

Ref: JEV/SME

7 June 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

**Re: Plume Bus 2 diversion due to Tiptree Road closure**

We are writing to make you aware of a temporary diversion that is currently in place for Bus 2 due to the Tiptree Road closure in Wickham Bishops. Go East Anglia, the service provider, has updated the academy on a revised route that is detailed in the map below.

Please be aware that the temporary diversion involves the following changes:

- The bus will turn left into Walden House Road, then continue ahead towards the crossroads of Walden House Road and Kelvedon Road.
- The bus will continue ahead into Great Totham Road and stop by the tennis courts (marked by orange cross on the map).
- The bus will continue ahead towards the junction at The Street (Wickham Bishops Post Office), then turn left into Maypole Road
- The bus will then take the next left into Prince of Wales Road, follow to the end, then turn right onto Maldon Road.
- The blue lines on the map shows the outline of the normal route and the black crosses are the normal stops.

Please note however, the yellow lines are the diversion with the orange cross signifying the temporary stop by the tennis courts, and the red cross is the stop near the Wickham Bishops Post Office.

As this road closure is in place until **Friday 16 June 2023**, parents/carers of the children in Kelvedon Road, (by the war memorial at Wickham Bishops), will need to have dropped them off by the tennis courts (marked on map with orange cross) as there is no other safe place for the company vehicles to turn around.

We hope that this gives clarity to the temporary situation regarding Bus 2. If you have any further questions, please contact Sharon Walsh ([Sharon.Walsh@goeastanglia.co.uk](mailto:Sharon.Walsh@goeastanglia.co.uk)) at Go East Anglia.

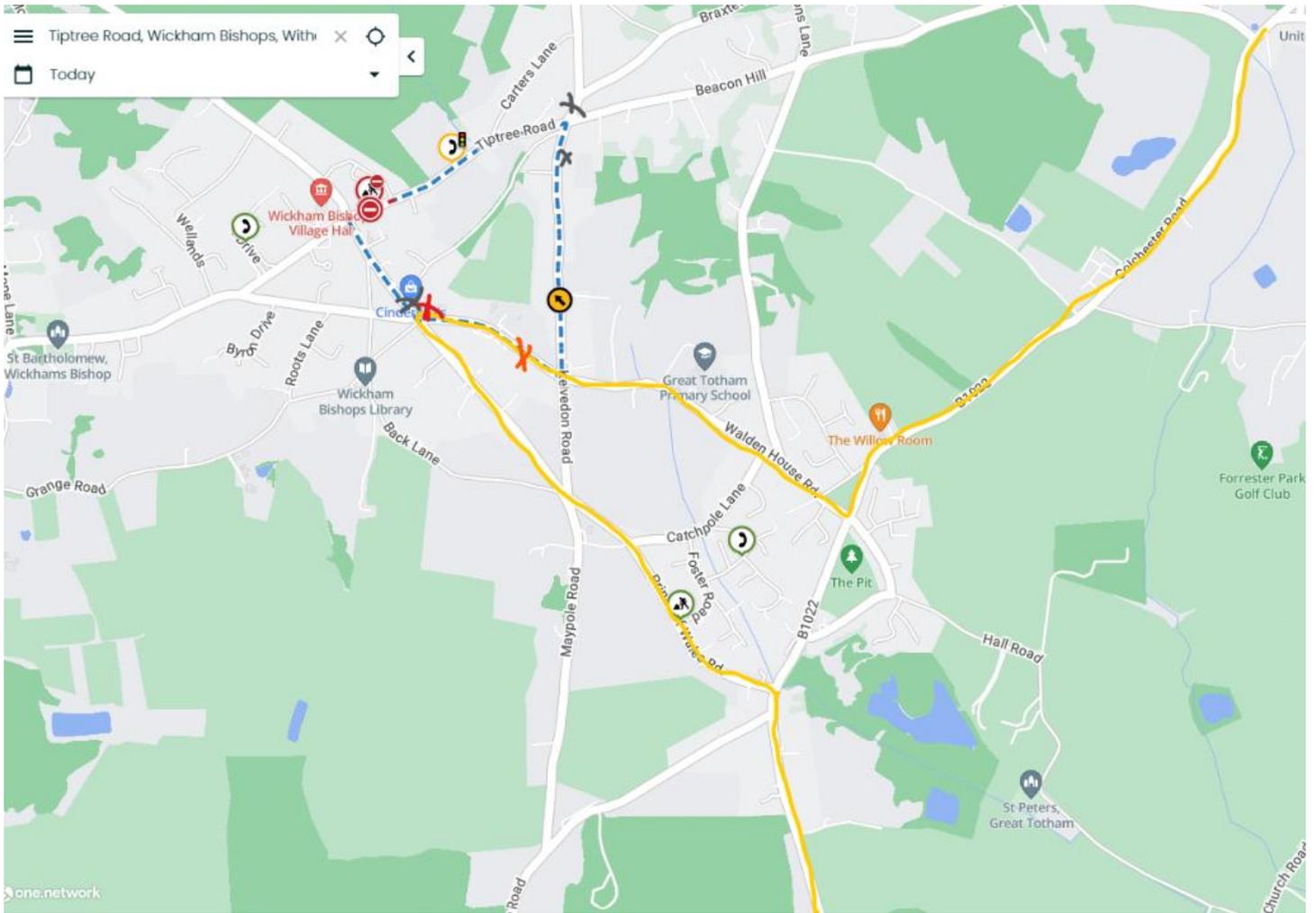
Yours sincerely,



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