

To: Swale Joint Transportation Board
By: KCC Highways, Transportation & Waste
Date: 9th September 2019
Subject: Highway Forward Works Programme – 2019/20 onwards
Classification: Information Only

Summary: This report updates Members on the identified schemes approved for construction

1. Introduction

This report provides an update and summarises schemes that have been programmed for delivery in 2019/20.

Kent County Council has agreed a substantial increase in the budget for planned highway works over the next three years, and as a result we are still in the process of identifying and designing schemes for inclusion in our full Year One to Two (2019/20 and 2020/21) and Year Three to Five (2021/22 to 2023/24) programmes. Because of this, we have decided to publish an interim programme, and to publish the full programmes later this year. For some assets this interim programme covers approximately the first six months of 2019/20, whilst for others it includes most of the works planned for the whole year.

This programme is subject to regular review and may change for a number of reasons including budget allocation, contract rate changes, and to reflect KCC's changing priorities. The programme and extent of individual sites within the programme may also be revised following engineering assessment during the design phase.

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Conclusion

1. This report is for Members' information.

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Appendix A – Road, Footway and Cycleway Renewal and Preservation Scheme

The delivery of these schemes is weather dependent; should it prove not possible to carry out these works on the planned dates, new dates will be arranged and the residents will be informed by a letter drop to their homes.

Machine Resurfacing – Contact Officer Byron Lovell			
Road Name	Parish	Extent of Works	Current Status
A2 St Michael's Rd	Sittingbourne	Forum to Crown Quay Lane	Programmed 17 th October 2019
A250 High St	Sheerness	Millennium Way to junction with Victoria Street	Programmed 2 nd December 2019
A250 Millennium Way	Sheerness	50m each approach to High Street	To be programmed 28 th November 2019
A2 London Road	Sittingbourne	The Billet PH for a distance of 100m easterly towards Sittingbourne Town Centre	To be programmed 27 th November 2019
Bank Street	Faversham	Junction with Stone Street to car park	To be programmed 29 th November 2019
A2 High Street	Newington	Bus layby to Church Lane	Delayed due to Gas works
High Street	Sittingbourne	Full length of Sittingbourne High Street and Central Avenue	Programmed 15 th October 2019
Footway Improvement - Contact Officer Neil Tree			
Road Name	Parish	Extent and Description of Works	Current Status
New Road	Sheerness	Exact sections to be determined. (Footway Reconstruction)	Currently on site
Oak Road	Sittingbourne	Tonge Road to Great East Hall road. (Footway Reconstruction)	To be designed and programmed

Broom Road	Sittingbourne	Exact sections to be determined. (Footway Reconstruction)	To be designed and programmed
Beaconsfield Road	Sittingbourne	Entire length (Footway Reconstruction)	Currently on site
Lansdown Road	Sittingbourne	Exact section to be determined. (Footway Reconstruction)	Currently on site
Eagles Close	Sittingbourne	Exact section to be determined. (Footway Reconstruction)	To be designed and programmed
Blenheim Road	Sittingbourne	Exact section to be determined. (Footway Reconstruction)	Designed and to be programmed
Sunnyfields Drive	Queenborough	Entire Length (Footway Protection Treatment)	Completed August 2019
Queenborough Road (service road section adjoining Sunnyfields Road only).	Queenborough	Entire Length (Footway Protection Treatment)	Completed August 2019
Rosemary Avenue	Sheerness	Entire Length (Footway Protection Treatment)	Completed
Ambleside	Sittingbourne	Entire Length (Footway Protection Treatment)	Completed
Menin Road	Sittingbourne	From The Junction With The Square To Its Junction With Ypres Drive. (Footway Protection Treatment)	Completed

Surface Treatments - Contact Officer Jonathan Dean

Micro Surfacing			
Road Name	Parish	Extent of Works	Current Status
LONDON ROAD	Sittingbourne	Hempstead Lane to East Street - missing out the new estate section	Complete
LONDON ROAD	Sittingbourne	Key Col Roundabout to Medway Border	Postponed until 2020 due to emergency gas works
LONDON ROAD	Sittingbourne	From A251 Ashfrod Road to Ospringe Road	Complete
EASTCHURCH ROAD	Eastchurch	From roundabout to A2050 Lower Road	Complete
CHURCH HILL	Forstal	Kemsdale Road to Staple Street	Programmed for 28 th September 2019 for 3 days
FRINSTED ROAD	Milstead & Frinsted	Horn Hill to Torry Hill Road	Programmed for 27 th September 2019 for 2 days
LOWER ROAD/BYSINGWOOD ROAD	Sittingbourne	From Bennetts Gardens (Property) to Tin Shop Lane	Complete
FEATHERBED LANE (AKA SOUTH STREET/(FOXES LANE)	Selling	From Selling Road to Scaggers Hill	Complete
DOWN COURT ROAD	Lynstead with Kingsdown	Chequers Hill to Sawpit	Complete
BYSING WOOD ROAD	Luddenham	Surface dressing edge to Tin Shop Hill	Complete
QUEENS ROAD	Sittingbourne	Union Road to Balwin Road	Complete

