

21st March 2019

Dear Sir / Madam,

I am writing to provide you with an update regarding the new link road works on D'Urton Lane.

During my earlier correspondence on the 4th February 2019, it was anticipated that the works would start on the 8th April pending a signed legal agreement, unfortunately there has been a delay in receiving this agreement.

However, Cadent, the national gas supplier, have a need to undertake gas main diversion works as part of the link road works and these will start on the **10th April** and are expected to last up to 4 weeks, with a full road closure expected to be in place throughout.

The work will be undertaken by Balfour Beatty on behalf of Cadent.

The works will take place between (not including) 'The Grange' and 'Warwick House', with access to properties and the Guild Wheel maintained throughout the work.

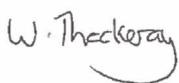
Access to properties immediately within the closure will change as the works progress. Any properties east of the work will be accessed from D'Urton Lane / Eastway, as a through route from James Towers Way cannot be maintained for the duration of the work.

Please see the attached plan overleaf confirming the diversion route, which is the same as the one used earlier this year.

It is now anticipated that the link road works will commence **Monday 29th April**, with completion of D'Urton Lane works expected mid-September. Once formally appointed, we will review phasing of the works with the contractor, and future updates will be provided.

We apologise in advance for the inconvenience and disruption this work will cause, which we are aiming to keep to a minimum. You can contact Lancashire County Council by email at highways@lancashire.gov.uk or call us on 0300 123 6701

Yours faithfully,



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Senior Highways Engineer

