

Problems and suggested solutions.1. Vehicles driving up Redcliffe Road, from Ballard Road to shop.

Motorists, especially visitors, sometimes realize they are not on the road that they intended, having passed the shop. In order to turn round, they back into Ballard Road and then turn right into Redcliffe Road, but do not see the sign indicating that they should only turn left.

An inexpensive remedy would be to move the sign to a lower position.

Alternatively, "No Entry" could be painted on the road surface of Redcliffe Road just North of Ballard Road.

2. Vehicles driving down Uwell Road against intended flow of traffic.

Arrows painted on the road surface to indicate correct direction of travel would help correct this. The existing "No Entry" signs would appear adequate, but they do not prevent some mistakes.

3. Vehicles driving out of Ballard Way, passing front of shop and entering upper Redcliffe Road.

Motorists risk taking this route to avoid driving all round the roundabout. Existing signs would appear adequate, but are not.

4. Confusion in area outside Ballard Stores.

There is insufficient indication that motorists are entering a one-way system as they come from the main part of Uwell Road, from the direction of Corfe Castle. The road is wide enough for two-way traffic, and visiting motorists become confused.

A "One-Way Only" sign near the existing destination board would help.