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Southgates Roundabout - Roadworks Update

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Roadworks at Southgates roundabout in King's Lynn have now been running for three months.

Nearly all drainage, cables, ducts and pipework beneath the ground have been laid, diversions of utility cables and pipes are nearing completion, new road formations are nearly done and now the first layers of surfacing are being laid on the widened Hardwick Road as shown below.



Next week surfacing will continue in the widened section of Nar Ouse Way. Again, temporary traffic control to allow lorries to enter and leave the site here will be used.

Inbound lane closures will be used on London Road to allow electric cable laying and connection, on Tuesday 4th and Wednesday 5th May from 09:30.

Also on London Road, stop/go boards will be used intermittently on Wednesday morning to allow measurements to be taken within the Southgates arch ready for repairs that will be carried out in the next few weeks. These are being undertaken by the Borough Council's contractor, but the traffic management needed is being combined with that for the roundabout works to minimise any extra disruption.

On Hardwick Road, inbound lane closures will be in use each day between 09:30 and 15:30 while a retaining wall is built at the back of the new footway in front of the garage.

Detailed preparations continue 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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