

Delivery and Servicing Plans (DSP)

What is a DSP?

A Delivery and Servicing Plan will help your business manage your delivery and servicing trips more efficiently and can result in benefits for your operation including:

- Reduced delivery costs
- Improve your procurement practices
- Help to meet your environmental policy and reduce carbon dioxide emissions
- Reduce vehicle movement hazards, lower risk of collision and accidents

To find out more about developing a DSP please contact Alex Forrest, London Borough of Sutton, on email alex.forrest@sutton.gov.uk



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All 180 businesses in Beddington Industrial Area are invited to

Beddington Business Forum

on **Wednesday 30 July 2014 at 5.30pm**

at Beddington Conference Centre,
Brandon House, Marlowe Way, CR0 4XS

Tea, coffee and cake provided



Join in the discussion

- Improvements to Beddington Industrial Area
- Projects that will benefit businesses
- Opportunity to speak directly to the Council and Police with any concerns and issues / ideas for improvements to Beddington Industrial Area
- Open discussion

If you would like a subject / issue on the Agenda please contact Michelle Baker (details below).

Please confirm attendance to **Michelle Baker**
email michelle@regenmanagement.co.uk or phone **07527 016 338**

This Business Forum is independent from, yet supported by, Sutton Council and once established as a regular meeting we would like to ensure that it is purely business led, with a Chairman and representation from each Business Park / Trade Park within Beddington Industrial Area. It will continue to be an open meeting for all businesses and will have the structure to enable the forum to apply for funding for improvements, and will be the group that is the voice of Beddington Industrial Area and drives forward enhancements.

Nearby Kimpton Industrial Park has seen significant improvements since businesses formed a Business Forum and worked together to improve the area; the Chairman of their Business Forum will be at the meeting to tell you first hand how successful they have been.

The Council is working to improve Beddington Industrial Area and the residential area of Beddington. Improvements to the parking, planting, signage and road access may start to take place this year; however the business community need to get involved to help develop and progress improvements.

The Beddington Business Forum was formed so that businesses in Beddington have a voice and can speak directly with the Council, Police and other stakeholders, and can develop a unified approach to address concerns and drive forward improvements. It is important for businesses to have this platform. The Business Forum can feed into the Beddington North Neighbourhood Forum, a group of residents, businesses and local stakeholders who meet regularly to work towards improvements in the area.

I hope you can attend and look forward to seeing you there.

Michelle Baker



Social media

If you would like to follow Sutton Council on Twitter, with specific news and updates for the industrial area please follow @BedHackNews

Get Involved

The first meeting took place in January 2014. We want the estates-wide meeting to become a regular, established business forum, representing all 200 businesses in Beddington.

We need to ensure that there is representation from each trading park / road / street within the industrial area. Would you like to represent your estate or area and be a local ambassador?

Please contact Michelle Baker: michelle@regenmanagement.co.uk or phone **07527 016338**

Contact Us

For more information about the **Beddington Industrial Area Forum** or the potential **Business Improvement District** please contact: **Michelle Baker**

Phone 07527 016338 or email michelle@regenmanagement.co.uk

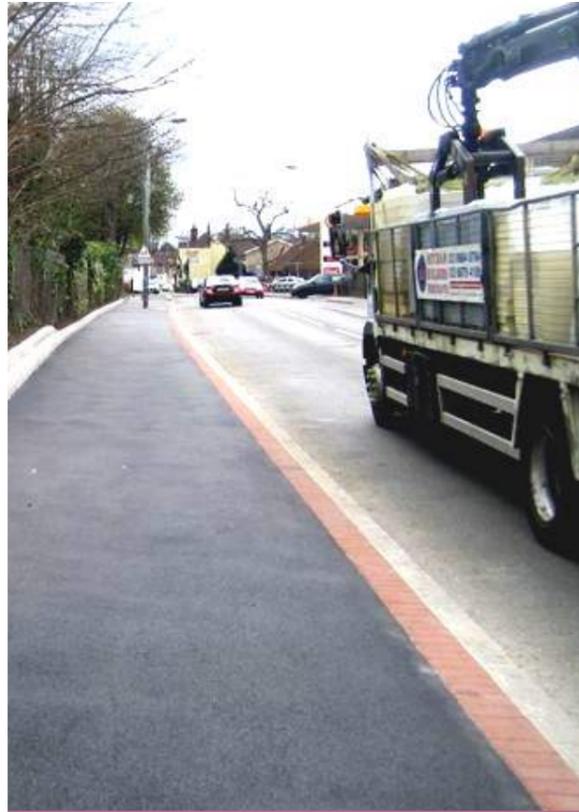
For general enquiries please contact: arearenewal@sutton.gov.uk

