

## Transport & Travel - Glenrothes 'Information Guide'

### Active Travel - Walking, wheeling and cycling

For general information on active travel, such as routes available, getting started, support organisations, etc, please visit [www.travelfife.com](http://www.travelfife.com)

For information on our current Active Travel infrastructure projects visit <https://www.fife.gov.uk/kb/docs/articles/roads,-travel-and-parking/roads-and-pavements/active-travel>

or email: [activetravel@fife.gov.uk](mailto:activetravel@fife.gov.uk)

We will also be commencing an updated regime for inspecting and maintaining walking, wheeling and cycling infrastructure. A programme of accessibility audits is also being developed on key walking and wheeling routes.

Routes through Parks are maintained by Parks and green spaces <https://www.fife.gov.uk/kb/docs/articles/community-life2/parks,-allotments,-core-paths>

In addition, Fife Council has a Core Paths Plan that provides access throughout the area.

The Fife Coast & Countryside Trust also maintain country walks for you throughout Fife. <https://fifecoastandcountryside.co.uk/>

We all want **“a healthier and more active Fife where everyone can enjoy and experience the benefits of being more physically active”**. Initiatives have been developed to encourage this by Active Fife. <https://active.fife.scot/about/active-fife>

### Public Transport – Buses, rail and community transport services

Alongside our supported bus services, we provide [Go-Flexi](#) and [Fife Bus](#), which provide on-demand bus services for some rural areas and for people who are not able to access mainstream passenger transport.

We also provide the [MyFife National Entitlement Card](#) which offers a range of concessionary travel schemes for people in Fife.

We want everyone to be able to access bus travel in Fife, and to know exactly what routes they can travel. The Council, in partnership with others have created our [Journey Planning Map](#). This interactive map allows you to plan your journeys ahead of time.

For more information, visit the [Travel Fife](#) website or email [travel.fife@fife.gov.uk](mailto:travel.fife@fife.gov.uk)

Supported bus services reviews are undertaken regularly, based on customer surveys and feedback. There is a commitment to investigate bus service options contained within the Transport (Scotland) Act 2019, in particular the feasibility of local authority-run buses.

## Traffic & Parking – Car Parks and Parking Support

Details of all parking charges for the various parking places within Fife can be found on the [Car Parking Charges](#) web page. If there is a fault with a Pay & Display machine, please use another machine within the car park. If you are unable to obtain a ticket, you must contact the parking supervisor prior to leaving your vehicle on 03451 551507.

Blue badge holders and motorcycles are free to park in any of our spaces without the need to purchase a ticket. For further information take a look at our [Blue Badge](#) page.

For more information visit the parking web pages.

<https://www.fife.gov.uk/kb/docs/articles/roads,-travel-and-parking/parking-and-car-parks>

There is a commitment to review the Fife Parking Strategy.

## Maintenance & Reporting – Roads and Footways

You can notify us of any road problems by using our [online Road Reporting Form](#). You can call us on 03451 55 00 11 from Monday to Friday, 8am to 6pm. In the event of an emergency, after 6pm, or at the weekend, please call 03451 55 00 99.

Please note that the Council are not responsible for the maintenance of the trunk road network (A92 and motorways). You can report defects to the Traffic Scotland Customer Care Line on 0800 028 1414.

We will also be developing a climate change adaptation action plan, setting out our approach to protecting the transport network from the effects of extreme weather. Winter maintenance including gritting information is undertaken on a priority basis.

<https://www.fife.gov.uk/kb/docs/articles/roads,-travel-and-parking/roads-and-pavements/road-maintenance/roads-and-gritting>

Road maintenance is carried out on a risk-based approach related to severity of carriageway defects and type of road. A programme of planned road improvements is detailed in the annual Area Roads Programme.

<https://www.fife.gov.uk/kb/docs/articles/roads,-travel-and-parking/roads-and-pavements/area-roads-programme>

## Maintenance & Reporting – Street Lighting

There are over 68,000 streetlights keeping 100 towns, villages, and major road junctions well lit across Fife.

Transportation Services are responsible for the repair of all street lighting faults. You can use a form to report non-emergency faults with streetlights, illuminated signs/bollards and permanent traffic signals.

<https://www.fife.gov.uk/services/form-pages/report-a-streetlight-fault>

## Road and Pavement Safety

We want to keep the people of Fife safe on the roads. School Travel Plans and Bikeability Cycle Training are contributing to road safety for our kids.

<https://www.fife.gov.uk/kb/docs/articles/roads,-travel-and-parking/roads-and-pavements/safety> or email: [school.travelplans@fife.gov.uk](mailto:school.travelplans@fife.gov.uk)

The Footway Parking Bill (Transport Scotland Act, 2019) was enacted on 11th December 2023. Fife Council is progressing with the detail of how the new powers

could be implemented. If the Council agrees to adopt the statutory powers, then Parking Attendants would be able to take enforceable action against vehicles parking on pavements, over dropped kerbs and which are double parked (excluding areas which have exemptions).

There is a commitment to review the Fife Council policy on speed limits, considering the emerging National Strategy for 20mph.

## Looking after our Communities – Safer Communities

Fife Council's Safer Communities team works to deliver community safety across Fife.

Community safety covers a range of issues including crime, antisocial behaviour, public perception of crime and safety in our homes and on our roads and to improve the local environment,

<https://www.fife.gov.uk/kb/docs/articles/community-life2/safer-communities>

## Place Development – Living well locally

Living Well locally is the idea of connected communities, where people can meet the majority of their daily needs within a reasonable walk, wheel, cycle or short trip of their home. Measures to support living locally have been a consideration in this plan such as improvements to active travel, public transport and traffic & parking. These elements contribute to a nationally recognised local living framework and can be measured by a place standard tool used in community planning.

Any questions about Living Well Locally can be sent through by email to [fife.devplan@fife.gov.uk](mailto:fife.devplan@fife.gov.uk)

Planning service information can be found at:

<https://www.fife.gov.uk/kb/docs/articles/planning-and-building2/planning>

## Community Say – Get Involved

Here you'll find links to information and advice about what's going on in Fife today as well as how we can all work together to improve our community.

<https://our.fife.scot/>

The Local Community Plan, and other information about Glenrothes can be found on the local area pages.

<https://our.fife.scot/lets-talk-local/glenrothes-area>

## Local Interest - Community and Tourist resources

Glenrothes Town Art Trail

<https://storymaps.arcgis.com/stories/dac4cb5070a046baaa7402fbd528f554>

Glenrothes as a destination

<https://www.welcometofife.com/destination/glenrothes>