

To: Folkestone & Hythe Joint Transportation Board

By: KCC Highways, Transportation & Waste

Date: 25th November 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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Alison Hews	Street Works East Manager

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.

Road Asset Renewal Schemes – Contact Officer: Byron Lovell			
Road Name	Parish	Extent of Works	Current Status
A260 Canterbury Road	Densole	North of Black Horse Farm Caravan Park to Black Horse Pub	Completed
B2068 Stone Street	Stelling Minnis	George Inn Pub to Mising Lane	Completed
A259 High Street	New Romney	Sainsburys Roundabout to north of B2071 Station Road	Completed
A260 The Tram Road	Folkestone	Harbour Street to Harvey Street	Programmed 5 th December 2019
A2033 Dover Road	Folkestone	Harbour Way through to Grace Hill Roundabout	Programmed 6 th December 2019
A260 Spitfire Way	Hawkinge	Between Canterbury Road and Aerodrome Road	Programmed 22 nd November 2019
A259 Cheriton Road	Folkestone	Cheriton Rd to Shorncliffe Rd	Programmed 10 th February 2020
A259 Pavilion Road	Folkestone	Radnor Pk Rd 4 Way Jcn to Black Bull Rd	Programmed 6 th February 2020
A259 Radnor Park Road	Folkestone	Black Bull Rd to 4 Way Jcn with Pavilion Rd	Programmed 20 th February 2020
Road Asset Preservation Schemes - Contact Officer: Jonathan Dean			
Surface Treatments			
Road Name	Parish	Extent of Works	Current Status
ASHENTREE LANE	Old Romney/Ivychurch	From Hook Wall to Narrowbush Lane	Completed (Badger Investigation still ongoing)
HIGH MINNIS	Lyminge	Between Property Oak Ridge to Property Woodside Cottage	Completed
CALDICOTT LANE	Lydd	From Romney Road to Level Crossing	Completed

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FROM NEWCHURCH TOWN BOUNDARY TO EASTBRIDGE ROAD	Burmarsh/Dymchurch	From Eastbridge Road to Property Merrifields	Completed
FROM JUNCTION WITH TURNAGATE COTTAGE	St Marys in the Marsh	From just past Rectory Road to Hope Lane	Completed
MIDLEY WALL	New Romney	From Ashentree Lane towards Cold Harbour Lane	Completed
BLUE HOUSE LANE	Postling	Whole Road	Postponed until 2020
BECKETT LANE	Old Romney/Ivychurch	TBC	Programmed for November 2019

Footway/Cycleway Asset Renewal & Preservation Schemes - *Contact Officer: Neil Tree*

Road Name	Parish	Extent of Works	Current Status
Corone Close	Cheriton	Entire Length (Footway Protection)	Completed
Fairway Avenue	Cheriton	Entire Length (Footway Protection)	Completed
Pentvale Close	Cheriton	Entire Length (Footway Protection)	Completed
Southmead Close	Cheriton	Entire Length (Footway Protection)	Completed

Appendix B - Drainage

Drainage Works – Contact Officer: Earl Bourner			
Road Name	Parish	Description of Works	Current Status
A261	Pedlinge	Investigation works to be carried out due to water leaking from the verge on to the road	All works were carried out and completed. There is also a buried culvert that needs further investigation.
Church Hill	Hawkinge	Cleansing of soakaways due to flooding under the bridge	Awaiting confirmation of works date with contractor.
Lymbridge Green	Stowting	Carriageway flooding issue	All works including the pond are completed.
Shorncliffe Road	Folkestone	Carriageway flooding issues near dentist	Works are completed.
Enbrook Road	Sandgate	Carriageway flooding issues from overflowing water course	Expected start date now Monday 11/11/19.
School Road	Saltwood	Drainage improvement works	Works have now been completed
From Bunkers Hill to Canterbury Road	Wingmore	Drainage improvement	Works are completed.
Robin Hood Lane	Lydd	Installation of 2no. gullies, 1no. chamber and 30m kerbing	Programmed for 18/11/2019
Horn Street	Hythe	Removal of highway drain connected to combined sewer, install 2no. gullies and 1no. catchpit and connect to highway surface water drain	Awaiting programme date from contractor

