

# WHITEHOUSE UNDERPASS UPDATE

WEEK COMMENCING AUGUST 12TH 2019



**SOUTH BOUND  
VIEW FROM  
GROUND LEVEL** →



## Progress Update

All the utility diversions are now complete and all the temporary works are now in place to commence excavation for the underpass.

To ensure the safety of the operatives and machine drivers who excavate for the underpass it has to be completed in layers of approximately 300-500mm (11-20 inches) each. This is to ensure the ground level is lowered slowly and evenly.

The first few layers of material excavated are recycled, this includes:

- The asphalt (also known as tarmac) layers which get crushed and are used for hardcore and recycled into new asphalt.
- The stone underneath the asphalt (also known as Type 1) has been removed and stored on site to re-use when filling back in the hole.
- All grass and topsoil is stored on site for future use

The excavation works is anticipated to take approximately 10 weeks to complete.

Drainage works which couldn't previously be installed due to the clash with the utilities are progressing at the same time as the excavation.

## Works happening over the next couple of weeks

Continue excavation for underpass construction, and continue drainage works.



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