLING ROAD RACE EVENTS SUNDAY 5 AND SUNDAY 12 AUGUST 2018

IMPORTANT INFORMATION – PLEASE READ
GLASGOW 2018 EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

A new era in world sport will get underway this summer as Glasgow and Berlin host the inaugural European Championships from 2–12 August 2018.

Glasgow and Scotland will host six sports (Aquatics, Cycling, Golf, Gymnastics, Rowing and Triathlon) across 12 venues in partnership with the city of Berlin which will host the Athletics.

As part of the event Glasgow will host the European Cycling Championships, including the Road Race events which provide an historic opportunity to join the roaring crowds which will greet the best riders from across the continent as they race past iconic city sights.

With a potential television audience of up to 1.03 billion across Europe set to watch the action, Glasgow and Scotland will again be in the spotlight during these free events.

The Cycling Road Race for Women will be held on Sunday 5 August and the Men's race will be held on Sunday 12 August. Delivering an event of this size will change how the city operates on certain days of the Championships and inevitably impact the areas along the course. There will be disruption to travel and also be changes to some council services on the day of the event. While we hope to minimise these impacts, road closures are required to ensure the safety of the competitors, residents and spectators.

You have received this letter because your area will be affected by the Road Race.

We have divided the race course into a number of sectors and provided you with a map showing you the streets/roads within your sector that will be impacted.

To see the full race course, please visit **www.getreadyglasgow.com**

For more information

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Road Race Sector 3 – ST VINCENT STREET, ELMBANK STREET, BATH STREET, CHARING CROSS JUNCTION, SAUCHIEHALL STREET, BLYTHSWOOD STREET, WEST GEORGE STREET, NELSON MANDELA PLACE

Women's Race, Sunday 5 August: Parking restrictions will come into force on the race course from **16:00** on **Friday 3 August** to facilitate the course build and will remain in place until **23:59** on **Sunday 5 August**.

Men's Race, Sunday 12 August: Parking restrictions will come into force on the race course from **16:00** on **Friday 10 August** to facilitate the course build and will remain in place until **23:59** on **Sunday 12 August.**

Any vehicles parked directly on the race course during these times will be removed. If you are a parking permit holder your permit will allow you to park outside of your designated zone from **16:00 on Friday 3 to 23:59 on Monday 13 August**.

ROAD CLOSURES

There will be a rolling programme of road closures within the sector as per the following times.

Women's Race, Sunday 5 August: Roads will close from **08:00** and reopen in a phased manner from **17:00**.

Men's Race, Sunday 12 August: Roads will close from **06:00** and reopen in a phased manner from **18:30**.

All roads will be fully re-opened no later than **22:00** on **Sunday 5 August** and **Sunday 12 August**.

If your street can only be accessed directly from the race course and you require your vehicle on **Sunday 5 August** or **Sunday 12 August** you should make alternative parking arrangements prior to **23:59** on **Saturday 4 August** and **Saturday 11 August** respectively.

Additionally, if you have accessibility issues or have secure off-street private parking, please contact us on the number below to discuss alternative arrangements.

If you know now that you require to make a critical journey on the day of the event please contact us ahead of time on this number, 0141 287 1118, to make the appropriate arrangements.

Should there be an unforeseen circumstance on the day of the event, please also contact us on this number, 0141 287 1118, to discuss arrangements.

TRAVEL AND PUBLIC TRANSPORT

Glasgow will be alive with activity on the days of the road events and throughout the European Championships which means there will be times when the transport system may be busy so please plan ahead to have an enjoyable day.

Journeys to and from Glasgow may take longer than usual so please leave plenty of time to reach your destination. If you can, leave the car at home and make the most of park and ride facilities and public transport.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Access for Emergency Services will be maintained at all times and they should be contacted in the normal way.

COUNCIL SERVICES

Due to the nature of the event and significant traffic management requirements there will be disruptions to a number of council services, particularly cleansing, waste and recycling operations. You will receive information through the usual channels regarding any changes to your council services on event days.

COURSE SAFETY

The course will have race-related vehicles and cyclists travelling at speed throughout the day and should be approached with caution. If pedestrians need to cross the course they must only do so at the designated crossing points and take advice and instruction from the stewards along the course.

For more information

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BUSINESS INFORMATION
We urge you to start thinking about how your normal parking or access to your business or premises may be affected and put plans in place to minimise disruption.

For businesses please give consideration to:
- Deliveries you may be expecting or you may make
- Waste collection or other servicing to your premises
- If your evacuation plans are affected by road closures

More information for businesses is available at **www.getreadyglasgow.com**.

INFORMATION SESSIONS
Following the information sessions held in March this year, we will be holding a further series of information sessions in the areas affected by the course as detailed below. We would encourage you to attend one of these sessions to discuss the details of the arrangements, find the best places to spectate and cheer on the elite cyclists on the day and to discuss any further questions you may have.

