## Tips on driving on Lantau Closed Roads

- Plan your journey in advance.
- Comply with the conditions of the Lantau Closed Road Permit, and leave the closed roads (i.e. all roads south of Tung Chung Road junction with Shek Mun Kap Road) before 7 p.m.
- Roads in South Lantau are mainly single 2-lane carriageways for 2-way traffic, and some road sections are relatively narrow and winding. Before entering South Lantau, check your car (especially its braking system) to ensure it functions properly. Please also obtain the contact of a towing company that is permitted to enter South Lantau in case of need.
- Fully charge or fill up the fuel tank before entering South Lantau. Currently there is no charging facility for electric vehicles in South Lantau. The petrol filling station is at Mui Wo Ferry Pier Road.
- If you need to stop your car on roadside, stop at laybys as far as practicable.
- Use low gear when driving downhill.
- Drive slowly when negotiating at road bends, and pay attention to head-on vehicles. Long vehicles may straddle the centre-line when negotiating road bends.
- Heavy vehicles and bicycles may travel at a slower speed when going uphill. Franchised buses may pick up or set down passengers at the bus stops on roadside where bus bays are not available. Be patient and avoid overtaking as far as possible. If you need to overtake, please be extra cautious.
- Pay attention to the speed limit of roads while you drive.
  The speed limit at certain sections is 30 kilometres per hour. Some of the roads in South Lantau are installed with speed enforcement cameras.
- Access roads to villages are very narrow in general.
  Please do not enter the narrow village roads to avoid causing obstruction.
- There may be cattle wandering on the roads in South Lantau. Drive carefully and avoid hitting them.
- Follow the traffic signs and road markings along the roads and comply with traffic regulations to ensure road safety.

## Note particularly the following traffic signs and road marking



Bend to left ahead (right if symbol reversed)



Side road on the left ahead (right if symbol reversed)



Steep Hill downwards ahead



Steep Hill upwards ahead



Higher chances of encountering cattle



Sharp deviation to right (left if symbol reversed)



Double bend ahead first to right (symbol may be reversed) and reduce speed now



Hazard ahead

## Distribution of public parking spaces in South Lantau

(Figures in brackets denote the number of private car parking spaces)

- Lung Shing Street in Yim Tin, Tai O (30)
- Tai O Road near Tai O Bus Terminal (97)
- Tai O Road near entrance of Tai O Town (18)
- Ngong Ping near Ngong Ping Village Bus Terminal (22)
- Keung Shan Road near Shek Pik Reservoir (10)
- South Lantau Road near Cheung Sha Beach (28)
- South Lantau Road near Tong Fuk (25)
- South Lantau Road near San Shek Wan (19)
- South Lantau Road near Pui O (24)
- Mui Wo Ferry Pier Road near Ferry Pier (81)
- Mui Wo Ferry Pier Road near the former New Territories Heung Yee Kuk Southern District Secondary School (149)
- Ngan Kwong Wan Road in Mui Wo nearMui Wo Government Offices Building (19)
- Ngan Shek Street in Mui Wo near Mui Wo Market (53)
- Ngan Shu Street in Mui Wo near Mui Wo Playground (9)

It may be easier to find a parking space in Ngong Ping and Cheung Sha. The utilisation of the parking spaces in Mui Wo, Tai O Town and Pui Ois generally high.

Please refer to the map overleaf for the locations of closed roads, petrol filling station and parking spaces in South Lantau.

If you need to seek the Police's assistance, please call: Lantau North Division Police Station at (3661 1694) or Lantau South (Mui Wo) Division Police Station at (3661 1696).

Wish you a pleasant trip.

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