

**To:** Folkestone & Hythe Joint Transportation Board

**By:** KCC Highways, Transportation & Waste

**Date:** 5<sup>th</sup> July 2021

**Subject:** Highways Forward Works Programme: 2021/22 and 2022/23

**Classification:** Information Only

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Summary: This report updates Members on the identified schemes approved for construction

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## 1. Introduction

This report provides an update and summarises schemes that have been programmed for delivery in 2021/22 and 2022/23.

Kent County Council has recently published a forward works programme for the next five years covering planned maintenance of our highway assets. It is in two parts: the first concerns the next two years (2021/22 - 2022/23), and most of the sites included have already been verified by our engineers. The second part relates to years three to five of our five-year programme (2023/24 - 2025/26) and is largely based on data from our asset management systems, so may be subject to more changes as the schemes are verified.

This programme is subject to regular review and may change for a number of reasons including budget allocation, contract rate changes, and to reflect our changing priorities. The programme and extent of individual sites within the programme may also be revised following engineering assessment during the design phase, and additional sites may be added or others advanced if their condition deteriorates rapidly so that we need to react in order to keep the highway in a safe and serviceable condition.

Further information about how we manage our highway infrastructure, including our county-wide five-year forward works programme, may be found on our website:  
<https://www.kent.gov.uk/about-the-council/strategies-and-policies/transport-and-highways-policies/managing-highway-infrastructure>

In addition to planned maintenance of our highway assets, this report includes transportation and safety schemes, developer funded works, Combined Members Grant schemes, and planned maintenance of public rights of way.

**Road, Footway & Cycleway Renewal and Preservation Schemes** – see Appendix A

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**Public Rights of Way** – see Appendix I

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## **Conclusion**

1. This report is for Members' information.

## **Contact Officers:**

The following contact officers can be contacted on **03000 418181**

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James Bowen (Acting)	Folkestone & Hythe District Manager
Alan Casson	Strategic Asset Manager
Earl Bourner	Drainage Asset Manager
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Sue Kinsella	Street Light Asset Manager
Toby Butler	Traffic & Network Solutions Asset Manager
Jamie Hare	Development Agreements Manager
Nikola Floodgate	Schemes Programme Manager
Graham Rusling	Public Rights of Way & Access Manager
Alison Hews	Compliance Manager

## Appendix A – Road, Footway and Cycleway Renewal and Preservation Scheme

The delivery of these schemes is weather dependent; should it prove not possible to carry out these works on the planned dates, new dates will be arranged and the residents will be informed by a letter drop to their homes.

<b>Road Asset Renewal Schemes – Contact Officer: Byron Lovell</b>			
<b>Road Name</b>	<b>Parish/Town</b>	<b>Extent of Works</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Eastbridge Road	Dymchurch	Stabilisation Works	Complete
Cheriton Road	Folkestone	Cherry Garden Avenue to Quedsted Road	Completed
Alkham Valley Road	Folkestone	A260 Canterbury Road to roundabout with A20	Programmed 23 <sup>rd</sup> September 2021
A2034 Shorncliffe Road / Cheriton Road	Folkestone	Castle Hill Avenue to Middleburg Square	Programmed 14 <sup>th</sup> September 2021
A2034 Cherry Garden Avenue	Folkestone	Roundabout with A20 to Sutton Close	Programmed 31 <sup>st</sup> August 2021
A259 High Street	Dymchurch	High Knocke to Chapel Road	Programmed 6 <sup>th</sup> September 2021
A20 Stanford Interchange Roundabout	Stanford	Roundabout Circulatory	Programmed 5 <sup>th</sup> September 2021
B2011 New Dover Road	Capel-Le-Ferne	Crete Road East to junction with New Dover Road	Programmed 17 <sup>th</sup> September 2021
<b>Road Asset Preservation Schemes - Contact Officer: Jonathan Dean</b>			
<b>Micro Surfacing</b>			
<b>Road Name</b>	<b>Parish/Town</b>	<b>Extent of Works</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
ALDINGTON ROAD	Lympne	Otterpool Lane to Roman Road	Completed
<b>Surface Dressing</b>			
<b>Road Name</b>	<b>Parish/Town</b>	<b>Extent of Works</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
BEARFORSTAL HILL	Elham	Canterbury Road to Acris Place	Programmed for July 2021
TEDDARS LEES ROAD	Etching Hill	Paddlesworth Court to Tanbarn Road	Programmed for July 2021
NEWCHURCH ROAD	St Marys in the Marsh	Griggors Green Road to Mill Lane	Programmed for July 2021
ST MARYS ROAD (NEWCHURCH	St Marys in the Marsh	St Mary's Road (Crossroads) to S Bend	Programmed for

