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Transport for Attleborough: Work on first phase progressing well with resurfacing work on Surrogate Street set for November

The first phase of the £4.5m Transport for Attleborough project which is set to improve all forms of transport and support planned growth in the town is progressing well.

Since work got underway in September a major gas main diversion has already been completed and new paving on the southern side of Church Street is now in place, with work on the northern side well underway.

Work is continuing to improve the pavements on Station Road and construct new pedestrian islands at the Connaught Road / Station Road junction. A new zebra crossing on Station Road is currently being installed.

Over the next four weeks there will be pavement improvements on Norwich Road, and pedestrian islands at Station Road and Thieves Lane will be completed. Road widening and pavement improvements will also take place on Surrogate Street ahead of resurfacing work in November.

Completion of this first phase is planned for early December, ahead of the Christmas period.

The resurfacing work on Surrogate Street in November will require overnight road closures to minimise disruption in the busy town centre. Work will take five nights to complete starting on Sunday 25 November, subject to suitable weather conditions. The road closures, between 7pm and 6am, will be split into two main areas:

- **Area 1: the northern half of Surrogate Street and adjoining roads** (Besthorpe Road, Norwich Road, Church Street)
- **Area 2: the southern half of Surrogate Street and adjoining roads** (Thieves Lane, Station Road, Connaught Road).

The two areas identified above will need to be closed for a maximum of two and half nights each for replacing the existing road surface and the road markings. There is currently no set dates within the five night period for each area, however the two areas will not be closed at the same time.

Clearly signed diversion routes will be in place and the road closures will be lifted outside the hours of operation. Access to properties will be maintained during the closures. Where access is required to one-way roads not accessible via normal diversion measures, a reversal of the one-way order will be implemented and measures for safe access will be provided. Pedestrian access will be maintained throughout.

Norfolk County Council thanks people for their continued patience while this improvement work is carried out.

The work on this first phase will cost £750,000 will be carried out by Norfolk County Council's Community and Environmental Services Department and their contractors.

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Background information

The work is part of the Transport for Attleborough project with the key aim to improve all forms of transport and support planned growth in the town. The project has received £4.5 million of Local Growth Fund (LGF) funding from the New Anglia Local Enterprise Partnership.

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