

## A3400 Birmingham Road, Stratford upon Avon

### Progress Update 12 February 2026

Warwickshire County Council (WCC) completed the third and final phase of the A3400 Birmingham Road Improvement Works in November 2025, providing notable enhancements to local infrastructure. These improvements primarily focused on improved management of traffic flow, improvements to conditions for pedestrians, cyclists and enhancing the overall public realm. The works also improved connectivity to the corridor from within Stratford.

The link below showcases the improvements and progress made during the project:

- [Phase 1 - Flickr - A3400 Birmingham Road](#)
- [Phases 2 and 3](#)

#### **Additional Remedial Works:**

Following the completion of works, WCC Officers and their consultants attended a number of meetings with local residents who requested for the following issues to be considered as Additional Remedial Works during 2026.

#### **Additional Cycleway Works:**

WCC Active Travel team has carried a review of the completed shared use footway and cycleway to ensure all routes are compliant with LTN 1/20 and has requested the installation of wayfinding signage, improved connections and pavings denoting the ends of the shared cycleway. WCC Engineering Design Services are currently reviewing the corridor to amend those sections as per Active Travel's request.

#### **New Street lighting opposite The Shed:**

WCC officers reviewed the street lighting provision immediately north of Buckingham Way, opposite The Shed and have recommended the installation of an additional street lighting column on the outbound side to provide improved street lighting ambiance for safer route for pedestrians and cyclists.

#### **Justins Avenue Junction alterations:**

Residents have raised concerns reporting of speeding, accidents, and near misses due the new two lanes approach towards Stratford town centre between St Peter's Way and Hamlet Way. WCC has commissioned video and traffic surveys to understand better the current operation of the junction with the new configuration. Once WCC has received data from surveys, they will be reviewing the area to understand driver behaviour and identifying issues to mitigate safety concerns raised. The comprehensive review shall provide likely solutions should they be deemed necessary, speed, and traffic count surveys were undertaken to inform possible solutions.

#### **Drainage Remediations by Park Road:**

A number of residents advised that they previously experienced regular flooding of their driveways near the Park Road roundabout. To assist WCC added, as part of the recent works, back of footway drainage channels to capture rainfall runoff. WCC are planning to undertake drainage surveys to ensure there are no blockages

in the system which may be causing the flooding. WCC are committed to identifying any issues and undertaking any necessary actions on any drainage system within WCC's control to help resolve the issue and will communicate with Severn Trent Water of any potential issues in their network.

**Western Road Junction alterations:**

Residents have raised concerns reporting of drivers continuing to turn right to join Birmingham Road from Western Road although the right turn restriction is clearly sign posted. WCC officers are currently reviewing the data collected from surveys to understand driver behaviour, the percentage of vehicles undertaking the banned turning and identifying potential safety issues to mitigate safety concerns raised. The review shall provide likely solutions should they be deemed necessary and inform of possible solutions.