

WOLVERTON MILL BRIDGE REFURBISHMENT



Bridges and Highway Structures Team have been commissioned to deliver the project on behalf of Public Rights of Way and are responsible for technical advice and management of the project.

The scheme is to replace the abutments and softwood deck to the above bridge over the River Great Ouse just to the North of Wolverton Mill. The opportunity is also being taken to improve the vertical alignment removing the requirement for steps and improving access for all. The works are to be undertaken by the Highway's Term Service Contractor Ringway in conjunction with their specialist sub-contractor Beaver Bridges.

The existing abutments have reached the end of their useful life and it is neither practical nor economic to upgrade them. They will therefore be removed and replaced.

The new sub-structure is currently in the design phase however it is anticipated the South abutment will be sheet piled with reinforced concrete behind and the North abutment will utilise some form of mini piles.

Essential works are scheduled to commence on **Monday 3rd September 2018** with a completion date by 12th October 2018.

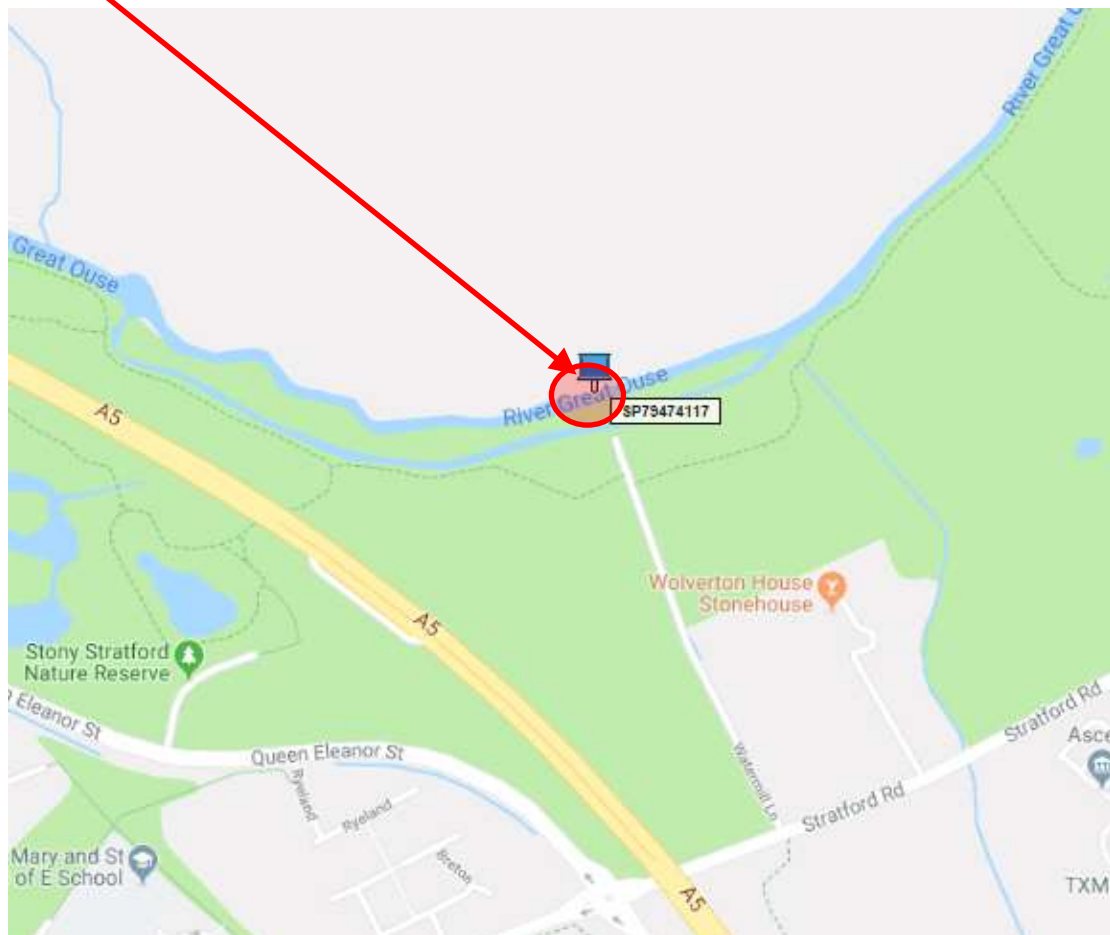
The footpath will be closed throughout the works. Unfortunately there is no obvious alternative route for the users. The route is primarily for leisure use and we are widely publicising the closure and ask for your patience and understanding during the works. It is impractical to keep the route open, best endeavours will be made to keep the closure period to a minimum.

A map is provided overleaf showing the area affected. The Council wishes to thank the local community for their patience during the above works however please feel free to contact the Project Manager, James Pearce with any questions. (james.pearce@milton-keynes.gov.uk)

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LOCATION PLAN

Wolverton Mill Footbridge
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