

To: Swale Joint Transportation Board
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Subject: B2005 Grovehurst Road roundabout
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The Works to Grovehurst Road are progressing well,

Progress

- the piled foundations for the new bridge over the A249, have been completed and the contractor is starting to build the bridge supports at the back of the highway verge.
- drainage is being installed along with the attenuation ponds.
- The contractor is building the earthworks embankments for the new roundabout.
- Southern Water are on site undertaking diversions of the water mains.
- Southern Gas Networks are due on site early March to start diversion of the apparatus.

Traffic Management

- The main traffic management is for the ongoing lane closures on the A249 on both the northbound and southbound approaches to the Grovehurst Road junction.
- Off peak lane closures are planned on Grovehurst Road with a weekend closure planned on Swale Way to enable service ducts to be installed across the road.

With regard to Agenda Item 11

We are aware of the proposals for network rail to close the Kingsferry bridge and understand the urgency and constraints in undertaking their works to the bridge. Unfortunately on the dates that Networks Rail are proposing we will not be in a position to remove the traffic management on the A249 and will still have the north bound entry slip road closed. We will look to limit any other traffic management around Grovehurst Road during the network rail closures of the Kingsferry Bridge.