

Project information

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A5 Watling Street resurfacing scheme - 29 January 2024 to 13 May 2024

We'll be carrying out resurfacing on A5 Watling Street, between and including A5/A4601 Longford Island and A5/A460 Churchbridge Interchange. Our work at this location has been identified following the deterioration of the carriageway. Our work will also include the replacement of road markings and road studs providing a safer road.

When will this work take place?

We plan to start work on **Monday 29 January 2024**, and we expect to finish by **the end of May 2024**. To minimise disruption, we'll carry out this work when traffic counts are lower,

between 8pm and 6am, Monday to Friday.

To complete our work safely, we'll work under phased full closures of the A5 Watling Street as follows:

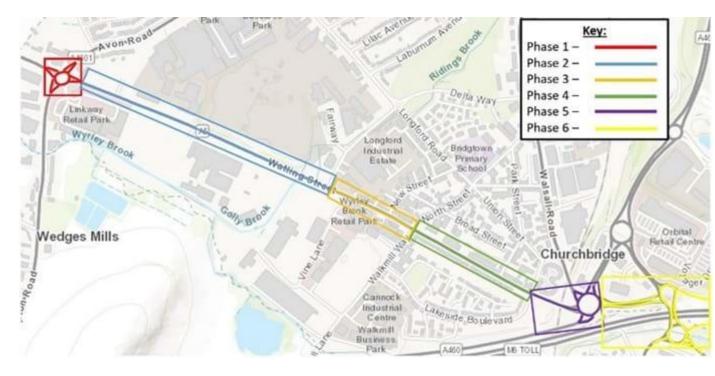
- Phase 1 29 Jan to 9 Feb phased closures of A5/A4601 Longford
- Phase 2 12 Feb to 22 Feb A5 closed in both directions from A5/A4601 Longford Island to junction with Delta Way.
- Phase 3 23 Feb to 7 March A5 closed in both directions from Delta Way junction to North Street/ Walkmill Lane
- Phase 4 8 March to 21 March A5 closed in both directions from North Street/ Walkmill Lane junction to Bridge Street
- Phase 5 22 March to 19 April Full closure of the A5/A460 Churchbridge roundabout



 Phase 6 – 23rd April to 13th May – Full closure of the A5/A34 Great Wyrley (M6 Toll T7 exit) roundabout and A5/A460 Burger King (M6 Toll T7 entry) roundabout.



Please see the map below which shows the locations of each phase:



During closures, the following diversion will be in place which has been agreed with Staffordshire County Council:

Access to frontages with direct access from the A5 within the closures along with emergency vehicles will be maintained throughout. However, there may be times when access is restricted, but our contractor and public liaison officer will liaise with any of the affected parties nearer the time to make alternative arrangements.

We're sorry for the disruption this work may cause to your journey and we encourage drivers to plan ahead and allow extra time when travelling. All closures are subject to change at short notice due to unforeseen circumstances or poor weather conditions. We'll keep this web page updated with any changes.

