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Dear Sir/Madam

Highway maintenance works in the centre of Liphook – Operation Resilience

As part of Operation Resilience, Hampshire County Council's programme to make Hampshire's roads more resilient to the effects of extreme weather and heavy traffic. We will be undertaking a large highway maintenance scheme in the centre of Liphook; the work will include footways, kerbing, drainage and carriageway resurfacing. The works are to be carried out on Longmoor Road, Headley Road, London Road, Liphook Square, Portsmouth Road, Haslemere Road and Midhurst Road; although only for short lengths from Liphook Square.

The footway, kerbing and drainage works are due to start on Monday 29 July 2013 and will last for approximately 8 weeks. The work will be undertaken in phases using road closures with the majority of closures in place between 09:00hrs and 16:30 hrs. The closures for Headley Road and Liphook Square will remain in place overnight as there will be open excavations and unsafe for road users.

The programmed dates for the footway, kerbing and drainage works are as follows, a map has been enclosed to identify these locations:-

Phase 1 - Headley Road (London Road for 30m) - closed from 29 July to 6 August

Phase 2 - Haslemere Road (Portsmouth Road to Chiltee Manor) -closed from 12 August to 17 August

Phase 3 - Liphook Square (London Road to Portsmouth Road) – closed from 7 August to 11 August including saturday and sunday

Phase 4 - Midhurst Road (Junction Haslemere Road to Shipley Court) – closed from 19 August to 30 August

Phase 5 - Portsmouth Road (Haslemere Road to Larch Close) – closed from 31 August to 13 September

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The resurfacing works will be carried out over two weekends, with a third being provisionally booked in case of delays or poor weather. Again, the majority of roads will need to be closed for this work between 07:00 hrs and 19:00 hrs, one road will be closed overnight between the hours of 19:00hrs and 07:00hrs.

The programmed dates for the resurfacing works are as follows;

On 6 September, night working from 19:00hrs to 07:00 hrs on Liphook Square and Portsmouth Road, which involves closing Liphook Square, Portsmouth Road and Haslemere Road to the junction with Midhurst Road.

On Saturday 7 September from 07:00hrs to 19:00hrs, Liphook Square and Portsmouth Road, same closures as above on Friday night

On Sunday 8 September from 07:00hrs to 19:00hrs, Longmoor Road, Headley Road and London Road, which includes closing all the above for 30m apart from London Road which will be to Childerstone Close.

On 14 & 15 September from 07:00hrs to 19:00hrs, Haslemere Road and Midhurst Road, which involves closing Haslemere to Chiltee Manor and Midhurst Road to Shipley Court.

There will be diversions in place for the road closures, which in some cases will need to be long as we need to divert traffic onto similar type roads. There may be shorter alternative routes; however these will not be signed as we do not want to encourage large vehicles from using local lanes and residential roads.

Please note these timescales are weather dependant. Any changes to the scheduled dates will be made clear on the yellow sign boards where the work is taking place, and on www3.hants.gov.uk/transport. Changes and reminders of work will be put out on the council's twitter feed: www.twitter.com/hantsconnect, and you can also call 0845 603 5633 to check when work is being carried out. Also we will be using Bramshott and Liphook Parish Council's web site with updates and details of any changes.

Every effort will be made by our contractor Amey to allow vehicular access to and from your property. Due to the nature of the work we cannot guarantee vehicular access to your property at all times but pedestrian access will always be available. The majority of road closure will be marshalled by operatives, should you have any queries regarding access please speak to the operatives who will be able to advise you accordingly.

The surfacing operation uses hot bituminous materials, which can take up to one hour to cool after they are laid and possibly longer during periods of extreme hot weather. The new material is also very sticky while hot and can easily be walked into carpets and flooring. Please be advised not to walk across the new road surface during the surfacing operation unless directed by a member of the workforce.

In order to complete the work as quickly as possible please ensure no vehicles are parked on the road on the days of the resurfacing.

I would like to thank you for your co-operation in this matter and apologise for any inconvenience or disruption this may cause, should you have any queries regarding these works please call our contact centre on 0845 603 5633.

Yours faithfully
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