



St Neots Town Centre Improvements Project - Weekly Works Update

Progress to date:

- Continued footway works at High St/Huntingdon St junction
- New bus stops on High Street now in use
- Clearance works ongoing on southern half of Market Square
- Commencement of works to narrow Market Place and extend Market Square outwards
- Taylor Woodrow representatives on site (Market Day and at B1428 works)
- Ongoing door-to-door engagement with residents and businesses likely to be affected by the works to plan how to minimise disruption to trading

Week Commencing 5th February 2024:

- Continued footway works at High St/Huntingdon St junction including setting out and installation of new kerbs and tactile paving
- Site clearance of Market Square to continue
- Construction of new kerb lines around Market Square/Market Place
- Lifting of Market Square slabs and surface preparation for new paving
- Making good of southern side of Market Square to allow use when works commence on northern half
- Traffic management this week:
 - Temporary four-way traffic lights at High St/Huntingdon St crossroads in operation during works (0930-1530) – fixed signals reactivated outside working hours
 - Localised footpath closures with diversions as and when required for removal of street furniture around Market Square
 - Market Place narrowed to single lane width to allow outward expansion of the Market Square and kerb line construction
 - o New loading area fenced off for use of businesses on Market Place
- Road Closures this week: None

Both the Thursday Charter Market and Saturday Farmer's Markets will take place as normal on the Market Square throughout these works.

Businesses on the south side of the Market Square are open and trading as usual during the works.

Please note that at times there may be other road works taking place in St Neots town centre that are not part of this project, such as scheduled or emergency works to statutory utilities. More information on such works can be found at <u>One.Network.</u>