

A38 Cross Keys Roundabout Improvements

Bulletin 7 – 2nd August 2019

Progress since 18th July

During the last two weeks we have worked near the retaining wall along the A38 approach from the M5 (previously the B4008). We have put in new fencing and installed street lighting columns.



The island on the junction outside the services has been reconfigured and is prepared for the new surface.



The drainage and kerbs will soon be complete where we are widening the carriageway as you head toward Whitminster/Stroud from Cross Keys Roundabout.



Works have continued in the verge between the A38 approach to Cross Keys Roundabout from Whitminster/Stroud and the A38 towards Gloucester from Cross Keys Roundabout, with the kerb alongside the new widened carriageway completed.



We have also completed the duct crossings we have been doing for the last two weeks on several junctions; the Bristol Road junction with the roundabout, the A38 to/from Whitminster/Stroud and both sections of the dual carriageway north of the roundabout heading to/from Gloucester.

Upcoming Works

We have additional crossings to complete in the next two weeks on the A38 between Cross Keys Roundabout and Whitminster/Stroud, the dates for these are yet to be confirmed. We will be sending an update out with the dates, so keep an eye on your inbox for more information.

Surfacing of the widened carriageway in the verge between the A38 approach to Cross Keys Roundabout from Whitminster/Stroud is due to start early next week, alongside the installation of ducts. We will also be installing streetlighting at locations across the site.

Drainage and ducting will be installed along the A38 from Cross Keys towards Whitminster/Stroud, with the new widened surface being constructed following the current works.

The fence along the A38 approach to Cross Keys Roundabout (previously the B4008) will be completed early next week.

Traffic Management

Between **19:00 and 06:00 on Monday 5th August** we will be removing the barriers from the verge between the A38 approach from Whitminster/Stroud and the A38 towards Gloucester. Following that, we will be narrowing the lanes and closing lane 1 off peak daytime (09:30 – 15:30) along this stretch to allow for surface and streetlighting works. For approximately one week.

From **Monday 5th August (09:30 – 15:30)** we will be closing lane 1 of the approach to Cross Keys Roundabout from the M5 (previously the B4008) for approximately one week to allow for surface and streetlighting works.

On the **13th August (09:30 – 15:30)** we will be closing Lane 2 on both the approach to Gloucester and from Gloucester for streetlighting installation.

As we progress with these important improvements, your patience is greatly appreciated.

If you have any concerns or issues regarding the roundabout improvement scheme, please contact me on 03301 071484*. I will be available throughout the construction phase to provide continuous engagement with businesses and residents within the local area.

Further information about the project can be found here:

<https://www.goucestershire.gov.uk/roads-parking-and-rights-of-way/major-projects-list/cross-keys-roundabout-improvements/>

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