



The Bath Street Bus Lane Contraflow Project

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Surfacing and lining works on footpath almost completed.

BATH STREET BUS LANE CONTRAFLOW









Dear Stakeholder,

We are now in the last few months of the scheme, and continuing to make progress with the BT chamber infrastructure as the final stages of the works are coming together. Regarding the actual road works, the northern half of the final surfacing are now completed with white lines and anti-skid measures in place. We have also removed the northern temporary pedestrian signals as the permanent pedestrian crossing have now been commissioned.

Following our liaison with the management of St Georges Shopping Centre, we carried out some additional surfacing works in the St Georges shopping centre carpark alongside our works.

Progress Update

The old BT chamber on the southeast corner of Bath Street has now been demolished. Temporary works for a new chamber are also completed. Currently, we are progressing with works on installing the rebar for reinforced concrete that will become the base of the new BT chamber.

Upcoming works

In April, we will be carrying out rebar and concrete pours to the walls of the new chamber. After the completion of the BT chamber, we will then proceed with the remaining works on the southern island, including resurfacing. These activities are scheduled to take place mostly during overnight shifts.

Traffic Management

The temporary traffic management plan on the north end to West Street roundabout will be removed. However, traffic management will remain on the southern end for the duration of the remaining works. Our traffic management team will continue to monitor these traffic management plans to ensure that workers on site, pedestrians, and road users remain safe.

Stakeholder Liaison

We have and will continue to prioritize safety standards until the scheme is completed. We are also maintaining open communication with stakeholders, especially those affected by the works, and will continue to do so. We kindly ask that any concerns or questions about the scheme be directed to us via the project email at BathStreet@jackson-civils.co.uk or the address at the bottom of this letter and we will respond to them as soon as possible.









Progress Photos:



Clifton road access completed with road markings.



Road works almost completed.

Working in the Community:



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Public Liaison
Officers Shannon
and Juliet at St
Georges Church of
England School in
Gravesend for a
Careers fair
session.









Public Liaison Officers Shannon and Juliet recently attended a STEM inspired careers fair at St Georges Church of England School in Gravesend to introduce students to career opportunities in engineering and the construction industry, as well as the advantages of taking the apprenticeship route in career progression. The session was insightful as pupils in Years 8,9,10 who showed interest in engineering had their questions answered satisfactorily.

Until our next update!

Kind regards,

The Project Team

For more information about the Bath Street Contraflow Bus Lane, please visit the KCC website:

https://www.kent.gov.uk/roads-and-travel/road-projects/in-progress-road-projects/bath-street-fastrack-bus-lane

For any further enquiries, please send an email to Bathstreetfastrack@kent.gov.uk.



