

SWALE JOINT TRANSPORTATION BOARD 18th JUNE 2012

Subject: **Highway Works Programme 2012/13**

Director/Head of Service: Director- Kent County Council, Highways and Transportation

Decision Issues: **These matters are within the authority of the Board**

Decision: Non-key

Ward/Division: **All**

Summary: *This report updates Members on the identified schemes approved for construction in 2012/13.*

To Recommend: **This report is for Members' information.**

Classification: THIS REPORT IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Introduction

1. This report is an update on that made to previous meetings of the Board and summarises the identified schemes that have been programmed for construction by Kent County Council Highways and Transportation (KCC H&T) in 2012/13.

Road Surface Treatments

Microsurfacing - see Appendix A1
Surface Dressing - see Appendix A2

Highway Maintenance Schemes

Carriageway Schemes – see Appendix B1
Footway Schemes - see Appendix B2
Street Lighting Schemes - see Appendix B3
Weather Damage Repairs - See Appendix B4

Local Transport Plan Budget 2011/12

Local Transport Plan Funded Schemes - see Appendix C1
Public Rights of Way – see Appendix C2
Developer Funded Schemes (Delivered by KCC H&T) - see Appendix C3

Other Works

Bridge Works - see Appendix D1
Borough Council Funded Schemes - see Appendix D2
County Members Highway Fund Works – See Appendix 1 Members Highway Fund Update attached to this report
Drainage – see Appendix D4
Major Capital Projects - see Appendix D5

Conclusion

4. This report is for Members' information.

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APPENDIX A – ROAD SURFACE TREATMENTS

APPENDIX A1 – MICRO ASPHALT: 0 - 24mm overlay

Location	Parish	Status
Playstool Road, Newington	From London Road to Bull Lane including Orchard Drive/Bramley Close/Playstool Close and Allsworth Drive -	Completed March 2012
Tribune Drive, Sittingbourne	Whole length	Completed April 2012
Whitehall Road, Sittingbourne	Whole length	Deferred due to Public Utilities
Forge Road	Whole length	Completed March 2012
Salisbury Close	Whole length	Completed March 2012
Cliff Gardens, Minster on Sea	From Oak Lane for its entire length	Completed April 2012
Medway Road, Sheerness	From St Georges Avenue to New Road	Completed March 2012
Sterling Avenue, Sittingbourne		Completed March 2012
Estuary Road, Sheerness		Completed March 2012
Shurland Avenue, Sittingbourne		Completed March 2012
Cobham Avenue, Sittingbourne		Completed March 2012
Abbeyfields, faversham		Completed March 2012

APPENDIX A2 – SURFACE DRESSING: 0 – 20mm overlay

Location	Description	Status
Monkshill Road	Whole length	Provisionally programmed June 2012
Deans Bottom, Bredgar	From Pett Lane to Deans Hill Road	
Deans Hill Road, Bredgar	From Kennel Barn Road to Blind Marys Lane	
Kennel Barn Road, Bredgar	From South Green Lane to Deans Hill Road	
Wardwell Lane, Newington	From School Lane to Vicarage Lane	
Perry Wood, Selling	"Three Beeches" to Selling Court Farm	
Conyer Quay, Teynham	The Moorings to Northquay	

Plough Road, Minster on Sea	From Warden Road to Chequers Road	
Throwley Road, Throwley	Haywards Hill to Almshouse Road	
Wises Lane, Borden	From Maylam Gardens to The Street	

APPENDIX B – HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE SCHEMES

APPENDIX B1 – CARRIAGEWAY SCHEMES

Location	Parish	Description	Budget	Status
London Road Dunton Green	Sittingbourne	j/w Donnington Road	£26,565	Awaiting Programme Date
Newton Road	Faversham	Whole Length	£74,313	
Grovehurst Road	Swale	J/w Newman Drive	£4,025	
Grovehurst Road	Swale	South Side of A249	£34,500	
Mill Way	Swale	North of retail park roundabout	£9,522	
St Michaels Road	Swale	J/w East Street	£6,900	

APPENDIX B2 – FOOTWAY SCHEMES

Location	Parish	Description	Budget	Status
Awaiting Programme				

APPENDIX B3 – STREET LIGHTING SCHEMES

Location	Parish	Description	Budget	Status
Forbes Road	Faversham	Column Replacement Scheme & Zebra Crossing Improvements	£13,000	Complete
Stone Street	Faversham	Column Replacement Scheme	£7,000	Complete
Danes Drive	Warden Bay (Bayview)	Column Replacement Scheme	£9,000	Ongoing – Works are due to be completed by end of June
Bay View Gardens	Warden Bay (Bayview)	Column Replacement Scheme	£8,000	Complete
Warden View Gardens	Warden Bay (Bayview)	Column Replacement Scheme	£9,000	Ongoing – Works are due to be completed by end of June
Cliff View Gardens	Warden Bay (Bayview)	Column Replacement Scheme	£2,000	Complete
Warden Bay Road	Warden Bay	Column Replacement Scheme	£3,000	Ongoing – Works are due to be completed by end of June
Portland Avenue	Murston	Column Replacement Scheme	£3,000	Complete
Barton Hill Drive	Minster	Column Replacement Scheme	£18,000	Complete

