

Fairfield Common A6 roundabout

November 2022 Update

Works completed to date



Significant progress has been made in recent weeks following the installation of the temporary traffic lights on the A6 at the end of September. The installation of these had to be delayed to allow for critical works to be undertaken on the A5004 Long Hill route at Shallcross.



Due to the fantastic efforts from the contractors on site they have completed the following during the month.

- Installation of the tarmac base course layer for the new sections of carriageway.
- Installation of the street lighting columns – 13 in total.
- Completion of the drainage pipework and chambers. This equates to 520 linear meters of pipework installed and 21 chambers constructed.
- The installation of 700 linear meters of kerbs, 1,000m installed in total.
- The removal of the existing tree stumps from alongside the carriageway.
- The removal of 1,600 tonnes of former tip material from site to a waste treatment facility.
- The installation of BT ducting to facilitate a diversion of the existing infrastructure.
- Installation of the highway signage.

Progress and upcoming works

Planned works for December

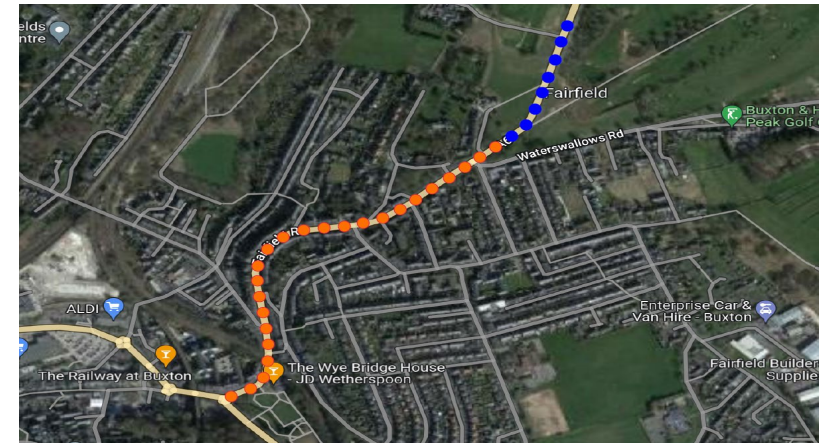
In December the site team will focus on completing the project and removing traffic management prior to the Christmas period. During the upcoming weeks we will be completing the following activities.



- The installation of tarmac material for the footpath construction.
- Installation of tactile crossings points.
- Installation of the street lighting electrical infrastructure.
- The installation of topsoil to finished earthworks areas.
- Fencing and landscaping works.
- Removal of the site compound.
- Installation of the carriageway surfacing course material.
- Installation of new highway signage and road markings.

Galliford Try Traffic Management Update

A full closure of the A6 is required to allow for the safe installation of the carriageway surface course material. The site team will require 5 nights of closures between the hours of 7pm and 6am. The closure will be in place from Monday 28th November until Saturday 03rd December.



The section of carriageway highlighted blue will be fully closed to all traffic during the periods above with traffic being diverted towards the A5004. To ensure traffic is directed correctly a 'soft closure' will be in place at the roundabout located at the bottom of Fairfield Road. A traffic management operative will be stationed at this soft closure to manage the safe access to Fairfield Road for residents and to direct all other traffic to the A5004.

Pedestrian access is unaffected.

Progress and upcoming works

Derbyshire County Council Traffic Management Update

The week before our works take place, Derbyshire County Council will be undertaking carriageway maintenance along the section of Fairfield Road, highlighted in orange on the plan.

Derbyshire County Council is working alongside Galliford Try to carry out essential carriageway maintenance on the A6 Fairfield Road in advance of our surfacing works. The overnight closures will be in place from 22nd November for two nights. The closure will take effect between the hours of 7:00pm and 04:00 am.

By collaborating, the County Council has avoided the need for further roadworks on the A6 shortly after the roundabout has been completed to help reduce the impacts to local residents and road users.

The County Council will issue further details in due course. They will also have traffic marshals to give advice to local residents as to how to get past the works.

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A6 Fairfield Roundabout Project community support

Having established contact with the Fairfield bowling club we were asked if we could lend a hand with the demolition and removal of the existing bowling green hut. The access and egress from the hut is via two flights of steps and through a narrow path leading to the club entrance on St Peters Road. The removal of the hut debris to the skips located on the road proved to be very demanding for the club members. We volunteered our time and manual labour to support the members in removing the debris from the hut location through the difficult access route and into the waste recovery skips.



With support from our site team, including our sub-contractors CR Civil Engineering and J C Balls, we managed to fill the skips ready for collection.



Fairfield Bowling Club November 2022



Terry Redfern

Club secretary

Fairfield bowling club

Dear Galliford Try

On behalf of Fairfield Club, we would like to thank you and your team for the fantastic effort put in by everyone who helped cart the demolished bowling hut debris up to the skips last week. The job would have taken us a long time as most of our members would have struggled with the steps and difficult access route. It has made a massive difference to us, and we wanted to thank you again.