## London Borough of Bexley

## News Release

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## COUNCIL TO ENFORCE MOVING TRAFFIC CONTRAVENTIONS FROM 1 AUGUST

From 1 August, Bexley will join 28 other London boroughs in enforcing moving traffic contraventions.

Moving traffic contraventions include banned right or left turns, no entries, blocking a yellow box junction, going the wrong way in a one way street and illegal U-turns.

Enforcement will begin on 1 August and will take place using the Council's existing CCTV mobile enforcement vehicles.

Nil charge Warning Notices will be served for a two-week advisory period from 1 to 15 August, to help raise awareness of the change.

From 16 August, where the Council records a moving traffic contravention, the owner of the vehicle will be issued with a moving traffic penalty charge notice.

Enforcing MTCs using mobile CCTV cameras will -

- Improve traffic movement and road safety.
- Help ensure the free flow of traffic.
- Bring Bexley into line with established good practice already common across London.

More information is available online at www.bexley.gov.uk/parking, along with details of how to pay a PCN, or appeal if you feel it has been issued without justification.

Signs will be placed in locations where moving traffic contraventions will be enforced to ensure that all motorists are aware camera enforcement is taking place.

In the future, the Council will focus on specific roads and areas that are of concern.

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The decision to bring into force the provisions of sections 4 and 7 of the London Local Authorities and Transport for London Act 2003 and enforce moving traffic contraventions in the London Borough of Bexley was made at the meeting of the Council's Cabinet on 8 April 2015

(http://democracy.bexley.gov.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=149&MId=27580&Ver=4)

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