ROAD)			July 2021
BLUE HOUSE LANE	Hythe	Whole Road	Programmed for July 2021
<b>Retread</b> (recycling and re-laying the existing surface material before applying a surface treatment)			
<b>Road Name</b>	<b>Parish/Town</b>	<b>Extent of Works</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
ORGASWICK FARM ROAD	Hythe	Whole Road	Completed
EASTBRIDGE ROAD	Dymchurch / Burmarsh	From Marshalls Bridge to Sherlocks Bridge	Completed
WEY STREET	New Romney	Whole Road	Completed
CHITTENDEN LANE	New Romney	Whole Road	Completed
<b>Footway/Cycleway Asset Renewal &amp; Preservation Schemes - Contact Officer: Neil Tree</b>			
<b>Road Name</b>	<b>Parish/Town</b>	<b>Extent of Works</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Ingoldsby Road	Folkestone	<u>Footway Reconstruction</u> Entire Length	In design stage, and to be programmed.
Shepherds Walk	Hythe	<u>Footway Reconstruction</u> Southern section from No. 55 to No. 115 Shepherds Walk.	To be designed and programmed.
A20 Ashford Road	Sandling	<u>Footway Protection treatment</u> From the Standford Depot to Postling	Completed
Fairfield Road	New Romney	<u>Footway Protection treatment</u> Full extents	Completed
Walmer Gardens	New Romney	<u>Footway Protection treatment</u> Full extents	Completed
Castle Avenue	Hythe	<u>Footway Protection treatment</u> Full extent	Completed

**Appendix B - Drainage**

<b>Drainage Works – Contact Officer: Earl Bourner</b>			
<b>Road Name</b>	<b>Parish/Town</b>	<b>Description of Works</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Selsted Bends	Swingfield	Looking at installing a deep bore to the old soakaway	Under investigation
Stockham Lane	Swingfield	Additional pipe to link drainage system in field to the bank of soakaways at junction with Swanton Lane to reduce the flooding in this area.	Under investigation
North Road	Hythe	Under investigation to remove concrete in carrier pipe at various locations	Under investigation
Rosendale Gardens	Folkestone	To Install new gully and pipework and raise the kerbs at the junction of Dover road to remove flooding to the junction	Job passed to Contractor

## Appendix C – Street Lighting

Structural testing of KCC owned street lights has identified the following as requiring replacement. A status of complete identifies that the column replacement has been carried out. Programme dates are identified for those still requiring replacement.

<b>Street Lighting Column Replacement – Contact Officer: Sue Kinsella</b>			
<b>Road Name</b>	<b>Parish/Town</b>	<b>Description of Works</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
East Cliff Path	Folkestone	Replacement of 2 no street light	Works Programmed for completion by end of September 2021
Middleburg Square	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Works Programmed for completion by end of September 2021
Churchill Avenue	Folkestone	Replacement of 1 no street light	Works Programmed for completion by end of September 2021
Hillside street	Hythe	Columns awaiting painting	Works Programmed for completion by end of September 2021
Dental street	Hythe	Columns awaiting painting	Works Programmed for completion by end of September 2021
Church road	Hythe	Columns awaiting painting	Works Programmed for completion by end of September 2021
Bartholomew road	Hythe	Columns awaiting painting	Works Programmed for completion by end of September 2021
Cambridge Terrace	Folkestone	Column awaiting removal needs Vallacrane	Works Programmed for completion by end of September 2021
Harbour Way	Folkestone	Column awaiting removal requires UKPN to remove cable	Works Programmed for completion by end of September 2021

