

A45 Chowns Mill Roundabout Improvement Scheme

Progress report – March 2021

Over the next few weeks and before non-essential retail opens on 12 April, we'll carry out re-surfacing work around the junction. By 12 April (weather permitting) we'll reopen two lanes for traffic around the junction, traffic will run on the new outline of the roundabout, which will become the running lanes for the next phase of work.

From the end of April / early May, we'll re-open Station Road (A5028) which will link into the two lanes running around the junction. Customers will benefit from the new quieter, smoother road surface.

Surfacing work

Over the next few weeks, local residents may hear louder noises than usual as we use specialist equipment to remove the old road surface layer and lay the new surface.

There will be additional lighting in the area and some machines will use amber flashing lights and reversing beepers for safety reasons.

Some residents may feel some vibration from the machines we use to compact the layers of asphalt.

We apologise in advance for any disruption caused. We'll continue to monitor the levels of vibration to meet British standards and prevent damage to properties. We'll carry out the noisiest activity during the day.

We recognise this work may be disruptive and we'd like to thank you for your ongoing patience while we carry it out. Special thanks to the residents of Lancaster Gardens / Station Road for their patience and support during the recent overnight work to repair the junction, which we were able to complete earlier than advertised.



Images show the entrance to Lancaster Gardens before and after resurfacing

Road Closure information

To carry out the works safely, we'll need to carry out the road closures below.

DATE	CLOSURE DETAILS	TIMES
Mon 22 to Thurs 25 March	A45 Westbound from Chowns Mill to Rushden Lakes RBT closed	8pm to 6am
Fri 26 to Mon 29 March	Full Weekend Closure of A6(N) at Chowns Mill A6 Northbound and Southbound Closed Chowns Mill Roundabout to Nene Park Roundabout (Irthlingborough)	8pm Friday to 5am Monday
Tues 6 to Thurs 8 April	Nightly closure of North Half of Rbt. A45 Eastbound Rushden Lakes Rbt. to Stanwick Lakes Rbt. and A6 Northbound and Southbound Chowns Mill Rbt. to Nene Park Rbt.	8pm to 6am
Fri 9 to Mon 12 April	Entire A45 / A6 Roundabout closed for Full weekend: A45 Eastbound and Westbound A6 North and South closed for full weekend	8pm Friday to 5am Monday

NOTE: Signed diversion routes will be in place during any closures. Our planned closures may be subject to change due to weather conditions or unforeseen circumstances. Where possible, we will notify you if there are any changes to the schedule.

If you have any questions about this work, please call Paul Valentine, Public Liaison Officer on **0333 012 4596** or email infoa45chownsmill@carnellgroup.co.uk.

Yours faithfully,

Paul Valentine

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