Appendix B – Drainage Repairs & Improvements

Drainage Repairs & Improvements - <i>Contact Officer Earl Bournier</i>			
Road Name	Parish	Description of Works	Current Status
Tunstall Road	Sittingbourne	Complete the new drainage system over the summer school break.	Passed to contractor awaiting start date
Maple Street,	Sheerness	Trial holes to determine location of a replacement system	Passed to contractor awaiting start date

Appendix C – Street Lighting

Structural testing of KCC owned street lights has identified the following as requiring replacement. A status of complete identifies that the column replacement has been carried out. Programme dates are identified for those still requiring replacement.

Street Lighting Column Replacement – <i>Contact Officer Sue Kinsella</i>			
Road Name	Parish	Description of Works	Status
First Avenue	Sheerness	Replacement of 2 no street lights complete with LED Lanterns	Work due for completion by the end of November
Mansfield Drive	Iwade	Replacement of 2 no street lights complete with LED Lanterns	Work due for completion by the end of November
ST Laurence Close	Bapchild	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Work due for completion by the end of November
Sanderling Way	Iwade	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Work due for completion by the end of November
Hamilton Crescent	Sittingbourne	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Work due for completion by the end of November
Thomsett Way	Sheerness	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Work due for completion by the end of November
Church Road	Sittingbourne	Replacement of 3 no street lights complete with LED Lanterns	Work due for completion by the end of November
<u>Borden Lane</u>	Sittingbourne	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Work due for completion by the end of November
Meeres Court Lane	Sittingbourne	Replacement of 2 no street lights complete with LED Lanterns	Work due for completion by the end of November
Miller Court	Minster	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Completed
Alexander Drive	Faversham	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Work due for completion by the end of November
Crown Quay Lane	Sittingbourne	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Work due for completion by the end of November
Lower Road	Minster	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Work due for completion by the end of November
The Broadway	Minster	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Work due for completion by the end of November
The Leas	Faversham	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Completed
Rowetts Way	Eastchurch	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Work due for completion by the end of November
Staplehurst Road	Sittingbourne	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Work due for completion by the end of November
Nobel Close	Teynham	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Work due for completion by the end of November
Leysdown Road	Leysdown	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Completed
Bysing Wood Road	Faversham	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Completed

New Road	Sheerness	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Work due for completion by the end of November
Grovehurst Road	Sittingbourne	Replacement of 1 no street light complete with LED Lantern	Work due for completion by the end of November
Bob Amor Close	Faversham	Replacement of 4 no street lights complete with LED Lanterns	Work due for completion by the end of November

Appendix D – Transportation and Safety Schemes

Casualty Reduction Measures

The Schemes Planning & Delivery Team is implementing schemes within the Swale District, to meet Kent County Council's strategic targets (for example, addressing traffic congestion, or improving road safety). Contact Officer – Paul Brand.

CASUALTY REDUCTION MEASURES			
Identified to address a known history of personal injury crashes			
Road Name	Parish	Description of Works	Current Status
A2 London Road junction with Staplehurst Road.	(Unparished)	-	(2019/20 sites currently under investigation).
A2500 Lower Road junction with B2008 Eastchurch Road.	Eastchurch	-	

INTEGRATED TRANSPORT SCHEMES			
Local Transport Plan funded non-casualty reduction schemes			
Road Name	Parish	Description of Works	Current Status
St Katherine Road, Filer Road and Danley Road, Halfway.	(Unparished)	Traffic signs for 20 miles per hour speed limit.	Works complete.
A2 London Road, Teynham (east of Cellar Hill junction).	Lynsted with Kingsdown and Teyham	Phase 2: Installation of kerb buildouts and lining works on eastern approach to Teynham.	Works ordered and programmed to start from September 23 rd 2019.
The Mall.	Faversham	Footway build-out and dropped kerbs to allow (uncontrolled) pedestrian crossing immediately south of the junction with Nelson Street.	Works ordered but there is currently no programme date. Currently objections to the waiting restriction traffic regulation order to be considered at this JTB meeting.

