

Our Ref: CD12/SD/ RBWM/Volkers/PCL
Date: 19/12/2018

To: The Occupier

Dear Sir/Madam,

**RE: JUNCTION IMPROVEMENT & TRAFFIC SIGNAL UPGRADE PROJECT
– HIGH STREET / KEATE’S LANE, ETON**

Volker Highways on behalf of the Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead, will be carrying out highway engineering works at the junction of High Street and Keate’s Lane in Eton.

The work is necessary to update and upgrade the existing traffic signal equipment, much of which has reached the end of its serviceable life. In addition, improved facilities for pedestrians will be provided including new footway and carriageway surfacing together with the inclusion of widened, controlled pedestrian crossing facilities. Improvements for cyclists will also be incorporated with the inclusion of advance stop lines.

In order to complete the project safely and as efficiently as possible the junction will be managed under temporary traffic control and be carried out in 3 phases, the details of these phases are as follows:

Phase 1:

- Commencing on 14/01/19 for 2 weeks under 3-way temporary traffic signals (lights manually controlled at peak time).
- Work limited to the High Street.
- Work will include civil engineering work in preparation for Phase 2 installation of new lighting and traffic signal systems (lights manually controlled at peak time).
- High Street / Keate’s Lane junction will remain open and managed under 3-way temporary traffic signals during this phase.

Phase 2:

- Commencing on 28/01/19 for 2 weeks under 3-way temporary traffic signals
- Work limited to the High Street.
- Work will include installation of traffic signal and lighting equipment.
- High Street / Keate’s Lane junction will remain open and managed under 3-way temporary traffic signals during this phase.

Phase 3:

- Commencing on 11/02/19 for 2 weeks under road closure.
- Work limited to Keate’s Lane.

- Work will include civil engineering work, installation of new lighting & traffic signals, road and footway resurfacing.
- The new traffic signals will be operational upon completion of this phase.

For Health and Safety reasons and to ensure the work is completed as efficiently as possible, Keate's Lane between its junctions with High Street and South Meadow Lane will be closed during the working period. This is to facilitate the works and access to and from properties may be restricted at times. We will maintain access for emergency vehicles and for residents and businesses located within the closure as far as possible, but there may be periods where you could encounter delays.

Please be patient with the contractor while he controls traffic to facilitate a safe passage through the works.

The works are weather dependent and the programmed start dates may change. Any changes to the start date will be notified on the Advance Warning signs which will be placed on site.

These works are an essential part of the Council's ongoing maintenance and improvement programme and are necessary to make sure the roads are kept in an up to date, safe and useable condition. Your patience and co-operation would be much appreciated to ensure that the Contractor is able to complete the works as quickly as possible and with minimum inconvenience.

The Royal Borough of Windsor and Maidenhead would like to apologise in advance for any inconvenience, noise or disruption caused as a result of these works, and would like to thank you for your understanding and co-operation while we are on site. Should you have any further queries please contact Customer Services between 9am and 5pm Monday to Friday on **01628 683868**. Alternatively, you can email enquiries to highways@rbwm.gov.uk.

For Emergencies during out of hours and weekends please call the Emergency Control Room on 01753 853517. Please note this number is not to be used for general enquiries.

Thank you.

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