

# Capital Schemes 2021/22

## A120 Colchester to Harwich

### Programme of works

National Highways – Scheme Delivery

07 October 2021

# Introductions and Housekeeping

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## **Introductions:**

Paul Coates – National Highways Scheme Project Manager

Bernie Ibekwem – Snr. Stakeholder Manager (Atkins Global)

Nathan Larrier – Comms and Stakeholder Officer (Atkins Global)

# Purpose of today's meeting

- Update on the work carried out so far and the changes to our programme.
- Understand your concerns and mitigate them where practicable.
- Obtain local information from you, to include in our work.
- Outline our communication & engagement approach.



# All A120 Schemes



# Programme of Works

- A120 Hare Green to Ramsey resurfacing
- A120 Crown Interchange Resurfacing including A120/A133 Interchange Links
- Hare Green to Crown interchange road markings



# Why we need to undertake the work

The scheme will involve repairing road defects along the A120 such as:

- Resurfacing the road between between Wix and Ramsey, Pellens Corner and Horsley Cross and Crown Interchange
- Improving road markings and road studs
- Replacement of any damaged gullies
- Replacement of damaged signs, faded sign faces and marker posts.
- Replacement of old safety fence terminals and other improvement works.

# Update on current works

- Survey works on the A120, between Horsley cross and Ramsey are now complete, finishing Friday 17 September.
- Slight delay on the A120 Kilnwood to Whitehouse scheme, completion expected towards the end of the year.
- Due to the changes to the programme, A120 Hare Green to Ramsey resurfacing will aim to start from Monday 25 October.
- Works will be undertaken on weeknights with some weekend works anticipated
- All Diversion routes have been agreed with Essex Highways
- Targeted comms and engagement plan is developed