Directions to Beddington Conference Centre

From Purley Way turn into Beddington Farm Road, then take the third turning - building on the left opposite Carlsberg.

From Beddington Lane At the ASDA traffic lights turn in to the Asda car park and take Marlowe Way to the left going behind Asda - building on the left signed 'BCC'.

Improving Air Quality in Beddington Lane



How Your Operation Can Make A Difference!

Sutton Council was successful in receiving funding through the Mayor's Air Quality Fund to address the issue of air quality in Beddington Lane. We would like therefore to work with businesses on Beddington Lane through the **ECO Stars Initiative** and the **Freight Operators Recognition Scheme (FORS)**, to support you in identifying measures to reduce the amount of pollutants emitted by heavy goods vehicles that use Beddington Lane daily.

By signing up to **ECO Stars** and adopting their principles, you will become a more **Efficient, Cleaner Operation**, and see the following business benefits:

- improved fuel management and reduced consumption
- improvement in performance monitoring and management of your vehicle fleet
- vehicle preventative maintenance
- driver skills development
- the community will also gain from this initiative through cleaner air as a result of reduced fuel emissions.

We hope that you will be willing to support this initiative. An ECO Stars representative will make a presentation at the Business Forum meeting on 30 July.

Enhancing Beddington Industrial Area for all



The industrial estate in Beddington is one of the main employment areas for the borough as well as having a rich history and characterful surrounding area.

In 1998 the council, in partnership with stakeholders, developed an 'environmental strategy' to improve and make the most of the area. This year the Council, in consultation with businesses and residents, has reviewed and updated the strategy.

The aim of the new strategy is to support thriving employment and industry in Beddington while creating a smart, connected and pleasant place for all. It builds on previous work to suggest resolutions to problems and develop opportunities.

Businesses in Beddington are at the heart of the strategy. Once the council, with business and community input, has approved the strategy we will seek ways to take the proposals forward in partnership with you.

To hear more about the strategy come along to the Business Forum meeting on 30 July, or contact us for an informal conversation.

For more information contact: **Hermione Brightwell**, London Borough of Sutton, phone **020 8770 4846** or email hermione.brightwell@sutton.gov.uk

Safer Urban Driving

Free driving skills training for your fleet drivers

Already a FORS (Freight Operators Recognition Scheme) recognised operator?

If you are, you can take advantage of the Sutton Safer Urban Driving Training which focuses on driving in London, the changing streetscape and sharing the road safely with vulnerable road users, including cyclists. Drivers will have the opportunity to get on a bike and see the road from the point of view of the cyclist.

The training will be free: all you have to do is allow drivers to take time out to attend the course. If you would like to take part, or want more information and details on how you can get involved, please email: paul.garside@sutton.gov.uk



Beddington Industrial Area Parking Study

Businesses have highlighted problems with parking and vehicle movements in the industrial area, with conflict between the needs of each.

The council has initiated a parking study to understand the issues and needs in the area. Counts of vehicles will take place during July, which businesses have received information about.

We will be in contact with businesses to consult on the results of the survey and to hear your views about parking and vehicle movements in the area.

We will be at the Business Forum meeting on 30 July, to discuss the study, and issues and proposals will be further consulted on. If you would like to speak with someone in the meantime please contact: **Hermione Brightwell**, London Borough of Sutton, email hermione.brightwell@sutton.gov.uk or phone **020 8770 4846**.

