Works – Cranford Road/Barton Road Junction

Start date – Wednesday 24th July Approx. 6pm

Completion – Tuesday 3rd September

What we are doing – This scheme aims to facilitate the future traffic growth in the area whilst improving the safety of pedestrians crossing Barton Road especially children attending Hayfield Cross Primary school.

To achieve this we need to adjust the layout of the existing junction with some widening of the carriageway and re-location of the traffic island. There will be new traffic lights installed incorporating a pedestrian crossing facility and the carriageway will be resurfaced with new road markings throughout.

When programming works, we consider the impact on all network users and plan our works to minimise disruption as much as possible. This is why the works are being carried out during the school holidays.

During works, there will be a northbound closure in place to ensure the safety of the public and our workforce as per the map overleaf. The diversion is also shown (closure in red and diversion in blue). This will create a southbound one-way system, which will run from the existing works at Warkton Lane to Linnet Drive and include, at times, 2 way traffic lights to enable traffic to exit safely from Cranford Road. The traffic light system will ensure the southbound flow of traffic on Barton Road is the main priority.

The resurfacing and road marking works will need to be under full night time road closures to avoid too much traffic disruption. This is planned for the end of the works programme. We do understand that this will be inconvenient but works can only be completed safely and efficiently with this in place. You will receive further communication regarding the night closures nearer the time.

During w/c 22nd July, there will be some works off Cranford Road installing a compound area. The main works will start on 24th July around 6pm once the school and evening traffic has reduced. This is when the one-way system will be installed.

The estimated programme of works is six weeks. However this is weather dependent and may be subject to change. We will be working six days a week. During the works, we ask that you consider where you park and refrain from parking in the affected areas.

This location has many organisations working together at the same time, including utilities. We do realise this is inconvenient but by working this way, we can reduce the overall programme. If works were undertaken separately, traffic management would be required for a much longer duration. For full information regarding Kettering East please visit https://www.kettering.gov.uk/info/20054/planning/87/hanwood_park

Information for residents and businesses

Access: The traffic management will be in place for the duration. Access will be maintained but there may be some delays. Please allow extra time for your journeys.

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Pedestrians: During the works, barriers will be in place to ensure safe passage of pedestrians.

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