



North Tyneside Council

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Request:

Can you please tell me what the councils plans are for a cycle lane along the sea front in 2021, the website is not clear as to whether this will return this year.

There are no plans to reinstate a temporary cycle lane along the Sea Front in 2021. However, an interim road safety scheme is being progressed which will reduce the speed limit along the Coast to 20mph and install a number of traffic calming features to keep speeds low making other road users safer when crossing / cycling along the route.

Can you also please tell me if there is a plan to have a permanent cycle lane along the sea front and keeping two way traffic

Designs for a permanent Sea Front Cycle Lane scheme are nearing completion and will build upon the interim road safety scheme detailed above. The designs retain two-way traffic movements along the Sea Front to ensure Emergency Service and local Bus operations are not detrimentally affected, whilst also providing a segregated cycle route between St Mary's Lighthouse and North Shields Fish Quay. These plans will be subject to public consultation later this Summer.

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