

Milton Road - Bus, Cycling and Walking Improvements

Important information affecting your property

Dear residents and businesses,

We are writing to inform you about upcoming **overnight works** on Milton Road. We would like to apologise in advance for any disruption these works may cause.

We will shortly be undertaking road surfacing on Milton Road in the following locations:

- a) between Herbert Street and Hurst Park Avenue
- b) between Birch Close and Fraser Road
- c) a small area near Oak Tree Avenue
- d) a small area of Highworth Avenue, where it meets Leys Road.

To facilitate some of the works we will be placing 'No parking cones' in certain areas. **Please do not park in these locations.**

Preparation works will begin on Monday 16 September between 8pm and 6am. This will include repairs to kerbs and raising any ironworks in the carriageway. Full access will be maintained during this time.

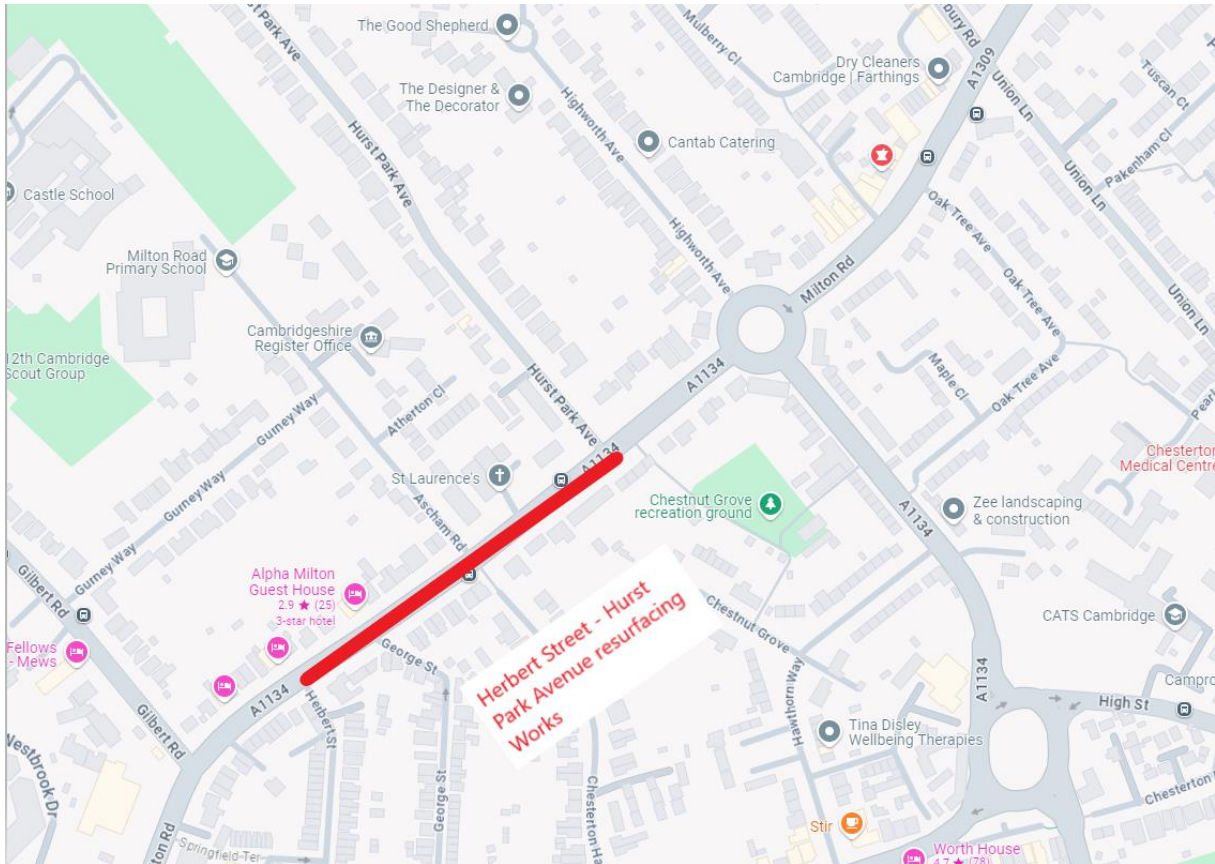
Below is the planned sequence taking place from Monday 23 September. All works will be carried out between 8pm and 6am.

