

Crane Oversail Permit - Terms and Conditions

1. The requirement to obtain permission and a licence from the Council as Highway Authority applies to any person or organisation who wishes to use a mobile crane or tower crane on or over the public highway.
2. All works shall be in accordance with the specific requirements issued by WSCC at the time of the application and insofar as the site may be subject to periodic inspection, additional conditions may be imposed during the works.
3. Health, safety and welfare - The executor of the works shall undertake works in accordance with the Health and Safety at Work Act 1974 and all other legislation, Approved Codes of Practice and Guidelines applicable to the works. This shall be done with particular regard to the protection of the public from harm, injury, damage or loss.
4. During the operations, the Applicant shall take all steps to ensure that the safety and well-being of the public is not jeopardised and shall comply with all reasonable requests made by the Council in this respect. (Attention is drawn to the publication Code of Practice 3010, 1972 - "Safe Use of Cranes", available from the British Standards Institution of 2 Park Street, London, W1A 2BS).
5. Disabled and blind persons - All works shall be executed with due regard to the additional particular needs of Disabled and Blind Persons using the highway.
6. Traffic Control - The executor of the works shall provide and erect all necessary warning notices, signs and signals for the satisfactory control of traffic in accordance with Chapter 8 - Traffic Signs Manual 1991, and the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 1994 and any subsequent amendments thereof as directed by the Highway Network Manager.
7. The signing and guarding of the Works shall be in strict compliance as contained in the Traffic Signs Manual Chapter 8 (Traffic Safety Measures and Signs for Road Works and Temporary Situations). The Applicant shall take all steps to ensure safety of the public and shall comply with all reasonable requests made by the Council and all other authorised persons.
8. Road signs - No existing road sign / line shall be obstructed or rendered less effective due to the execution of works without the approval of the Council and the provision of alternative signing / lining to his requirements.
9. The applicant must provide a method statement outlining reasons for the type of crane to be used with details, erection, construction programme, dismantling operation and proposed working hours.
10. The crane must be used in accordance with the manufacturers' guidelines and in compliance with the relevant safety legislation and standards. A safe working area at ground level is required to be provided at all times to prevent pedestrians gaining access.
11. The Works shall be carried out with all speed and diligence. No works will not be carried out at night, weekends or bank holidays unless otherwise approved by the street authority.
12. The Applicant shall permit the Council to inspect the operations at all reasonable times.
13. The Applicant must have Public Liability Insurance to work on the public highway. The cover value of this should be a minimum of £10,000,000 per incident, with an unlimited number of incidents and shall be liable for and shall indemnify the Council against all actions in law or in equity damages, statutory or common law losses, costs, charges, fees, claims and damages in consequence of the transportation, erection,

dismantling and/or use of the Plant whether by means of defect (latent or otherwise) in the said Plant or for any other reason whatsoever.

14. The Applicant shall note that the Council may, if it thinks fit and reasonable to do so, terminate this consent without notice. At such a time all operations and plant shall be dismantled and removed from the highway without delay.
15. Any damage of any kind whatsoever which may be caused to the public highway as a result of the works at the location described, and hereby undertake to pay West Sussex County Council the total cost of any repairs to the public highway as may be deemed necessary by the Highway Inspector.
16. It is the Applicants responsibility apply for any other licences or orders that may be required to allow this operation to proceed.

It is the responsibility of the applicant to consult with the Local Planning Authority to determine whether a planning approval is required for these works.