

A27 East of Lewes Update

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A weekly bulletin with news and progress

New road layout

We are delighted to have been able to open the western section of road between Cophall roundabout and Polegate junction.

We will now begin drainage works on the eastern edge of the road to improve road surface reliability. In order to do so, we had to make changes to the traffic management.

Thank you for bearing with us and apologies for any disruption this might have caused last weekend.

Working during Covid-19

During the Covid-19 pandemic, we have made considerable adjustments to allow work to continue with safety measures in place to protect staff. These include even more regular cleaning, a desk booking system, one way systems, an **outside briefing area** (see below) and social distancing.



Safety – no one should be harmed when travelling or working on the strategic road network

We've had good feedback on our roadworks so far. We welcome this because it helps us to improve.

We're looking for volunteers to help us by answering a more detailed customer experience survey. To take part please email the project team by Friday 4 December:

A27EastofLewes@highwaysengland.co.uk

This could involve a drive through the working area or a walk around Polegate; social distance guidelines are being followed across our scheme.

Continuing works at Berwick

There will be archaeological teams investigating the ground in the fields next to the roundabout between now and late December. We will let you know if we find any buried treasure or Roman remains.

Improvements on the roundabout will start in early January 2021.

This project site is registered with the Considerate Constructors' Scheme



Keeping you informed

As part of our commitment to reducing, recycling and reusing, moving forward we will not be posting letters to local residents. We can add you to our email update list (not for marketing purposes). Please email A27EastofLewes@highwaysengland.co.uk asking to be added. You can be removed at any time by emailing the same address. You can also get free text updates by **texting A27EoL to 60613** or you can call **Highways England on 0300 123 5000**.