

News Release



Docklands

Docklands Light Railway — The Beckton Extension

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DLR BECKTON EXTENSION PLANS UNVEILED

Details of the proposed Beckton Extension of the Docklands Light Railway are unveiled this week in an exhibition in London Docklands.

The exhibition, held by the Docklands Light Railway and the London Docklands Development Corporation, gives details of station designs, pedestrian access to stations and bus and rail interchanges along the proposed 8 km extension from Poplar to Beckton.

Parliamentary approval for the extension, which is expected in the near future, should allow work to start in Autumn this year with completion scheduled for the end of 1992. By this time the DLR will be able to carry about 15,000 passengers per hour, in each direction, between Bank and Poplar Stations.

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Note to Editors :

Details of the exhibition venues follow, and a colour leaflet, which will be distributed to all homes and business in the vicinity of the proposed extension, is enclosed.

DOCKLANDS LIGHT RAILWAY BECKTON EXTENSION EXHIBITION VENUES

VENUE	DATES	OPENING TIMES
<u>Isle of Dogs</u>		
LDDC Offices	Mon 17 July	10 am - 6 pm
Dock Masters House	Tues 18 July	10 am - 6 pm
West India Dock Road London E14		
Hackney College	Wed 19 July	11 am - 6 pm
Poplar Centre	Thurs 20 July	10 am - 6 pm
Poplar High Street	Fri 21 July	10 am - 6 pm
London E14	Mon 24 July	11 am - 6 pm
	Tues 25 July	10 am - 6 pm
LDDC Offices	Wed 26 July	10 am - 6 pm
Dock Masters House	Thurs 27 July	10 am - 8 pm
West India Dock Road London E14	Fri 28 July	10 am - 6 pm
<u>Royal Docks</u>		
West Beckton Health Centre Lawson Close, Custom House London E16	Mon 17 July	3 pm - 8 pm
Beckton Community Centre East Ham Manor Way, Cyprus London E6	Wed 19 July	1 pm - 4 pm
	Thurs 20 July	7 pm - 9 pm
Canning Town Kwik Save 24 Barking Road Canning Town, London E16	Fri 21 July	4 pm - 8 pm
	Sat 22 July	12 noon - 4 pm
West Silvertown School Evelyn Road, West Silvertown London E16	Mon 24 July	4 pm - 8 pm
Hallsville Primary School Butchers Road, Canning Town London E16	Tues 25 July	4 pm - 8 pm
LDDC Royal Docks Office Gate 8, North Side Royal Victoria Dock Connaught Road, London E16	Thurs 27 July	6 pm - 8 pm
ASDA Superstore East Beckton District Centre Frobisher Road, London E6	Fri 28 July	4 pm - 8 pm
	Sat 29 July	10 am - 5 pm
North Woolwich Peoples Plan Centre 10 Pier Parade, North Woolwich London E16	Mon 31 July	4 pm - 8 pm
	Tues 1 August	4 pm - 8 pm