## Appendix D – Transportation and Safety Schemes

### Casualty Reduction Measures

The Schemes Planning & Delivery team is implementing schemes within Folkestone & Hythe District], in order to meet Kent County Council’s strategic targets (for example, addressing traffic congestion or improving road safety). Casualty reduction measures have been identified to address a known history of personal injury crashes. Current status correct as of 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2021.

<b>Local Transport Plan Funded Schemes – Contact Officer: David Petcher</b>		
<b>Road Name</b>	<b>Description of Works</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
<b>Casualty reduction measures (reactive) –Folkestone &amp; Hythe</b>		
Lydd Road j/w B2075 Old Romney (Hammonds Corner)	Road safety improvement scheme. Installation of a roundabout.	Surveys and junction modelling complete. Detailed design for the installation of a roundabout in progress. No funding for construction at present.
Dover Hill and New Dover Road, Folkestone	Installation of a pedestrian crossing point on New Dover Road near the Valiant Sailor PH and road safety improvements, including additional signing, lining, street lighting and bollards. The design will also include improvements to the arrester bed on Dover Hill.	Scheme installed May 2021. Now complete
A260 CANTERBURY RD J/W A260 ALKHAM VALLEY RD, HAWKINGE	On the A260 Canterbury Road. approaching the Alkham Valley junction from Folkestone. Trial to remove the right-hand turn into the Alkham Valley as a result, road users will have to continue to the Hawkinge roundabout and return back to the Alkham Valley Junction taking a left turn thus preventing the queues and congestion in this location at peak times.	Scheme shelved.
A2034, CHERITON RD J/W CHERRY GRDN AVE, FOLKESTONE.	Street lighting levels assessment required for junction and a short distance along the Cheriton Road arms. Possible upgrade or additional street lighting assets.	Scheme on hold.
A260 CANTERBURY RD J/W A260 ALKHAM VALLEY RD, HAWKINGE	Installation of bend warning signs, potential speed reduction from 50mph to 40mph on A260 Canterbury Road from Hollywell Ave, Folkestone through to Hawkinge roundabout. Installation of further crash barrier at the bends half-way up the hill towards Crete Road West.	Additional Armco barrier installed in April 2021. Traffic surveys will be installed 14/06/21. On receipt a detailed design will be produced, and improvements will be delivered by March 2022.

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A259 BLACK BULL RD J/W LINDEN CRESCENT, FOLKESTONE	Footway buildout and repositioning of centreline.	Funding approved, detailed design has been safety audited resulting in an amended design, reduced size of scheme. Awaiting approval from management prior to installing these safety improvements.
<b>LTP Schemes Folkestone &amp; Hythe</b>		
Risborough Lane jct with Church Road, Folkestone	Installation of a zebra crossing point.	Pedestrian count, traffic survey and outline design complete. Damien Cock presented this to management for funding in December 2020. Funding not provided for the scheme, scheme to be shelved.