Monday 23 September

Milton Road surfacing between Herbert Street and Hurst Park Avenue. Milton Road will be closed within this area to all motor traffic.

Residents of George Street, Asham Road and Hurst Park Avenue are to enter/exit away from Milton Road if using their car (i.e. avoid Milton Road).

Residents of Herbert Street will be able to enter/exit from the south of Milton Road.



Tuesday 24 September

Surfacing of side roads; Herbert Street, George Street, Ascham Road and Hurst Park Avenue. To carry out the works, in turn each of the junctions will be closed to all motor traffic for a few hours to safely resurface the junction, after which the road will be fully opened.

Residents of Herbert Street and George Street will be restricted and will not be able to enter/exit onto Milton Road after 8pm. Residents who need to use their car overnight are asked to park away from these roads. We will have members of the team at Chesterton Road by George Street to inform residents that there is no exit from George Street onto Milton Road when the resurfacing works are being carried out.

We will be asphaltting a section on Highworth Avenue, which will be the base for the installation of the new planters going in. Access to Highworth Avenue from Milton Road will be maintained, but no through access to Leys Road will be possible.

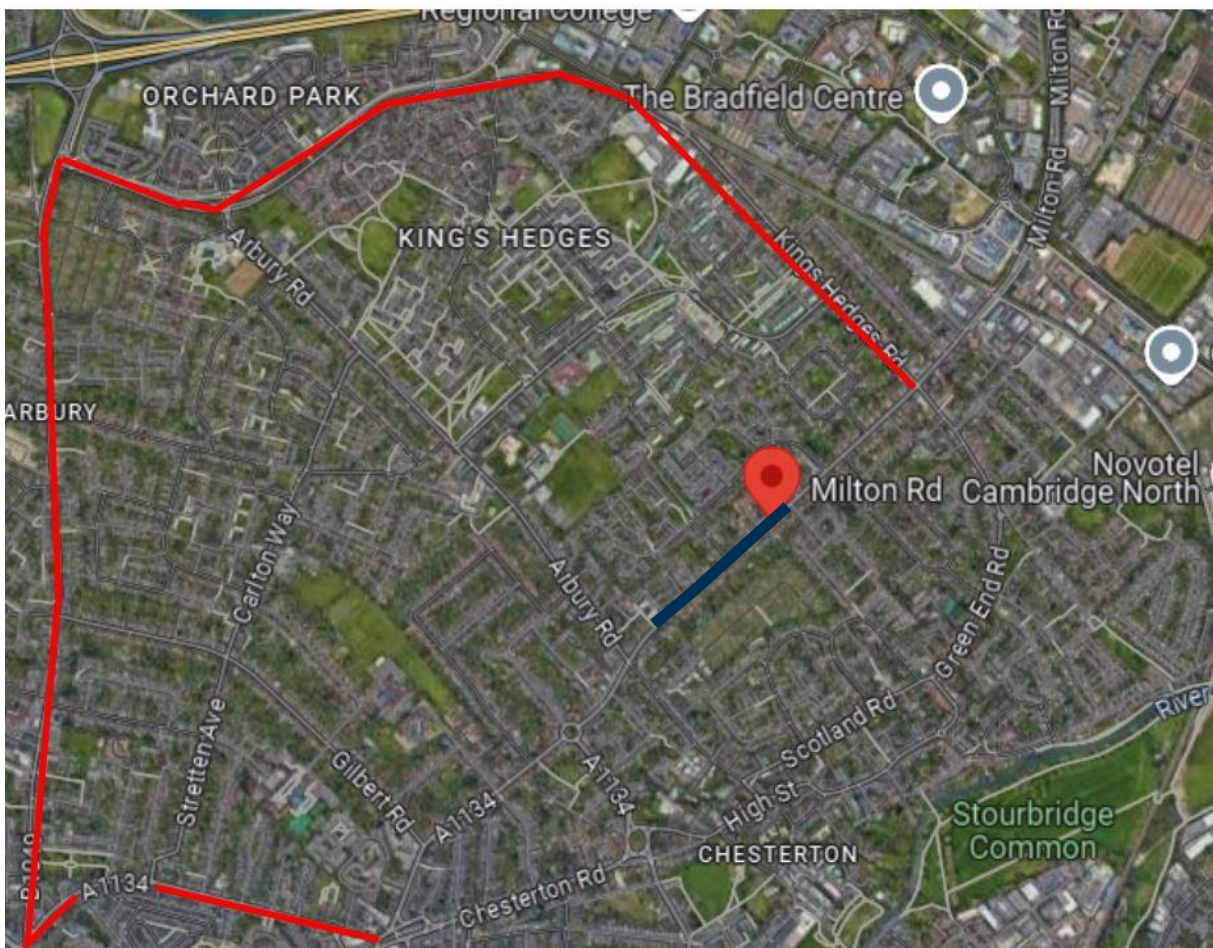
Additionally, the area near Oak Tree Avenue will be having some remedial surfacing works carried out just south of the junction. Milton Road will be closed between the Arbury Road junction and Elizabeth Way roundabout to facilitate these works safely.