Appendix C – Street Lighting

Structural testing of KCC owned streetlights 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 – Contact Officer: Sue Kinsella			
Road Name	Town	Description of Works	Current Status
Military road	Folkestone Sandgate	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
Langhorne gardens	Folkestone I	Replacement of 1 no street light	Works Programmed for completion by end of February 2020
Castle hill avenue	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
Dental street	Hythe	Replacement of 1 no street light	Works Programmed for completion by end of February2020
Morrison Road	Folkestone	Replacement of 2 no street light	Completed
Enbrook Road	Folkestone Sandgate	Replacement of 2 no street light	Completed
Holywell Avenue	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
Sandgate Hill	Folkestone Sandgate	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
Cherry Garden Avenue	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
Wallace Mews	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
Burrow Road	Folkestone	Replacement of 3 no street light	Completed
Greenfield Road	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
Meadows Grove	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed

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Joyes Close	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
The Leas	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Works Programmed for completion by end of February 2020
Canterbury Road	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
Archer Road	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
The Stade	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
Ashford Road	Lympne & Stanford	Replacement of 1 no street light	Works Programmed for completion by end of February 2020
Cambridge Gardens	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
Meadow Grove	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
Church Road	Hythe	Replacement of 1 no street light	Works Programmed for completion by end of February 2020
Bolton Road	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
Cheriton Road	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
Fairfax Close	Folkestone Cheriton	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
Naseby Avenue	Folkestone Cheriton	Replacement of 2 no street light	Completed
Newbury Close	Folkestone Cheriton	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed
Oxenden Road	Folkestone Sandgate	Replacement of 1 no street light	Completed

Appendix D – Transportation and Safety Schemes

Casualty Reduction Measures

The Schemes Planning & Delivery team is implementing schemes within the Folkestone & Hythe District, in order to meet Kent County Council's (KCC) strategic targets (for example, addressing traffic congestion or improving road safety). Casualty reduction measures have been identified to address a known history of personal injury crashes. Current status correct as of 30th May 2019.

Local Transport Plan funded schemes – <i>Contact Officer: Damien Cock</i>		
Road Name	Description of Works	Current Status
Casualty reduction measures (reactive) – Folkestone & Hythe		
Lydd Road j/w B2075 Old Romney (Hammonds Corner)	Surveys and junction modelling for a scheme to be delivered in 2019/20.	Commission for detailed modelling and options report
Radnor Park junction with Cheriton Road.	Relocation of existing pedestrian crossing point.	Works completed September 2019
LTP Schemes, Folkestone & Hythe		

Local Growth Fund

Local Growth Fund programme update for the Folkestone & Hythe District.

The Department for Transport (DfT) added £100m to the Local Growth Fund (LGF) pot in order to fund Local Sustainable Transport Fund Style schemes. KCC subsequently submitted four Local Sustainable Transport Fund (LSTF) capital bids 1) East Kent – A network for Growth, 2) Kent Thameside – Integrated door-to-door journeys and 3) West Kent – Tackling Congestion. The fourth was for Tonbridge Town Centre Regeneration, which included a highway improvements scheme in the Lower High Street as well as additional LSTF style measures. The objective of all the capital bids is to boost economic growth by decreasing carbon emissions and reducing congestion.

The Kent Thameside, West Kent and Tonbridge Town Centre Regeneration bids were all successful. The schemes aim to:

- improve access to employment and services
- reduce the need to travel by the private car
- enhance pedestrian, cycle and public transport facilities
- improve sustainable transport connections

The following schemes have been submitted as part of the successful Kent Thameside LSTF this financial year.

