



Castle Street Improvements – Fortnightly Update

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Welcome to our latest Castle Street Improvements e-bulletin.

Over the next two weeks, our teams will continue progressing works across several phases of the project. Activities will focus on paving, drainage, highway construction, ducting and lighting infrastructure as we continue delivering improvements to the city centre for residents, businesses and visitors.

Night-time Working Notice

To facilitate the safe installation of new radius kerbs outside the Angel Hotel, overnight works will take place on **Wednesday 9 September and Thursday 10 September**.

These works have been scheduled during the evening and overnight period to minimise disruption to traffic and pedestrians during peak daytime hours. We apologise for any inconvenience caused and appreciate your patience while these essential improvements are completed.

Phase 2

Works in this area will include:

- Installation of traffic management.
- Site clearance works.
- Continued installation of new pennant paving.

Phase 3

Works in this area will include:

- Installation of street lighting column pots.
- Drainage installation works.
- Installation of highway kerbs to the island.
- Installation of additional temporary traffic management required to complete the remaining Phase 3 kerb line works.
- Continued installation of highway kerbs towards Kingsway.



- Ongoing footway construction works.
- Temporary traffic management will be removed at the end of each working day where possible to minimise disruption.

Phase 6

Works in this area will include:

- General footway reinstatement works.
- Continued installation of pennant paving, potentially progressing directly outside shopfronts while maintaining access to businesses at all times.
- Removal of traffic management upon completion of works.

Phase 7

Works in this area will include:

- Installation of traffic management.
- Site clearance and trial hole investigations.
- Installation of signposts.
- Installation of Emtelle ducting.
- Installation of lighting column pots.
- EDF meter disconnection works.
- Drainage installation works.
- Air quality monitoring undertaken by Terra Curae.

Phase 8

Works in this area will include:

- Installation of traffic management.
- Installation of street lighting column pots.
- Continued installation of Emtelle ducting and traffic signal infrastructure.
- Overnight works on **9 and 10 September** to complete radius kerb installation outside the Angel Hotel.

Phase 12



Works in this area will include:

- Installation of traffic management.
- Trial hole investigations to identify and confirm the location of existing underground services.

Thank You

We would like to thank residents, businesses and visitors for their continued patience and support while these works are carried out. Every effort will be made to minimise disruption and maintain access wherever possible as we continue progressing the Castle Street Improvements Scheme.