Residents of Oak Tree Avenue can access from the Arbury Road junction. Both Union Lane and Arbury Road will remain open.

Wednesday 25 and Thursday 26 September

Milton Road surfacing between Birch Close and Fraser Road (blue line on the map below). A diversion route (shown in red below) will be in place between Mitchams Corner and the King's Hedges junction. Those who live within the section being surfaced will be able to gain access from one end of the closure.

Local residents needing to access Milton Rd can continue to do so by making use of local roads.



Main diversion route: Victoria Road – Histon Road – Kings Hedges Road

Friday 27 September

Surfacing of side roads; Birch Close, Downhams Lane, Middleton Close and Woodhead Drive. To carry out the works, in turn each of the junctions will be closed to all motor traffic for a few hours to safely resurface the junction, after which the road will be fully opened.

Woodhead Drive junction will be resurfaced and be completed first, before Downhams Lane is surfaced, so that residents living in both Downhams Lane and Woodhead Drive can enter/exit by car onto Milton Road via Woodhead Drive while Downhams Lane is being resurfaced. Once complete the junction will be reopened.

Residents who live on Birch Close and Middleton Close needing to use their car overnight are asked to park away from these roads, as they will not be able to enter/exit onto Milton Rd after 8pm.

Milton Road will remain open during this time.

Monday 30 September

Works under temporary traffic lights next to Ascham Road, Highworth Avenue and Downhams Lane to lay the red asphalt at the pedestrian crossings.

Further information

Please be aware that the proposed schedule above can be affected by unforeseen circumstances and can overrun. For example, asphalt and white lining cannot be completed in pouring rain.

You may experience some noise while we carry out these works, but we aim to complete the noisiest works before midnight to reduce disruption. Please note that works may still be disruptive but should only be next to your property for one or two nights as the works progress.

If you need to access or exit a property or business within the closure:

The main closure points and side roads will be staffed by our traffic management team who will direct you to the nearest access and exit points, where possible. Residents may be subject to a diversion or escort by the team. This will be dependent on your exact destination.

Please be aware there will be no bus services through the area during these night works.

To get in touch with the Milton Road Project team please email miltonroad@milestoneinfra.co.uk or phone our 24-hour, seven day a week, contact centre: 0800 023 4762.