## Appendix E – Developer Funded Works

<b>Developer Funded Works (Section 278 Agreement Works) – Contact Officer: Aaron Divall</b>				
<b>Scheme Name</b>	<b>Mastergov File Ref No</b>	<b>Parish/Town</b>	<b>Description of Works</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Stone St Old Stone Gate Farm	Ref: 3285	Stelling Minnis	Widening of carriageway and formation of right turn lane for new development	Works Complete, entering maintenance period.
Sellindge A20 Phase I	Ref:3066	Sellindge	Road narrowing, site entrance to new Section 38, zebra crossing, new cycleway/footway and speed reduction to 30mph	Complete, maintenance period till March 2022
Sellindge A20 Phase II	Ref:3064	Sellindge	Road narrowing, site entrance to new Section 38, zebra crossing by school, new cycleway/footway and speed reduction to 30mph	Complete, maintenance period till March 2022
Cheriton High Street	Ref: 3052	Cheriton	Tesco/Horn Street, traffic lights, slip lane to Horn Street and surfacing of carriageway	Complete, in Maintenance period
Cheriton High Street/Cheriton Approach	Ref: 3053	Cheriton	New traffic lights and re alignment of junction forming a right-hand lane into Cheriton	Complete in maintenance period
Jointon Road, Folkestone	SH3344	Folkestone	Entrance to new housing development	Started November 2020 ongoing.
A20 Sellindge, Convertor Station	SH3410	Sellindge	New entrance to Converter Station	Complete, now in maintenance
Ashley Avenue	SH3390	Cheriton	New Entrance to private housing development	Complete, in maintenance
Folkestone Sea	SH3328	Folkestone	Re-alignment of	On site works

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Front Development			carriageway and foot way for new development.	commenced May 2020
A259 Former Sands Motel site	SH3060	St Marys Bay	Upgrade of ped crossing, widening of carriageway, resurface and right turn lane added	Start date of March 21
Royal Military Ave	SH3067	Cheriton	Modification of entrance to new development	Under technical review
Cockreed Lane	SH3070	New Romney	Resurfacing to whole road, linking two residential developments	Under technical review
The Nursey, West Road	SH3071	Cheriton	New entrance to residential development	Under technical review
Martello Lakes, Phase 3, Dymchurch Road	SH3072	Hythe	Minor works and entrance prior to new roundabout	Under technical review
Cornwallis Avenue	SH3073	Folkestone	New entrance to residential development	Under technical review
French House, Aldington Road	SH3074	Lympne	Widening of carriageway to accommodate right turn lane into new development, including new bell mouth	Under technical review

## Appendix F – Bridge Works

<b>Bridge Works – Contact Officer: Neill Coppin</b>			
<b>Road Name</b>	<b>Parish/Town</b>	<b>Description of Works</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Derville Road	Lydd	Derville bridge (2581) - bridge strengthening	In design. Planned for 2021/22
Wenhams Lane	Old Romney	Yoakes (709) - bridge refurbishment	In design. Planned for 2021/22
Hook Wall	Brookland	Woolpack bridge (667) - bridge reconstruction	In design. Planned for 2021/22
Green Lane	Hythe	Green Lane Culvert (3413) - culvert lining	In design. Planned 2021/22
Beggarsbush Lane	Old Romney	St Thomas Innings (742) - culvert replacement – road closure	Planned Summer 2021

## Appendix G – Traffic Systems

There is a programme of scheduled maintenance to refurbish life expired traffic signal equipment across the county based upon age and fault history. The delivery of these schemes is dependent upon school terms and holiday periods; local residents, businesses and schools will be informed verbally and by a letter drop of the exact dates when known.

<b>Traffic Systems - Contact Officer: Toby Butler</b>		
<b>Location</b>	<b>Description of Works</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
No Schemes Planned		

## Appendix H - Combined Members Grant programme update

### Member Highway Fund programme update for the Folkestone & Hythe District.

The following schemes are those, which have been approved for funding by both the relevant Member and by Simon Jones, Director of Highways, Transportation and Waste. The list only includes schemes, which are

- in design
- at consultation stage
- about to be programmed
- recently completed on site.

The list is up to date as of 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2021.

The details given below are for highway projects only. This report does not detail

- contributions Members have made to other groups such as parish councils
- highway studies
- traffic/ non-motorised user surveys funded by Members.