WEATHER DAMAGE REPAIRS

Location	Description	Status
Estuary Road, Sheerness	Micro-Asphalt	Completed March 2012
Ambleside	Micro-Asphalt	Deferred until 2013
Shurland Avenue	Micro-Asphalt	Completed March 2012
Cobham Avenue	Micro-Asphalt	completed March 2012
Cryalls Lane	Micro-Asphalt	Under review due to possible panning application in vicinity. Deferred until further notice
Abbyfields	Micro-Asphalt	completed March 2012

APPENDIX C – TRANSPORTATION, PROW & SAFETY SCHEMES

APPENDIX C1 – LOCAL TRANSPORT PLAN FUNDED SCHEMES

Location	Description	Budget	Status
A2 / A251 / The Mall junction, Faversham	Signals and improved crossing facilities for pedestrians plus easing of peak hour congestion.	£300,000	Initial surveys being undertaken
Public transport infrastructure - Kent QBPs	New bus poles, flags, timetable cases, clearways with raised borders - QBP agreements in Thanet (two), Tunbridge Wells, Maidstone, Swale and Dartford/Gravesham.	£300,000	Priorities being agreed with the bus operators

Kent County Council is currently in the process of reviewing the list of potential Casualty Reduction Measures (CRM) sites, and will report those that can be dealt with this year at the next appropriate JTB.

APPENDIX C2 –PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY

Location	Description	Budget	Status
Programme still TBC			

APPENDIX C3 – DEVELOPER FUNDED SCHEMES (Section 278 Works)

Location	Description	Status
Swanstree Avenue, Sittingbourne	New road	Remedial works agreed and due to start shortly.
Former Sheppey Hospital	Pedestrian crossing and new access to development	Design check complete – Awaiting Developer's programme for construction, No Section 278 in place yet – no change to date.
King Street/ St Paul's Street	Filling station access	Remedial works underway.
East Hall Farm	New Road	Approaching adoption
Ferry Road, Iwade	New junction access	Works complete
Mill Way, Sittingbourne	Asda Store junction improvements and traffic lights installation (including footway modifications)	Works complete, some remedial works required.
Bysing Wood Road - Faversham	Sainsbury new store – new mini-roundabout and signalised pedestrian crossing and new goods access on Faversham Western Link	Works Complete –due to be adopted once final account paid.
Ruins Barn Road/Cromers Road junction	Highway Works comprising an extension of the 30mph restriction in Ruins Barn Road and additional street lighting. Junction improvements at Cromer Road and Tunstall Road, new road markings along Rins Barn Road and Woodstock Road to provide right turn filter lanes	Tender process on going, awaiting start date
Warden Bay	Junction improvement	Awaiting technical approval
Sheppey Academy	Construction of new entrances off Minster Road and Marine Parade	Awaiting start date
Woodmans Halls	Footway works with bus border	Works substantially complete, awaiting remedials
93 Borden Lane	New entrance to development	Technical approval granted awaiting signing and start date

APPENDIX D – OTHER WORKS

APPENDIX D1 – BRIDGE WORKS

Location	Description	Status
Waterham Road, Herne Hill, scheduled for 19 to 25 March.	Replace of a brick culvert in poor condition with a concrete pipe.	Complete

APPENDIX D2 – DISTRICT COUNCIL FUNDED SCHEMES

Location	Description	Status
No schemes identified		

APPENDIX D3 – COUNTY MEMBER FUNDED WORKS

Please see Annex 1 attached to this report - Member Highway Fund Update dated

APPENDIX D4- DRAINAGE AND FLOODING UPDATE

Cleansing of gullies on strategic and locally important roads is continuing. This schedule is available on line at the following address.

http://www.kent.gov.uk/roads_and_transport/highway_maintenance/roads_and_pavements/drainage/drainage_cleansing_schedules.aspx

APPENDIX D5 – MAJOR CAPITAL PROJECTS

Location	Description	Budget	Status
Sittingbourne Northern Relief Road	New route across Milton Creek between Ridham Avenue and Castle Road to relieve town centre roads and support existing businesses and to encourage inward investment.	£35M	Landscaping largely completed. Wider signing should be in place by end of July. Contractor has returned to site to complete the Country park primary path reinstatement, Good partnership working with KCC Regeneration and Swale BC colleagues on residual interface issues relating to the Country Park and Church Wharf works. Criminal activities such as breaking of gated padlocks and theft from Church Wharf works is a major concern.

Rushenden Relief Road	New road between A249 Neats Court and Rushenden Road to facilitate the regeneration of Queenborough & Rushenden plans for 2000 new homes and 180,000 sq m of employment space.	£13.5m	Landscaping largely completed. Vandalism of the landscaping is a major concern. Wider signing aspects should be in place by end of July. Bollards now placed across Cullet Drive to prevent illegal and accidental crossing by vehicles of closed off entry at Rushenden Road.
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Annex List

Annex 1	Swale Members Highway Fund update
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