

18 December 2018

Dear Sir or Madam,

Project: Refurbishment of a Signalised Junction

I am pleased to inform you that as part of our continuing efforts to improve the highways, work is due to commence soon at the junction of Goring Road and Shaftesbury Avenue, Worthing.

What we're doing

This project will include;

- Upgrading obsolete traffic signals equipment with new poles, traffic signals controller and more energy efficient LED traffic signal heads.
- Additional pedestrian crossings within the junction and the upgrade from a Pelican crossing with far sided red/green man units to a Puffin crossing with near sided red/green man units.
For more information on How to use a Puffin Crossing, please see leaflet included.
- The inclusion of additional detectors that will allow for priority to be returned to vehicles once the pedestrians are safely crossed meaning less time wasted.
- Pedestrian tactile paving is to be replaced.
- Traffic Management will be used during the duration of the works.
PLEASE NOTE – an area of Robson Road (east of Shaftesbury Avenue) will be used to store materials and plant during the works – barriers and lane narrowing will be used to cordon off this area. Please do not park opposite this area as access will be required daily. We further apologise for any inconvenience this may cause you.

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When this will take place

The work will start on w/c 7 January 2019 and is expected to take up to 10 weeks to complete. Our hours of work will *generally* be between 8:30am and 4:30pm.

Before the works start, we will erect advance warning signs in the local area, letting you know any changes to the start date and marking the extent of the works.

Contact us

Thank you for your cooperation and patience whilst these works are carried out. Should you need to speak to someone please try the site staff in the first instance as they may be able to answer your query quickly. Alternatively you can call the West Sussex Highways contact centre on 01243 642105 and ask for James Lightfoot or email us on-line at www.westsussex.gov.uk/roadpavementenquiry

Yours faithfully,

Barry Edmunds
Signals & Lighting Team Leader

Information for residents

We know our works can cause disruption but will do our utmost to minimise any impact.
We apologise for any inconvenience caused.



Please don't park where you may cause an obstruction.



At times access may be limited. We will always do our best to allow access to homes and businesses.



Some work is weather dependant. We will keep you updated with any delays & changes via the advanced warning signs.



If you have special needs or requirements please get in touch or speak to our staff on site.

General advice



If possible please avoid walking on newly laid material;
If you do we suggest checking shoes before walking on carpets and flooring.



Beware of rogue traders;
West Sussex Highways contractors do not tout for private works.

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