

## Booking Form

Register now for your place on the day.  
Please complete a separate form for each delegate.

Title: Surname: Forenames:

Organisation:

Address:

Postcode:

E-mail:

Telephone:

I wish to attend the study tour 13.30 - 15.15

Access Needs:

Large Print Materials: **Yes / No**  
Any special dietary requirements?

Do you require a personalised journey plan to the event? **Yes / No**  
(If yes please give us the postcode of your starting point if different from above)

Please note that parking at *The Crossing* is limited. Anyone requiring assistance with transport from Nottingham, or Worksop railway station to *The Crossing* please contact the Beacon Co-ordinator.

Other Requirements:

To register, please email, post or fax your form by 11/02/2009 to:

Beacon Co-ordinator, Transport Strategy & NET Team,  
Nottinghamshire County Council, Trent Bridge House, Fox Road,  
West Bridgford, Nottingham, NG2 6BJ.

Tel: 0115 9773368 Fax: 0115 9774674

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Website: [www.nccbeaconaccess.org.uk](http://www.nccbeaconaccess.org.uk)

You will receive confirmation and a delegate pack approximately a week before the event.



# The Bassetlaw Experience

## Improving Accessibility Beacon Workshop

Wednesday 25th February 2009  
The Crossing Centre, Newcastle Street,  
Worksop, Nottingham, S80 2AT



2008-2009  
Improving Accessibility





For their 2009 Improving Accessibility Beacon year, Nottingham City Council and Nottinghamshire County Council are hosting a series of workshops to share experiences of the most successful and innovative aspects of the region's accessibility planning work.

**The Bassetlaw Experience** workshop is the third workshop in the programme. It will provide an opportunity to learn about initiatives to improve accessibility in a rural area using the area of Bassetlaw, Nottinghamshire as a case study. This workshop will look at how to improve access to employment, learning, health and leisure and other essential services.

This workshop aims to share good practice in improving accessibility and to demonstrate how the lessons learned in Bassetlaw can be applied elsewhere. There will be chance to learn about the varied projects taking place in Bassetlaw and future plans.

Attendance is free to all participants but space is limited so register now to avoid missing out. Only pre-booked delegates will be admitted on the day.

The Worksop venue has good transport links by bus, train and car and is wheelchair friendly. There is a journey planner available online at [www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/buses](http://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/buses), where you will also find a link to traveline, the national journey planning website.

The Bassetlaw Experience is one of a number of events being facilitated by experts from Nottinghamshire County Council and Nottingham City Council, who are working together in partnership to improve accessibility through better transport provision.

## Timetable for the day

09.15	<b>Coffee and Registration</b>
10.00	<b>Welcome</b>
10.10	<b>Keynote Speaker - The Hon Paul Clark MP</b> , Under Secretary of State for Transport
10.20	<b>Lynne Tupling</b> , Chief Executive, Retford Action Centre <b>The role of the third sector</b>
10.35	<b>Richard Kay</b> , Operations Director, Stagecoach <b>What's in it for us – The commercial perspective</b>
10.50	<b>Norman James</b> , Consultant, Sustainable Transport Advice and Research (STAR) <b>Access to employment</b>
11.10	<b>Break</b>
11.30	<b>Workshop - Paul Wilson</b> , Senior Information and Publicity Officer, Nottinghamshire Transport Services <b>Journey planning information</b>
12.00	<b>Mark Hudson</b> Head of Nottinghamshire Transport Services <b>Access and opportunity</b>
12.20	<b>Feedback and Questions</b>
12.45	<b>Networking Lunch</b>
13.30 - 15.15	<b>Optional study tour:</b> An opportunity to try one of the advanced, fuel-efficient, low floor access Enviro buses. Take a short journey around the area to view our work, including a visit to Retford's highly commended new bus station.

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