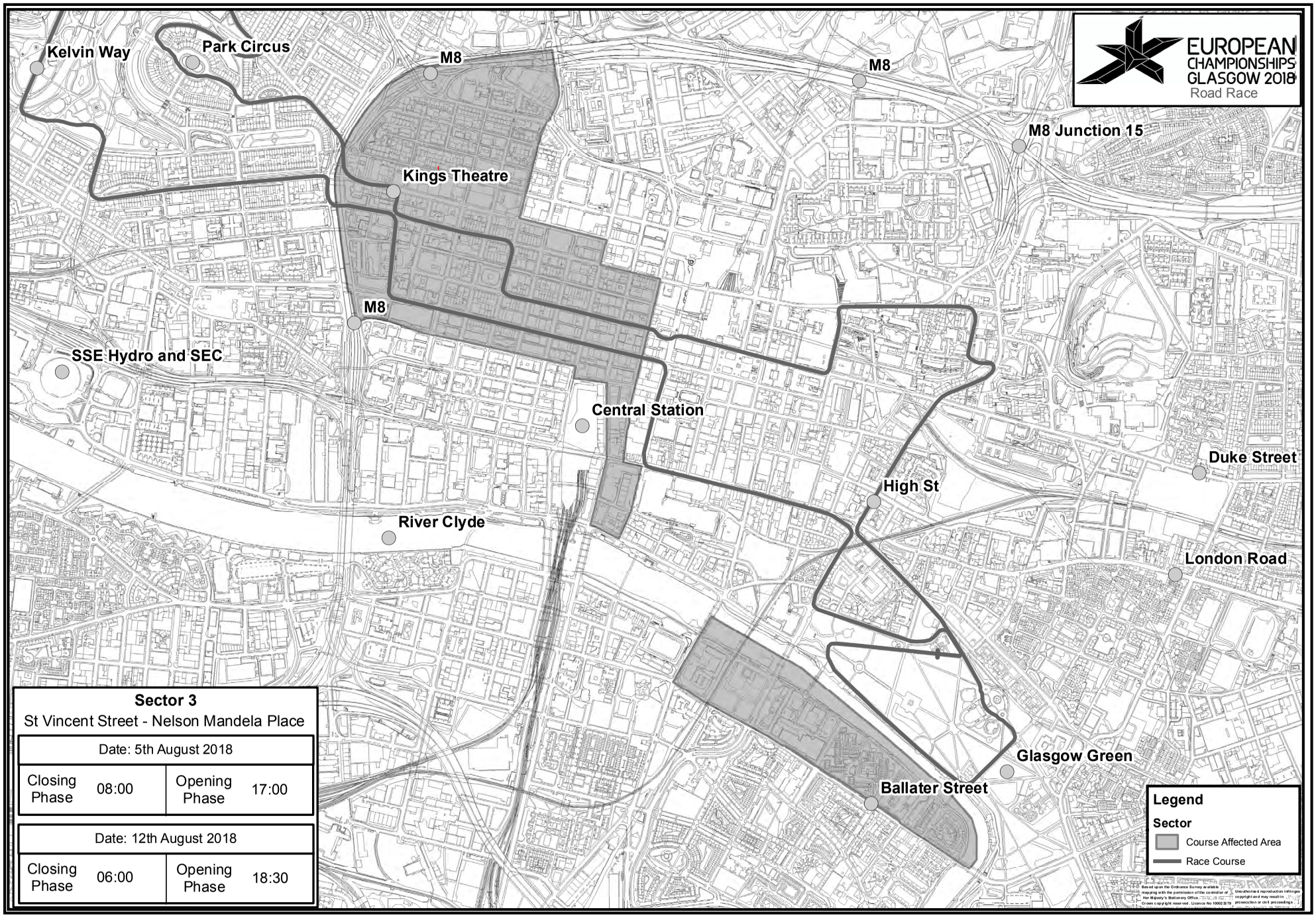
Wednesday 20 June	**Buchanan Galleries**, 220 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, G1 2FF	12:00–18:00
Saturday 23 June	**St Enoch Centre**, 55 St Enoch Square, Glasgow, G1 4BW	10:00–12:00
Saturday 23 June	**Strathkelvin Retail Park**, 28 Wellington Road, Bishopbriggs, Glasgow, G64 2SA	14:00–18:00
Tuesday 26 June	**Glasgow Club Kelvin Hall**, 1445 Argyle Street Glasgow, G3 8AW	17:00–19:00
Wednesday 27 June	**Winter Gardens**, Glasgow Green, Templeton Street, Glasgow, G40 1AT	17:00–19:00
Saturday 30 June	**Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum**, Argyle Street, Glasgow, G3 8AG	10:00–12:00
Saturday 30 June	**Morrisons**, Gallowgate, 5 Barrack Street, Glasgow, G4 0TZ	14:00–18:00
Tuesday 3 July	**Lennoxtown Hub**, 46 Main Street, Lennoxtown, Glasgow, G66 7JJ	14:00–18:00
Saturday 7 July	**Tesco St Rollox Extra**, Cobden Road, St Rollox Business Park, Glasgow G21 1YL	14:00–18:00
Tuesday 10 July	**Asda**, Bearsden, 80 Milngavie Road, Bearsden, Glasgow G61 2TX	14:00–18:00
Wednesday 11 July	**Milngavie Precinct**, Milngavie, Glasgow	14:00–18:00

With your support, we plan to stage spectacular Road Races that showcase the city and country and contribute to an amazing European Championships. We apologise for any inconvenience that these measures may cause you and would like to thank you in advance for your patience and understanding in both the lead up to and during the events. Your continued support will be crucial in making the Championships a success.

If you need any further information please contact our dedicated planning website **www.getreadyglasgow.com**, email **getreadyglasgow@glasgow.gov.uk** or call **0141 287 1118**.

The Road Races are free to attend and un-ticketed. Tickets for all of the sporting events at Glasgow 2018 are on sale now. Don't miss your chance to be part of history at the first ever European Championships from 2–12 August 2018. For more information visit **www.glasgow2018.com**

Yours sincerely
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