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Nottingham Ring Road Improvement Scheme roadworks update summer 2014

Welcome to the latest update on Nottingham Ring Road Improvement Scheme, which gives an overview of works completed and gives details on what's happening this summer.

What works have been done so far?

The Ring Road improvement works started at the end of July 2013, and since then, the following has happened:

- The roundabout at the Aspley Lane junction has been replaced with a four-way traffic-signal controlled junction. New and upgraded pedestrian and cyclist crossings at this junction now make it safer for children attending Bluecoat Academy to cross the road.
- A new toucan crossing for pedestrians and cyclists has been installed by the Valley Road skate park to provide safer crossing facilities.
- The northbound carriageway between Aspley Lane and Nuthall Road has been increased to three lanes.
- New lighting has improved safety and security on Middleton and Western Boulevards.

These works have created a safer environment for motorists, pedestrians and cyclists and provided additional capacity on the Ring Road.



Thank you for your patience during the construction works. We will continue to work to minimise any traffic disruption where possible while the improvements take place.

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What's next?

Carriageway widening

Widening works on Middleton Boulevard (southbound) and Western Boulevard from Beechdale Road to Aspley Lane continue. Resurfacing works will be undertaken on weekends and these sections of road are planned to fully open for general traffic by the end of July.

Nottingham Road / Valley Road junction



Roadworks have started at the Nottingham Road / Valley Road junction to introduce new crossings for pedestrians and cyclists and upgrade existing traffic signal equipment. Kerbing and footway works will take approximately three weeks to complete. Off-peak lane restrictions will be in place during this period. New traffic light equipment will then be installed followed by resurfacing works, starting at the end of July.

Expected to take two weeks to complete, significant disruption may be experienced during these works as temporary four-way traffic lights signals will be in operation 24 hours a day. The traffic light installations have been planned to take place during the summer school holidays when traffic levels are usually lighter.
Motorists are advised to allow extra time for their journeys during these works.

Hucknall Road roundabout



Works started in April to upgrade the Hucknall Road roundabout by the City Hospital and Nottingham High School's sports ground. Initial works are taking place to install large pre-cast concrete units to extend the culvert over Day Brook and earthworks to construct a new embankment. These works are expected to take until the end of August.

The highway works are planned to start once this work is completed - currently scheduled for September 2014 to early 2015. Public information events will take place later in the summer to explain how the new roundabout will be built and what impact the works may have on traffic.

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