

Summerley Lane / Felpham Way Junction, Felpham

Frequently Asked Questions

1. Why does this work have to take place?

As part of local road works to mitigate the negative effect of new developments in the area, the County Councillor and Parish Council responded to locally voiced concerns about the difficulty in turning right from Summerley Lane onto the B2259 by including this area in a list of sites where they considered improvements could be made. Local consultation and formal advertisement of the proposals has led to the decision to implement a mini roundabout here. Proposals for work in other parts of Felpham have also been progressed, some implemented and others are in the pipeline.

2. What work has to be done?

The work includes the construction of a mini roundabout, moving of the controlled crossing and realignment of the junction with associated signs and road markings and changes to highway lighting.

3. What will the benefits be once it is finished?

It is expected to ease traffic queueing in Summerley Lane and facilitate the right turn exit and slow traffic on Felpham Way.

4. Will any road have to be closed during the works?

The work will be completed using 3 way traffic lights for the duration of the works where construction is taking place. Access to residential properties will be maintained, though at times there may be delays.

5. When will the work start?

Works are programmed to commence week commencing 21st January 2019. Though is weather dependant.

6. When will the work finish?

Works are programmed to be completed by 3rd March 2019

7. What time of day will the work take place?

The contractor is permitted to work from 8am to 5pm Monday to Friday.

8. Can works be carried out at evenings or overnight?

No permissions have been granted for night working as this is mainly a residential area.

9. How much will it cost?

Approximately £140,000.

10. What disruption can motorists or bus passengers expect?

Works will mainly be carried out allowing one-way traffic past the areas of construction. Pedestrian access will be maintained. Parking will be temporarily suspended whilst work is carried out at specific locations, this will be indicated on site with signs. There will be some noise, however we will do all we can to keep this to a minimum.

11. Will temporary bus stops be put in place during the work?

As required.

12. Will any diversion routes for traffic have to be put in place?

Diversions will not generally be needed.

13. Are there any other considerations people need to be aware of?

The above timings and programme are subject to changes due to weather conditions, equipment breakdown or emergency work taking priority.

14. Why have you chosen to do this at this time of year?

An opportunity has arisen for the works to be undertaken in January, this was taken rather than wait for other opportunities later in the year when traffic flows could be higher and to ensure that works are completed before the Easter holidays.