

Footway Maintenance in Your Area

Footway Surface Improvement (Reconstruction)



Station Road, Birchington

When we plan to carry out the work and how long it will take:

This is to let you know that, as part of the on-going maintenance and improvement of the highway network, Kent County Council will be constructing drainage improvements within the footway and carriageway at the junction to the private car park in between **85-93 Station Road, Birchington in the sections shown on the plan on the reverse.**

These drainage improvement works are programmed to start on the **2nd March 2026** and are expected to take approximately **3-5 days** to complete. These activities will be undertaken between the hours of **08:00am and 16:00pm** each day.

If there is any change to this date, and it is not possible for us to carry it out at this time, we will arrange a new date and let you know via a letter drop to your home. We will also put-up signs along the road, before we start, showing the date we plan to start work.

What we plan to do

The junction often floods and requires drainage improvements, and so we will be installing a new gully grating and frame and resurfacing the existing carriageway. The areas detailed on the map overleaf, will be excavated and the existing carriageway will be replaced with a new black asphalt surface, and some new kerbing and tactile paving will be installed. As we will be digging up the existing carriageway and footway there will be some noise and dust.

Due to the narrow nature of the carriageway access, for us to complete this work safely, successfully, and as quickly as possible it is unavoidable that the footway and private entrance at this point will need to be closed to complete the scheme.

To minimise the disruption as much as possible the works and associated will be carried out from **08:00-16:00, and no vehicle access to or from the private car park will be available within this time frame.** When feasible traffic management will be pulled to the side at the end of each working day to allow vehicular access around the site.

We apologise in advance for the inconvenience caused during these essential maintenance works.

How you can help us

It is inevitable that residents and businesses near the works will experience some disruption. but we will try to keep this to a minimum. If you have any special access arrangements or any other urgent concerns you wish to discuss, please contact us.

We need your help to make sure the work is done as quickly as possible, and to the best possible quality. We would be grateful if parking is considerate to where works are taking place, please where possible, park away from the site whilst the works are carried out. If in doubt please do speak to the operatives on site when work is on-going.

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How to contact us?

If you have any enquiries regarding these works, they can be raised through the Kent County Council contact centre on 03000 418181 – Monday to Friday from 09:00 to 17:00. Alternatively, you can email Damien Cock at RaFAT@kent.gov.uk

To find out how we look after the roads throughout Kent or report any faults you find on our roads you can visit our website www.kent.gov.uk/resurfacingupdates.

WARNING – Beware Bogus Callers

Kent County Council Highways, Transportation and Waste do not allow works to be carried out on private properties. If anyone says they are working for us or our specialist contractors and offer to carry out any work for cash, they should be treated with caution. We advise you to contact Citizen's Advice on 03444 111 444 (Monday to Friday 9.00am to 5.00pm).

For your safety and the safety of our workforce, please drive carefully and slowly through the roadworks.

Works locations:

