

SWALE JOINT TRANSPORTATION BOARD 10TH DECEMBER 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:	<i>This report updates Members on the identified schemes approved for construction in 2012/13.</i>
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

Micro Asphalt - see Appendix A1

Highway Maintenance Schemes

Carriageway Schemes – see Appendix B1

Footway Schemes - see Appendix B2

Street Lighting Schemes - see Appendix B3

Local Transport Plan Budget 2011/12

Local Transport Plan Funded Schemes - see Appendix C1

Public Rights of Way – see Appendix C2

Developer Funded Schemes - see Appendix C3

Other Works

Bridge Works - see Appendix D1

County Members Highway Fund Works – See Appendix D2 Members Highway Fund

Update attached to this report

Drainage – see Appendix D3

Major Capital Projects - see Appendix D4

Conclusion

4. This report is for Members' information.

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APPENDIX A – ROAD SURFACE TREATMENTS

APPENDIX A1 – MICRO ASPHALT

Location	Parish	Status
Sandbanks Lane, Gravney	Jct with Headhill Road to End (No Through Road)	Completed September 2012
St. Mary's/St. John's/Institute Roads	Whole Length	To be programmed Spring 2013
Broad Street	Whole Length	To be programmed Spring 2013
Warden Road	Whole Length	To be programmed Spring 2013
Station Road	Whole Length	To be programmed Spring 2013
Brenley Lane	From M2 down to junction	To be programmed Spring 2013
Oad Street	A249 to 100m East of M2 overbridge	To be programmed Spring 2013

APPENDIX B – HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE SCHEMES

APPENDIX B1 – CARRIAGEWAY SCHEMES

Location	Description	Budget	Status
Newton Road, Faversham	Whole Length	£74,313	Completed October/November 2012
Grovehurst Road B2005, Swale	J/w Newman Drive	£4,025	Completed October 2012
Grovehurst Road B2005, Swale	South Side of A249	£34,500	Completed October 2012
Mill Way B2005, Swale	North of retail park roundabout	£9,522	Removed due to developer works. Area to be delivered as part of Sec 278 works.
St Michaels Road, A2, Swale	J/w East Street	£6,900	Completed October 2012
Church Street, Faversham	Whole Length	£7,438	To be programmed Spring 2013
Main Road, Queenborough	Whole Length	£52,500	To be programmed Spring 2013
Bell Road, Sittingbourne	High Street to Brenchley Road (exc. Chiltern Ave to Ave, of Remembrance)	£157,500	To be programmed Spring 2013
Lydbrook Close, Sittingbourne	Whole Length	£33,600	To be programmed Spring 2013
The Broadway Minster	Hill Brow to Minster Rd inc Mini R'abt	£50,000 (Est.)	To be programmed March 2013
Tunstall Road Tunstall	Ruins Barn Rd to 90 degree Bend	£100,000 (Est.)	To be programmed March 2013

APPENDIX B2 – FOOTWAY SCHEMES

Bay View Gardens	£40,000	Works Programmed 29.10.12 Due to complete 07.12.12
Warden View Gardens	£42,000	Works Programmed 03.12.12 Due to complete 18.01.13
Eastchurch Footways	£7500	Works programmed 04.02.13 Due to complete 15.02.13

APPENDIX B3 – STREET LIGHTING SCHEMES

Structural testing has identified column and lanterns that require replacing to form the 2012/13 programme of work – locations that have been identified so far in the Swale District are listed below.

Location	Parish	Description
Forbes Road, Stone Street	Faversham	Column Replacement Scheme & Zebra Crossing Improvements
Danes Drive, Bay View Gardens, Warden View Gardens, Cliff View Gardens, Warden Bay Road	Warden Bay (Bayview)	Column Replacement Scheme - Complete
Portland Avenue	Murston	Column Replacement Scheme
Barton Hill Drive, Southsea Avenue	Minster	Column Replacement Scheme - Partially complete 2 remaining columns due to be installed 27 th November 2012.
Mount View	Borden	Column Replacement Scheme - Partially complete 1 remaining column due to be installed, awaiting programme date.
Ypres Drive	Kemsley	Column Replacement Scheme - Works due to start 5 th December 2012
Regis court, North Street, Laxton Way	Milton	Column Replacement Scheme - Complete
Wickham Close	Newington	Column Replacement Scheme - Complete
Argent Road	Queenborough	Column Replacement Scheme
Coronation Road, Invicta Road, Marine Parade, Strode Crescent, St Georges Avenue, Trinity Road	Sheerness	Column Replacement Scheme - Complete

Adelaide Drive, Blandford Gardens, Peregrine Drive	Sittingbourne	Column Replacement Scheme
Highsted Road		Column Replacement Scheme - Works due to start 5 th December 2012.
Harrier Drive		Column Replacement Scheme - Works due to start 14 th December 2012.
Harvey Drive, Berkeley Court, Borden Lane, Chaucer Road, Periwinkle Close, Central Avenue, College Road, Auckland Drive, Gore Court Road		Column Replacement Scheme-Complete

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	Feasibility / design work being carried out in 12/13, with implementation in 13/14.
Swale QBP - Public transport infrastructure	New bus poles, flags, timetable cases, clearways with raised kerb boarders.	£30,000	Further improvements to route 333 and route 334 Maidstone to Sheerness.

