



Cambridge Road - road closures

Planned for 19/20 and 26/27 September

Local residents will be aware that Cambridge Road is undergoing some changes. As part of our discussions with local communities about the development of Wintringham, it was clear that ensuring better connections and safe access is really important. Now, with the temporary construction access moving on to the A428, and the school opening later this year, the next phase of these works is underway.

We know that the works so far have caused some disruption, but we are pleased to say they are progressing well. We now have some important dates to tell you about, where the works (and their impact) may be more significant to you.

Phase 1 road closure - 19/20 September

We are now coming up to the first weekend when we will be needing to put in place a road closure. This is to enable the installation of the crossings and resurfacing of the road.

This means that Cambridge Road will be closed on 19/20 September, between Loves Way and Belland Hill, with works taking place from 8am-6pm. A diversion will be put in place, which is set out below.

Works being delivered by the project include:

- Installing two toucan crossings to enable safe crossing between Loves Farm and Wintringham
- Putting in a bus shelter with “real time travel information” showing when the next bus is due on the Loves Farm side of the road
- A bus layby on the opposite side of the road.



The diversion for this section is shown in the map, with traffic leaving Loves Farm by the Stone Hill roundabout heading for St Neots needing to travel via the A428, Barford Road and Cromwell Road.



Our team has carefully planned these works to cause as little disruption as possible to local residents and road users. There is, however, a significant noise impact associated with the toucan crossing resurfacing works and for 2-3 hours on **Saturday 19 September** a large planer is required to remove the existing surface to prepare it for the new installation.

After this weekend work has been completed the roadworks will go back to the current set up:

- Two and three-way traffic lights in place as the works move down Cambridge Road
- Works will take place from 7am - 5.30pm on weekdays and 7.30am - 1.30pm on Saturdays (if required).

Phase 2 road closure - 26/27 September

The next road closures needed for the installation of the second toucan crossing – to the west of the Dramsell Rise roundabout – will be on **26/27 September**. Works will take place from 8am-6pm, with the same noise impact on the morning of Saturday 26th when the planer is being used. A diversion will be put in place, which is set out below.

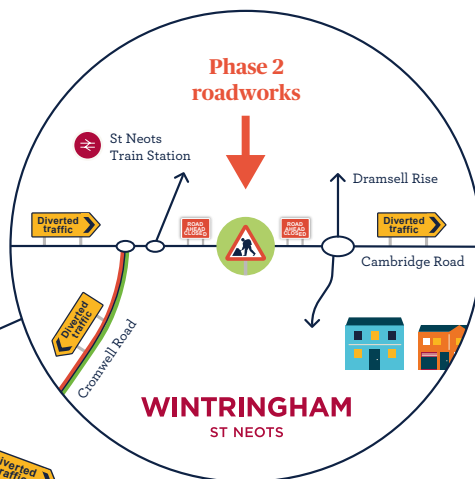
The rest of the works will be carried out with traffic lights in place. All works are due to be finished by mid November.

What is a toucan crossing, anyway?

A toucan crossing is a type of pedestrian crossing that also allows bicycles to be ridden across. Since two can, both pedestrians and cyclists, cross together, the name “toucan” was chosen. The crossings will be 4 metres wide.



The diversion for this section is shown in the map below, with all traffic leaving Loves Farm for St Neots needing to go via the A428, Barford Road and Cromwell Road.



We do apologise for the disruption we know this work will cause, and we are working to minimise this. The work will be carried out by J Breheny Civil Engineering, who have been working extensively with us through the early set up of the development. If there are any issues with the works underway or to contact the site team please contact 01449 720282

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