More information on the schemes listed below can be found by contacting the District Manager for the Folkestone & Hythe District.

#### [ Tony Hills ]

Details of Scheme	Status
<b>1920-CMG-SH Dunes Road, Greatstone</b> Traffic island alterations.	The detailed design for the scheme was safety audited and unfortunately the problems highlighted could not be designed out due to insufficient carriageway widths and so the scheme will not go ahead.

#### [Rory Love ]

Details of Scheme	Status
<b>2122-CMG-FH-001 Tanner's Hill, Saltwood</b> Extension of the 30mph speed limit terminal on Tanner's Hill back to junction with Saltwood cricket club.	Traffic survey completed. KCC are currently designing the relocation of the 30mph terminal on Tanners Hill to approx. 10m back from outside the entrance to Saltwood Cricket Club.

#### [ Tony Hills ]

Details of Scheme	Status
<b>2122-CMG-FH-002 Cockreed Lane &amp; Ashford Road, New Romney</b> Traffic surveys to be installed on both Cockreed Lane and Ashford Road to determine the average speeds of vehicles and	Traffic surveys planned for 11/06/2021.

reduce various existing speed limits accordingly.	
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**Appendix I – Public Rights of Way**

<b>Public Rights of Way - <i>Contact Officer: Graham Rusling</i></b>			
<b>PRoW No.</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Description of Works</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
No current works.			

## Appendix J – Street Works

Please note that this list is accurate at the time of running the report and is subject to cancellations and additions. Report highlighting all works in Folkstone & Hythe District that require road closures with a duration of 5+ days.

**For information on all In-progress and proposed works please visit:**

<https://one.network/>

STREET	TOWN	WORKS PROMOTER	WORKS DESCRIPTION	EST. START	EST. FINISH
CHERRY GARDEN AVENUE	FOLKESTONE	KCC	Carriageway Resurfacing	31/08/2021	09/09/2021
DYMCHURCH ROAD	DYMCHURCH	KCC	Carriageway Resurfacing	06/09/2021	15/09/2021
HIGH STREET	DYMCHURCH	KCC	Carriageway Resurfacing	06/09/2021	15/09/2021
NEW DOVER ROAD	CAPEL-LE-FERNE	KCC	Resurfacing works	17/09/2021	23/09/2021
PARK LANE	ELHAM	AFFINITY WATER	Install Wash Out Valve on Water Main	26/07/2021	30/07/2021
ASHFORD ROAD	NEW ROMNEY	AFFINITY WATER	Lay New Water Service Pipe(s) new main to new development site	03/08/2021	16/08/2021
DOVER ROAD	FOLKESTONE	KCC	Carriageway Resurfacing, Binder and Surface Course	01/09/2021	31/12/2021
RENDEZVOUS STREET	FOLKESTONE	SGN	LAY X2 NEW SERVICES FROM N/S C/WAY TO SITE	05/07/2021	13/07/2021
GREEN LANE	LYMINGE	OPENREACH	tree surgery to clear route and hang OH fibre in CW/Verge	06/09/2021	17/09/2021
GREEN LANE	RHODES MINNIS	OPENREACH	tree surgery to clear route and hang OH fibre in CW/Verge	06/09/2021	17/09/2021
HOPE ALL SAINTS	ST MARY IN THE MARSH	AFFINITY WATER	New 90mm bulk water supply to Goose Farm development(Chittenden Lane) Works in carriageway/verge Hope All Saints	02/08/2021	13/08/2021
BEGGARSBUSH LANE	OLD ROMNEY	KCC	Excavate existing brick arch culvert and replace with twinwall piped culvert and rebuild headwalls.	02/08/2021	13/08/2021

## **Legal Implications**

1.1.1 Not applicable.

## **1.2 Financial and Value for Money Considerations**

1.2.1 Not applicable.

## **1.3 Risk Assessment**

1.3.1 Not applicable.

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