EXTERNALLY FUNDED TRANSPORT SCHEMES			
Road Name	Parish	Description of Works	Current Status
Church Road.	Eastchurch	Traffic restricted to one-way north-to-south between the junctions with High Street and B2231 Rowetts Way with associated traffic signs and partial restriction adjacent to the roundabout.	Traffic regulation order was sealed in July. Works ordered and programmed to start 09/09/2019 for up to two weeks.
Danley Road, Halfway.	(Unparished)	Traffic signs for one-way restriction (traffic restricted to one-way east-to-west).	Works complete.
High Street / Central Avenue, Sittingbourne.	(Unparished.)	Reversal of one-way restriction on Central Avenue and associated works, including relaying paving blocks.	Works substantially complete.

Appendix E – Developer Funded Works

Developer Funded Works (Section 278 Works)				
File Ref.	Road Name	Parish	Description of Works	Current Status
SW/2047	School Lane, Iwade	Iwade	Provision of New Junction /Access for Housing Development	End of Maintenance Works underway
SW/003028	Ospringe Cof E School, Water Lane, Faversham	Ospringe	Provision of Revised Vehicle Access	Works Completed Serving Maintenance Period
SW/3027	Tunstall Road, Tunstall	Tunstall	New School access Traffic calming changes and footway Connection	Works Completed Serving Maintenance Period – Lighting remedial works
SW/003055	Scocles Court	Minster on Sea	New access to Private Housing development	Agreement in place Works underway
SW/003056	Sittingbourne Community College, Canterbury Road, Murston	Sittingbourne	New access for School bus drop off park	Stage 3 Safety Audit works to be carried out
SW/003025	Sheppey Way, Iwade	Iwade	Provision of New Junction/Access for Housing Development	Stage 3 Safety Audit works to be carried out
SW/3046	Power Station Road, Halfway, Sheppey	Minster on Sea	Provision of Private Housing development Junction and Traffic Calming	Agreement in Place. Works underway.
SW003094	Nova, Graveney Road, Faversham	Faversham	Provision of Private Housing development Junction and Pedestrian Crossing	Agreement in place for temporary access. Full agreement progressing.
SW/3043	34-40 Rushenden Road	Queenborough	Reconstruction of existing lay-by as new Footway	Remedial Works to be carried out
SW/003054	Ceres Court	Sittingbourne	Provision of New Housing site access road	Works Completed Serving Maintenance Period
SW/003047	The Old Dairy, Halfway	Sheppey	Provision of New entrance to Private Housing Site	Works Completed Serving Maintenance Period

SW003048	Parsonage House, School Lane, Newington	Newington	Provision of New Access to Housing site and Traffic Calmed footway crossing	Agreement in place, outstanding works to be completed.
SW/003049	Sunny View, Scocles Road, Minster	Minster on Sea	Provision of entrance to Private Housing Site	Stage 3 Safety Audit works to be carried out to enable Certificate 1.
SW/003051	Spirit of Sittingbourne SECTION 3 Milton Rd, St Michaels Rd - Town Centre Highway Revisions	Sittingbourne	Provision of Revised Highway Layouts For New Cinema -M/S Car Park-	Agreement in place, works underway. Remedial works to be carried out.
SW/003077	Spirit of Sittingbourne SECTION 4 Station St, St Michaels Rd - Town Centre Highway Revisions	Sittingbourne	Provision of Revised Highway Layouts For New Cinema -M/S Car Park-Access Works	Agreement in place. Works Underway. Remedial works to be carried out.
SW/003071	Spirit of Sittingbourne SECTION 5 West St, Station St - Town Centre Highway Revisions	Sittingbourne	Provision of Revised Highway Layouts For New Cinema -M/S Car Park	Letter of Agreement in place - Works Underway. Remedial works to be carried out.
SW/003057	Spirit of Sittingbourne SECTION 6 Eurolink Way Retail Access - Town Centre Highway Revisions	Sittingbourne	Provision of Revised Highway Access for Retail Park	Letter of Agreement in place - Works Underway. Completion works required.
SW/003058	Spirit of Sittingbourne SECTION 6 Milton Road - Town Centre Highway Revisions	Sittingbourne	Provision of Pelican Crossing Upgrade for Existing Zebra Crossing	Letter of Agreement in place - Works Underway. Minor completion works required.
SW/003052	Eurolink Phase 5, Swale Way, Great Easthall	Sittingbourne	Provision of New Industrial Estate Road Junction Arm to Existing Roundabout	Works Completed Serving Maintenance Period.
SW/003053	Barge Way, Kemsley	Sittingbourne	Provision of Revised Access Arm from Existing Roundabout	Technical Vetting of Design Submission. Awaiting revised lighting design.
SW/003035	109-111 Staplehurst Road, Sittingbourne	Sittingbourne	Provision of revised traffic calming and vehicle access for	Remedial and completion Works Underway