Kent County Council has reviewed the list of potential Casualty Reduction Measures (CRM) sites, and the following schemes are under active investigation, for implementation in 2012/13 and 2013/14:-

Location	Description	Status
Sheppey Way (adjacent to The Bobbing Apple)	40mph speed limit	Speed limit consultation complete; no objections received. Scheme to be programmed with contractor.
B2163 Bell Road / Brenchley Road, Sittingbourne	Traffic signal modifications	Minor adjustments have been made to the phasing of the traffic signals, which has addressed the identified crash problem. No further action is

		proposed.
Church Road / Tonge Road, Murston	Amendments to waiting restrictions	Design work in progress
A250 Halfway Road, Sheerness	Enhanced 40mph speed limit	Scheme complete
A2 London Road / Faversham Road, near Ospringle	Signing and lining improvements	Works programmed Nov/Dec
B2007 Main Road, Queenborough	Resurfacing improvements	Works programmed March
Minster Road, Minster (o/s Isle of Sheppey Academy)	Pedestrian crossing facilities	Design work in progress
B2006 Eurolink Way / Castle Road, Sittingbourne	Junction improvement	Design work in progress
B2005 Grovehurst Road / North Street, Sittingbourne	Roundabout approach alterations	Design work in progress
High Street / Central Avenue, Sittingbourne	Pedestrian safety scheme	Initial investigations underway

APPENDIX C2 –PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY

ZF11 Faversham	Surface improvements of well used edge of town path	£7,625	complete
ZR369 Eastling	Repair of existing surfaced footpath	£3,000	Programmed for 2012/13
ZU1, Sittingbourne	Lay new surface to footpath (Saxon Shore Way)	£3,000	Programmed for 2012/13
ZR122 Borden	Lay new surface on small section	£1,000	Programmed for 2012/13
ZS1 Minster	Construct new footpath surface	£17,000	Works in progress

APPENDIX C3 – DEVELOPER FUNDED SCHEMES (Section 278 Works)

Location	Description	Status
Swanstree Avenue, Sittingbourne	New road	Works Complete
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	Works Complete
East Hall Farm	New Road	Approaching adoption
	New junction access	

Ferry Road, Iwade		On maintenance
Mill Way, Sittingbourne	Asda Store junction improvements and traffic lights installation (including footway modifications)	Works complete, some minor remedial works required.
School Lane/Sheppey Way Iwade	Sheppey Way and Improvements/Access off school Lane for Housing Development.	School Lane Agreement in place – works underway.
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 Ruins Barn Road and Woodstock Road to provide right turn filter lanes	Works completed awaiting stage 3 safety audit prior to start of 12 month maintenance period.
Warden Bay	Lay by works.	Awaiting VAS installation.
Sheppey Academy	Construction of new entrances off Minster Road and Marine Parade	Awaiting start date
Woodmans Halls	Footway works with bus border	Works Complete.
93 Borden Lane	New entrance to development	Works complete due for adoption shortly.
Mill Way/Eurolink Way, Sittingbourne	New traffic signal to replace existing roundabout	Works Underway – works due to complete January 2013.
Barton Hill Drive/ Lower Road, Minster	Upgrading of traffic signals	Awaiting signing of Agreement.
Sondes Arms, Selling Road, Selling	New access	Awaiting technical submission.

APPENDIX D – OTHER WORKS

APPENDIX D1 – BRIDGE WORKS

Location	Description	Status
None		

APPENDIX D2 – COUNTY MEMBER FUNDED WORKS

Please see Annex 1 attached to this report.

APPENDIX D3- DRAINAGE AND FLOODING UPDATE

Cleansing of gullies on strategic and locally important roads is continuing. This schedule will shortly be available online.

Location	Description	Status
Ashford Road, Sheldwich	Carry out repairs and improvements to existing drainage system	Works to be completed by End of November
London Road, Teynham	Carry out repairs to drainage system	Found system had been damaged by Southern Gas Networks. SGN have now taken over the site to repair our system.
High Street, Sheerness	Replacing existing Aco Channels with a concrete disc channel.	Awaiting start date as this will need to be carried out at night.

Also various small repair works to the drainage system throughout Swale.

APPENDIX D4 – MAJOR CAPITAL PROJECTS

Location	Description	Budget	Status
None			

Annex List

Annex 1	Swale Members Highway Fund update
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