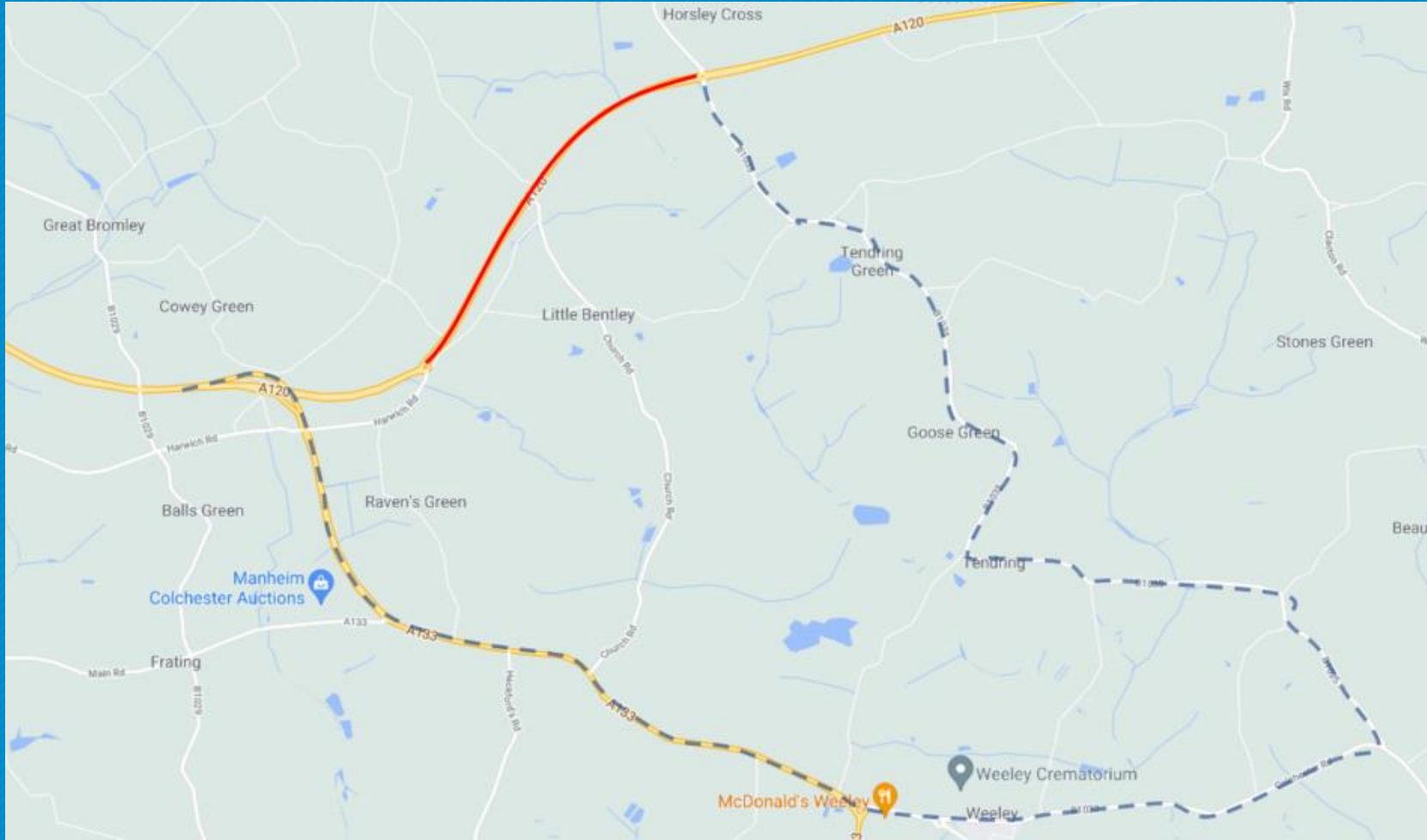


# How we are mitigating issues

- Start time pushed back until 9pm to allow traffic from Harwich Port to use the A120.
- Constant liaison with Harwich Port regarding expected traffic flows.
- Stakeholder list being reviewed and updated to ensure all updates reach key stakeholders.
- Scheme web page to be established with updates about all works on the A120.
- Additional signage asking drivers to stick to the diversion route and reduce speed
- Safety Speed Camera Van to be implemented to monitor the diversion