			Housing developments	
SW/0033024	Dover Street, Sittingbourne	Sittingbourne	Revision of Vehicle Access to Lidl Store and footway revisions	Works complete, awaiting Safety Audit
SW/003033	Grove Ave/The Promenade, Leysdown on Sea	Leysdown	Revision of Surface Water Drainage	Works Completed Serving Maintenance Period
SW/003040	Otterham Quay Lane, Upchurch	Upchurch	Provision of Right Turn Lane / Junction and Footway for Housing Development	Agreement in place. Minor completion works required.
SW/003041	Larkrise, Conyer Road, Conyer	Teynham	Provision of footway to Small Housing Development	Works Completed Serving Maintenance Period.
SW/003032	Old Water Works Site, Rook Lane, Keycol, Bobbing	Bobbing	Provision of Revised Footway and Access to Housing Development	Agreement in place. Works underway.
SW/003068	Canterbury Road, Sittingbourne	Sittingbourne	Revision of existing footways to proposed Retirement Home frontage	Agreement in place. Remedial works required.
SW/003067	Old Brickworks, Western Link, Faversham	Faversham	Provision of New Roundabout Access for Housing Development	Agreement in place. Works underway.
SW/003074	School Lane, Bapchild	Bapchild	Provision of Vehicle access and new footway connection for small housing development	Technical Vetting of Design Submission. Agreement not yet in place.
SW/003069	Rushenden Road, Queenborough, Sheppey	Queenborough	Provision of New Access for Housing Development	Letter of Agreement in place, works underway.
SW/003081	Ham Road, Oare Road, Faversham	Faversham	Provision of Access Road to new Housing Development and Revision of Ham Road from Junction	Agreement in place, works underway.

SW/003082	Brogdale Road, Ospringe	Ospringe	Provision of Access Road to new Housing Development	Agreement in place, works underway
SW/003084	Eurolink Way, Sittingbourne	Sittingbourne	Provision of Junction Access Road to new Housing Development	Works Completed Serving Maintenance Period
SW/003085	Brogdale Road, Ospringe	Faversham	Provision of temporary construction access for housing development	Agreement in place, works underway
SW/003101	Lower Road, Teynham	Teynham	Provision of Footway for small Housing Development	Technical approval given. Agreement not progressed by developer.
SW/003087	A251 Ashford Rd & A2 London Rd, Faversham	Faversham	Provision of Roundabout access to Housing Development	Agreement in place, Works underway
SW/003088	Leysdown Road, Eastchurch, Sheppey	Eastchurch	Provision of revised access for Wind Farm	Agreement in place. Minor completion works required.
SW/003089	A2 High St, Newington	Newington	Provision of Access for new small Housing Development	Works Completed Serving Maintenance Period
SW/003090	Minster Road, Minster Sheppey	Minster	Provision of Access for new small Housing Development	Letter of Agreement in place. Works underway.
SW/003118	Grovehurst Road, Sittingbourne	Sittingbourne	Provision of Access for new small Housing Development	Agreement in place, Works Completed Stage 3 Safety Audit complete – reported items to be rectified.
SW/003091	Eurolink Way, Milton Road, Sittingbourne	Sittingbourne	Footway Access to Retail Development	Agreement in place. Remedial works required.
SW/003092	Castle Road, Sittingbourne	Sittingbourne	New Access and footway to Industrial Units	Letter of Agreement in place. Significant remedial works required.
SW003096	North St, Milton Regis	Sittingbourne	Temporary Construction Access for proposed School Drop Off facility	Agreement in place. Works underway.