Scheme	Status
Cinque Ports Cycle Route Phase 3 – Hythe Promenade through 'The Green' to Reachfields.	Design complete. Awaiting funding to construct.
Cinque Ports Cycle Route Phase 4B – St Georges Place to Nickoll's Road, Hythe.	Design complete – Awaiting funding to construct.
Cinque Ports Cycle Route Phase 5 – Nickoll's Road to Dymchurch Rebut.	Outline design in place. – Awaiting Funding
Rolfe Lane	Construction completed 30/08/19
Hawkinge New Bus Stops. Page Road, Pannell Drive & Atkinson Road	Construction completed on 19/09/19, Stagecoach have been using the new stops since 27 th October 2019.

Appendix E – Developer Funded Works

Developer Funded Works (Section 278 Agreement Works) – Contact Officer: Dean Heynes				
Scheme Name	Mastergov File Ref No	Parish	Description of Works	Current Status
A259 Seabrook, Olivia Court,	Ref: 3040	Seabrook	New entrance and footway adjacent to new flats	KCC to complete works with agreement from developer, by early 2020
Stone St Old Stone Gate Farm	Ref: 3285	Stelling Minnis	Widening of carriageway and formation of right turn lane for new development	Works start 27 th August for 14 weeks, completion due end of December 2019
Sellindge A20 Phase I	Ref:3066	Sellindge	Road narrowing, site entrance to new Section 38, zebra crossing, new cycleway/footway and speed reduction to 30mph	Complete, maintenance period till March 2020
Sellindge A20 Phase II	Ref:3064	Sellindge	Road narrowing, site entrance to new Section 38, zebra crossing by school, new cycleway/footway and speed reduction to 30mph	Complete, maintenance period till March 2020
Cheriton High Street	Ref: 3052	Cheriton	Tesco/Horn Street, traffic lights, slip lane to Horn Street and surfacing of carriageway	Phase I to be commence Early 2020
Cheriton High Street/Cheriton Approach	Ref: 3053	Cheriton	New traffic lights and re alignment of junction forming a right-hand lane into Cheriton	Phase II to be commence Mid 2020
Jointon Road, Folkestone	Ref: SH3344	Folkestone	Entrance to new housing development	Started November 2020

Appendix F – PROW

Bridge Works – Contact Officer: David Fleck			
Path No	Parish	Description of Works	Current Status
HE282	Lyminge/ Saltwood	Chalk Byway deeply scoured	Completed
HF55/HE351 Paths alongside M20 Cheriton	Folkestone	New tarmac path	Completed

Appendix G – Bridge Works

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

Appendix H – 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 - Contact Officer: Toby Butler		
Location	Description of Works	Current Status
Harbour Street near Beach Street	Replacement of signal controller	Completed July 2019

Appendix I - Combined Member Grant programme update

Member Highway Fund programme update for the Shepway District.

The following schemes are those which have been approved for funding by both the relevant Member and by Roger Wilkins, 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 **30th 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 via Kent Gateway, the online database for all Combined Member Grant schemes and studies, or by contacting the Traffic and Safety Engineer for the Combined Member Grant Shepway District.

Tony Hills

Details of Scheme	Status
1920-CMG-SH St Andrews Road, Littlestone Installation of SLOW road markings and a junction warning sign.	Works programmed for completion September 2019
1920-CMG-SH Dunes Road, Greatstone Traffic island alterations.	Works currently being designed

Appendix J – Street Works

Please note that this list is accurate at the time of running the report and is subject to cancellations and additions.

Report highlighting all works in Folkstone & Hythe District that require road closures with a duration of 10+ days.

Street Works – Contact Officer Alison Hews						
Road	Location	Works Description	Works Promoter	Dates from	Dates to	Traffic management comments
Canterbury Road & Spitfire way	Hawkinge	KCC resurfacing	KCC	22/11/2019	28/11/2019	Road Closure 20.00 – 05.00
Dawson Road	Folkestone	Lay approx. 8m of BT Duct to facilitate compression of a Street Cabinet to create additional capacity	Openreach	2/12/19	13/12/19	Road Closure

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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