

## TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT NOTICE

### **Special Traffic and Transport Arrangements in Pok Fu Lam, Aberdeen and Happy Valley for Ching Ming Festival 2024**

Notice is hereby given that, the following special traffic and transport arrangements will be implemented in Pok Fu Lam, Aberdeen and Happy Valley during the Ching Ming Festival 2024 to facilitate grave-sweeping activities.

#### **(A) Special Traffic and Transport Arrangements**

##### **(I) Pok Fu Lam**

###### **(i) Traffic diversion**

The section of Consort Rise between Victoria Road and Bisney Road will be converted to one-way southbound by the Police from 7.00 am to 5.30 pm daily on 23, 24, 29, 30 and 31 March, 1, 4, 6 and 7 April depending on the traffic conditions in the vicinity of the cemeteries.

###### **(ii) Bus services**

###### **(a) Provision of special bus services**

Special bus routes will be operated on the following dates and the bus services will be strengthened subject to passenger demand and traffic conditions:-

<b>Route</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Operating Time</b>
Citybus (CTB) Route 347 (Admiralty Station (West) Bus Terminus to Chinese Christian Cemetery / Aberdeen) (Circular)	4 and 7 April	8.00 am to 4.30 pm
Cross Harbour Route 971R (Cyberport to Mong Kong) (Circular)	4 and 7 April	9.30 am to 5.30 pm
Special departures of Cross Harbour Route 971R (Mong Kok (Shanghai Street near Bute Street) to Cyberport)	4 and 7 April	9.00 am to 10.00 am

###### **(b) Enhancement of bus services**

Services of CTB route 43M will be strengthened subject to passenger demand and traffic conditions.

###### **(iii) Suspension of parking spaces**

4 metered parking spaces (meter nos. 3941A, 3941B, 3942A and 3942B) and 3 motorcycle parking spaces at Victoria Road near Consort Rise will be temporarily suspended from 7.00 am to 5.30 pm daily from 28 March to 10 April.

## **(II) Aberdeen**

### **(i) Road closures**

Peel Rise in the vicinity of Aberdeen Chinese Cemetery and the slip road leading from Shek Pai Wan Road to Aberdeen Chinese Cemetery will be closed to all vehicular traffic by the Police depending on the traffic conditions in the vicinity of the cemetery during the following periods:

- (a) from 7.30 am to 5.30 pm daily on 23, 24, 29, 30 and 31 March, 1, 6, 7, 13 and 14 April; and
- (b) from 7.30 am to 6.30 pm on 4 April.

### **(ii) Bus services**

#### **(a) Provision of special bus services**

CTB route 347 (Admiralty Station (West) Bus Terminus to Chinese Christian Cemetery / Aberdeen (Circular)) will be operated from 8.00 am to 4.30 pm daily on 4 and 7 April and the service may be strengthened subject to passenger demand and traffic conditions.

#### **(b) Enhancement of bus services**

Services of CTB route 43M will be strengthened subject to passenger demand and traffic conditions.

## **(III) Happy Valley**

### **Relocation of tram stop**

The tram stop on Wong Nai Chung Road northbound opposite to the Hong Kong Jockey Club will be relocated about 30 meters northward from 7.00 am to 7.00 pm on 4 April.

## **(B) Attention and Appeal**

1. Appropriate traffic aids or signs will be erected to guide motorists.
2. The public transport operators will display notices to advise passengers of the above temporary arrangements.
3. Actual implementation and adjustments to road closures, traffic control and public transport diversions will be made by the Police during Ching Ming Festival depending on road condition. Police officers will be on-site to guide the motorists.
4. Motorists are advised not to drive to the congested and affected areas. In case of traffic congestion, motorists should exercise tolerance and patience and observe the instruction given by the Police, and watch out for the latest traffic news through the media.
5. Motorists are advised that, any vehicles found illegally parked within the precinct of the

special traffic arrangements may be towed away by the Police without prior notice.

6. Grave-sweepers are advised to plan their journey early and allow more travelling time, and use public transport services as far as possible.
7. For updated and latest traffic and transport information, members of the public can visit the TD's website ([www.td.gov.hk](http://www.td.gov.hk)) or use the mobile application "HKeMobility".
8. Members of public can browse the following website for the opening hours of the public cemeteries, crematoria, columbaria and Gardens of Remembrance:

Food and Environmental Hygiene Department (Cemeteries and Crematoria Services):  
<https://www.fehd.gov.hk/english/cc/index.html>

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