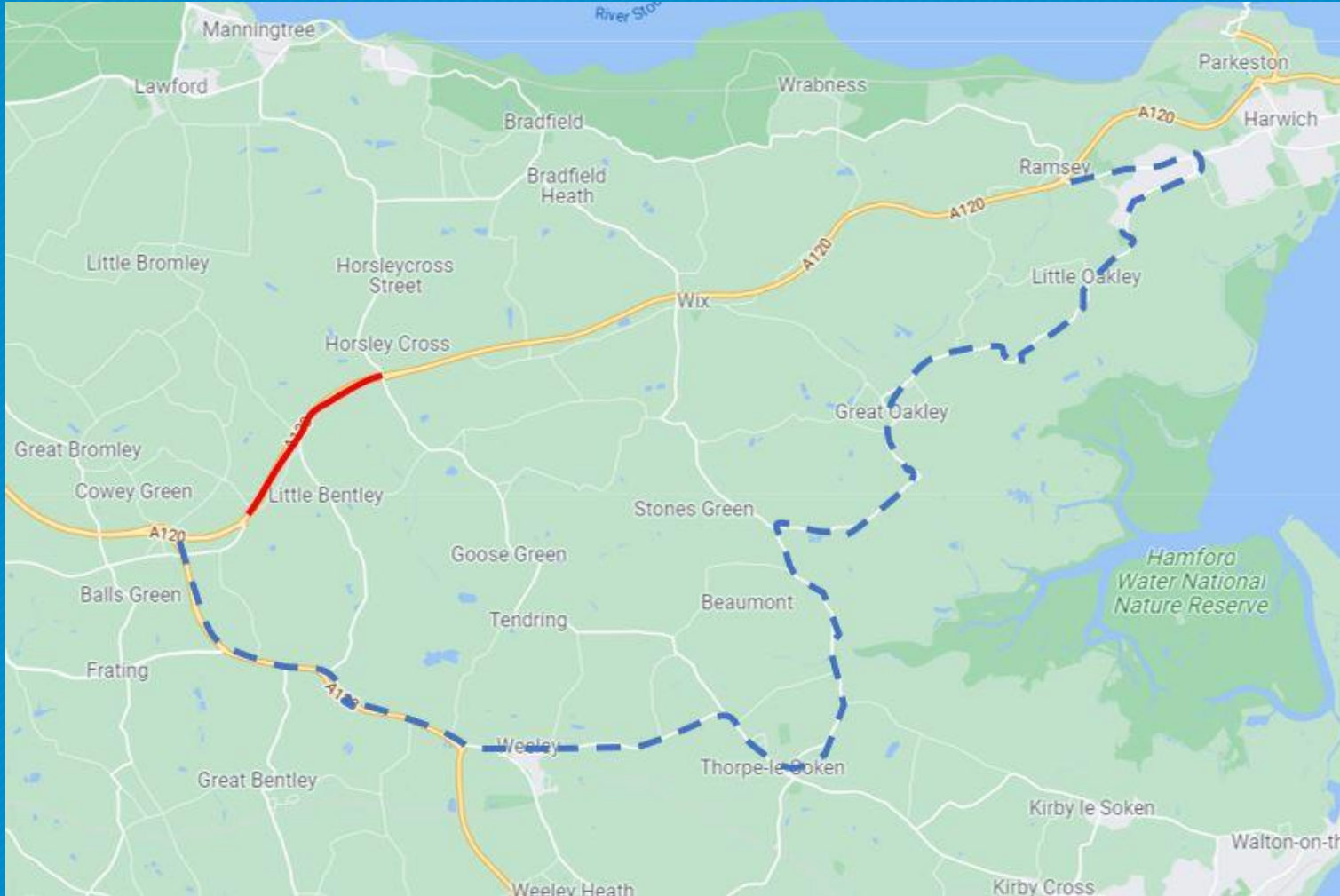


# Pellen's corner to Horsley cross - Eastbound diversion



- 25 October –  
Mid November

# Pellen's corner to Horsley cross - Westbound diversion

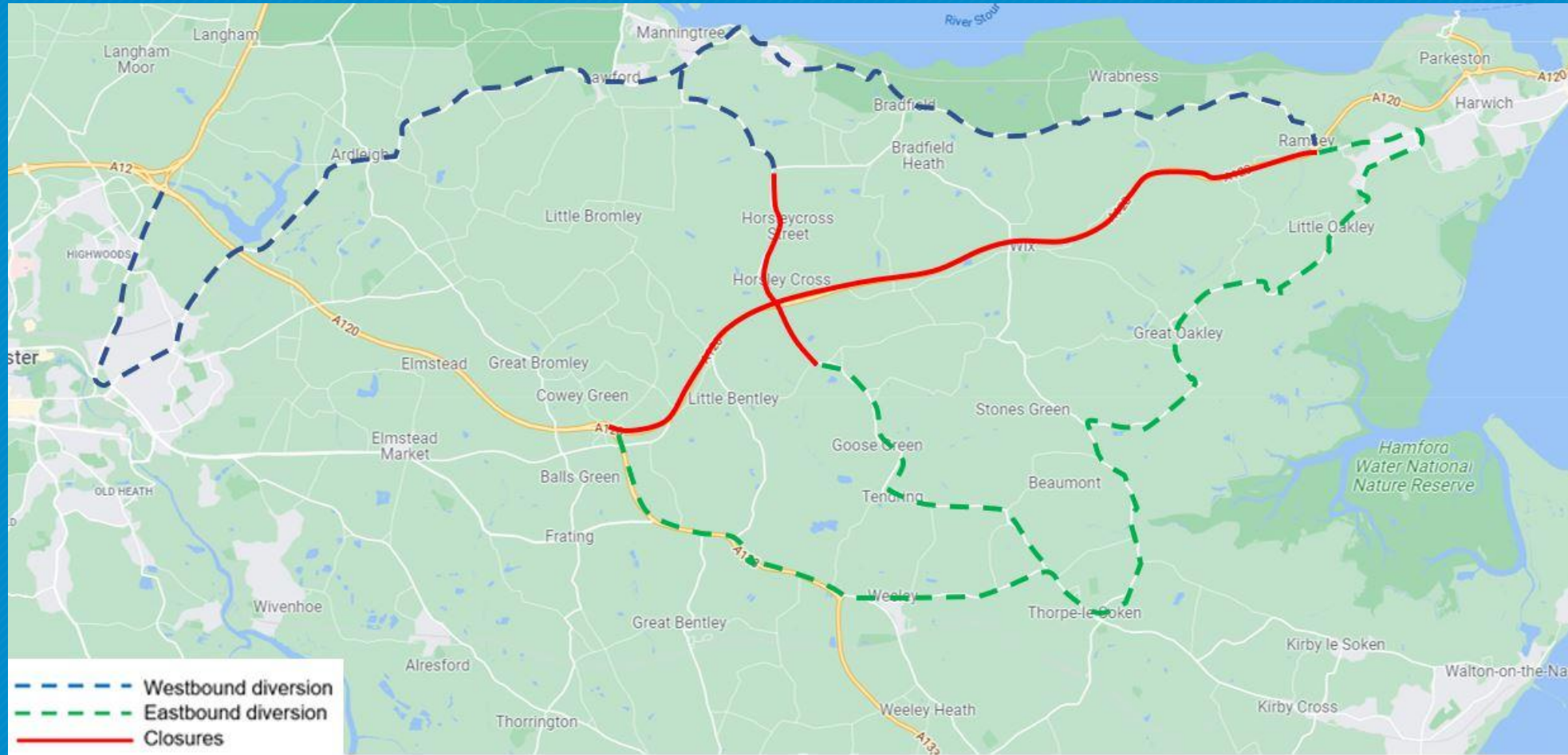


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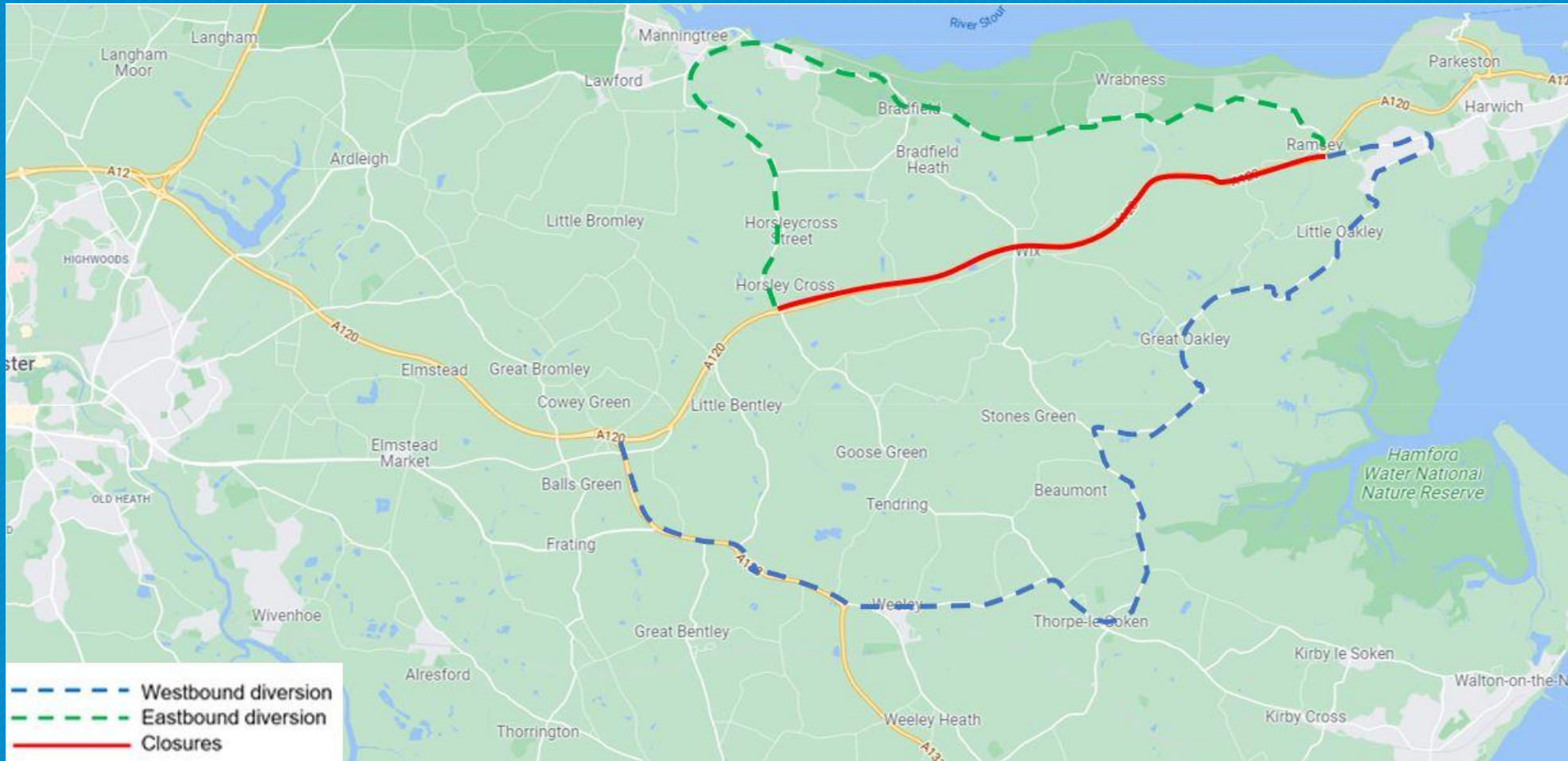
# Horsley Cross Roundabout resurfacing

Early  
November  
for 3 nights





# Horsley Cross to Ramsey resurfacing



Mid November  
to Mid  
February (excluding 2  
week shutdown  
over  
Christmas)

# Communication methods

- We will write to residents, local businesses and key stakeholders, affected by our works.
- We will ask you to add our letter to local websites, social media platforms and your weekly newsletter updates to residents and the wider community.
- We will also encourage you to share our communication with your stakeholder partners.
- Where necessary and appropriate, we will use Static Message Signs to inform traffic of the closures ahead



# Media monitoring

## Media Monitoring

- We will continue to monitor local websites, news bulletins and press for information on local events that may be affected by our works and provide the necessary updates.

## Weekly round-up

- Updates will be disseminated via our weekly round-up news release.



# Customer Contact – 24/7/365

## Scheme contact

- The Project Manager will be the main contact to answer any of your questions.

## Customer Contact Centre

- If you have any enquiries about this or other schemes, please contact the National Highways Customer Contact Centre on
  - 0300 123 5000, or by e-mail to [info@highwaysengland.co.uk](mailto:info@highwaysengland.co.uk)

# Questions and Answers

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