SW003103	Oak Lane, Upchurch	Upchurch	Traffic Calming/Footway Access to Small Housing Development	Design Technical Vetting underway.
SW003104	Spirit of Sittingbourne Section 1 – St Michaels Road	Sittingbourne	Traffic Calming and access to new Housing development	Agreement in place. Works underway.
SW003105	Spirit of Sittingbourne Section 2 – St Michaels Road/Dover Street/Fountain St	Sittingbourne	Traffic Calming and access to new Housing development	Tech approval given. Agreement instructed.
SW003108	Chequers Road, Minster Sheppey	Minster	Frontage Footway and Access for Small Housing development	Design Technical Vetting underway. Letter of Agreement in place for construction access.
SW00109	Spirit of Sittingbourne – Street Lighting Michaels Road/Dover Street/Fountain St Milton Road	Sittingbourne	Street Lighting Submission for Overall Sprit of Sittingbourne Schemes	Design Approved. Letter of Agreement in Place.
Sw003110	Spirit of Sittingbourne – Retaining Wall Fountain St	Sittingbourne	Fountain Street turning Area Retaining Wall	Design Technical Vetting Underway.
SW003260	Leaveland Corner, Faversham	Leaveland	Minor road widening and access for small housing development	Design Technical Vetting Underway.
SW003114	North Lane/Partridge Lane, Faversham	Faversham	Footway works to Brewery Visitor Centre	Design Technical Vetting Underway.
SW003115	Regis House, New Road, Sheerness	Sheerness	New vehicle access and footway to industrial development	Design Technical Vetting Underway.
SW003117	North Street, Milton Regis	Sittingbourne	Permanent School Drop-off facility and Zebra crossing	Design Technical Vetting Underway.
SW003141	Stones Farm, Canterbury Road, Bapchild	Bapchild	Traffic Signal Junction and Access for Private Housing Development	Technical Design Approved Agreement Instructed

SW003188	Crown Quay Lane, Sittingbourne	Sittingbourne	New Vehicle/Pedestrian Access for Housing Development site	Agreement in place, Works underway.
SW003191	Admirals Walk, Halfway, Sheppey	Halfway	Highway Drainage and Access works for new Housing Development	Initial Design Submission
SW003196	Church Road, Sittingbourne Golf Centre - Material Movements	Sittingbourne	Addition of passing places on Lomas Road, Church Road for Golf Centre Material Movements	Letter of Agreement in place for passing places. Works underway.
SW003119	Station Street, Delivery Road Access, Sittingbourne	Sittingbourne	Footway alongside of delivery road through to High Street	Technical Vetting underway.
SW003199	Swale Way, Great Easthall, Sittingbourne – Toucan	Sittingbourne	Provision of a Toucan Crossing for the Eurolink 5 Industrial Estate development	Technical Vetting underway.
SW003266	Station Road, Teynham	Teynham	New bellmouth on to station road, footway works, new lining and a build out.	Technical Vetting underway.

Appendix F – Bridge Works

Bridge Works – Contact Officer: Earl Bournier			
Road Name	Parish	Description of Works	Current Status
No works planned			

Appendix G – Traffic Systems

There is a programme of scheduled maintenance to refurbish life expired traffic signal equipment across the county based upon age and fault history. The delivery of these schemes is dependent upon school terms and holiday periods; local residents, businesses and schools will be informed verbally and by a letter drop of the exact dates when known.

Traffic Systems - <i>Contact Officer: Toby Butler</i>		
Location	Description of Works	Current Status
No traffic signal refurbishment work being carried out this year		

Appendix H- PROW

**Public Rights of Way and Access Service 2019
(as at 07/08/2019)**

Swale

Public Rights of Way – Contact Officer – David Fleck

Path No	Parish	Description of Works	Current Status
No works planned			

Appendix I – Combined Member Grant

Combined Member Grant programme update for Swale Borough Council

The following schemes are those which have been approved for funding by both the relevant Member and by the Director of Highways, Transportation and Waste. The list only includes schemes, which are

- in design
- at consultation stage
- Handed over for delivery
- Recently completed on site.

The list is up to date as of **7 August 2019**

The details given below are for highway projects only. This report does not detail

- Contributions Members have made to other groups such as parish councils
- Highway studies
- Traffic / non-motorised user surveys funded by Members.

More information on the schemes listed below can be found by contacting the District Manager for the Swale District.

2019/20 Combined Member Grant Highway Schemes

Antony Hook

Details of Scheme	Status
18-KHS-SW-103 Whitstable Road, Faversham Zebra pedestrian crossing upgrade	Works ordered and programmed for October 2019.

1.1 Legal Implications

1.1.1 Not applicable.

1.2 Financial and Value for Money Considerations

1.2.1 Not applicable.

1.3 Risk Assessment

1.3.1 Not applicable.

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