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Southgates Roundabout - Roadworks Update

Week 12 – Monday 19th April 2010

Roadworks at Southgates roundabout in King's Lynn continue slightly ahead of programme.

Widening of Nar Ouse Way continues with the wider turn into Wisbech Road now becoming clearer as the photo below shows.



Road widening along the south side of Hardwick Road approaching the roundabout has also progressed well with most new kerbing now in place, and the first layers of surfacing are due to be laid next Friday 30th April. Temporary traffic control to allow lorries to enter and leave the site here will be used.

Temporary traffic lights will be needed again along Wisbech Road just west of the river bridge to allow electricity cable diversions to proceed. Lights will be in use from 09:30 to 16:00 from throughout the week.

Meanwhile water main and electric cable diversions continue at the roundabout, plus preparation for connection to new mains recently laid along Nar Ouse Way as part of the Borough's NORA Utilities works.

There will be no works over the Bank Holiday weekend, and all traffic lanes will be open.

Detailed preparations have begun for surfacing works up to and including the full closure of the roundabout on the weekend 19/21 June.

The Southgates project is one of the transport improvements that began in King's Lynn in 2009 after Norfolk County Council and the Borough Council of King's Lynn & West Norfolk secured £5.3m from the Government's Community Infrastructure Fund

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