

Stanks Island and Birmingham Road Improvement Scheme: Progress Update

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Overview

Works at the Stanks Island and A425 Birmingham Road, Warwick, continue to progress as part of a planned series of improvements proposed for Warwick and the A46.

Works are ongoing on the NE and NW sides of Stanks Island, Haywood Road and Wedgnock Lane South and Birmingham Road North. Road construction has begun at Haywood Road and is soon to start at Wedgnock South.

We extend our thanks to all residents, businesses and visitors to the area for their cooperation and patience as we work to deliver these improvements.

Works are progressing well, and the current programme remains on schedule.

Progress to Date

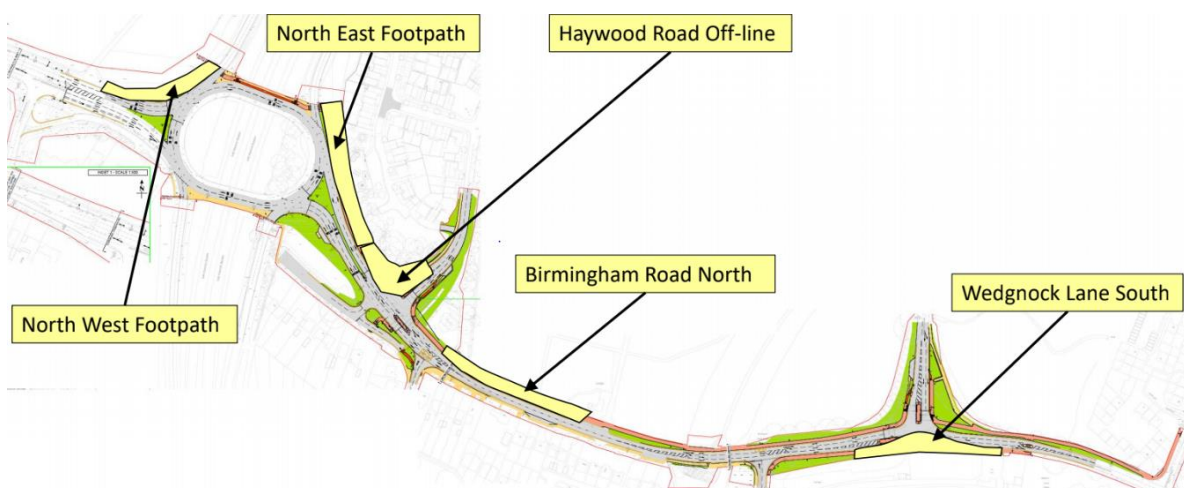


Figure 1: Works Location Plan

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Haywood Road Off-Line (see Figure 1)

Excavation of the road box has been completed for the new road alignment and the stone capping layer is beginning to be put in place. Setting out profile boards have been installed along the section, ready for road construction. New drainage has been installed on the north side of the carriageway.



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NE Footpath (see Figure 1)

Trenching for street lighting ducts have been excavated and ducting for traffic signalling has been continued towards Haywood Lane. New gullies have been connected to the existing drainage pipes.



NW Footpath (see Figure 1)

New carrier drain installed and the excavation for the new footpath has been extended. Excavation for signal ducts is being undertaken.



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Wedgnock Lane South (see Figure 1)

The new road box has been excavated ready for capping. The existing footpath has been excavated out. The existing drainage has been jetted out and inspected by a specialist sub-contractor, in order to try to maintain as much as possible of existing system.



Birmingham Road North (see Figure 1)

The footway has been excavated and new ducting for street lighting and traffic signals has been installed along the footway. The footway foundation layer has been reinstated. Two-way traffic signals and a lane closure have been put in place to aid safe undertaking of the works.



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Health and Safety

On behalf of WCC and NMCN, we apologise for the inconvenience/delays you are encountering due to the roadworks and temporary traffic management. Health and safety of the public and workforce is of paramount importance to all involved in delivering this project and the works continue to progress with no reported incidents.

Further Information

Traffic management around the works continues to be in place off-peak. Entry lane restrictions have been put in place using low level barriers at Wedgnock roundabout to reduce the distance crossed for pedestrians whilst maintaining visibility.

The push-button crossing on Birmingham Road Canal Bridge will remain in place whilst works are being undertaken at Wedgnock South and the footpath remains closed. Full pedestrian route guidance can be found on the website and on the printed maps around the area closed.

Your patience and adherence to the temporary traffic management, required to keep the public and workforce safe, is very much appreciated.

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