

Who's carrying out the work?

The council's contractor Kier Construction will be carrying out these works on our behalf.

This work is part of the Town Centre Masterplan to create a more attractive pedestrian environment which reconnects the town centre to the river and creates a sequence of appealing streets and spaces, redefining the Guildford experience.

Please keep this information leaflet in a safe place so you can refer to it.

Keep up to date

To receive regular updates and to view detailed plans visit www.ourroads.today

You can also get updates straight to your inbox by signing up for e-newsletters. To receive these just enter your email address in the box on the Walnut Tree Close webpage.

Contact us: highways@surreycc.gov.uk

Telephone: 0300 200 1003

For traffic and travel updates visit www.roadworks.org or follow @GuildfordJC on Twitter.



GUILDFORD ROADWORKS

Advance warning
Woodbridge Meadows/ Walnut Tree Close,
Guildford
6 January 2020
For approx. 8 weeks
Expect delays

Start date:
6 January 2020
For approx. 8 weeks
7.30am – 6.30pm
Mon to Fri working

Please look out for advance warning signs on site for any date changes or check www.roadworks.org and @GuildfordJC

What are we going to do?

We will be building a turning facility on Woodbridge Meadows, Guildford, near to the Royal Mail sorting office, in preparation for the trial one-way traffic restriction on Walnut Tree Close/Woodbridge Meadows. Two-way temporary traffic lights will be in place whilst the turning facility is constructed. **The trial one-way traffic restriction will be put in place at a later date in 2020.**

Scheme background:

The scheme on Walnut Tree Close aims to reduce the amount of traffic using the road, particularly vehicles that use the road as a through-route between the A25 and the gyratory.

To achieve this aim we are planning to undertake a trial one-way traffic restriction, which will permit only northbound traffic along a section of Walnut Tree Close/Woodbridge Meadows. The one-way traffic restriction will be in place from the Royal Mail sorting office and a turning facility will be built at this location.

Why are we doing this?

In 2013 342 residents signed a petition asking for Walnut Tree Close to be closed to through-traffic. There were a variety of reasons why this was proposed, including safety, congestion and the local environment.

Following this petition a consultation was carried out in 2016. This consultation proposed two options to tackle the concerns raised, this scheme is a follow-up of those proposals.

This scheme intends to:

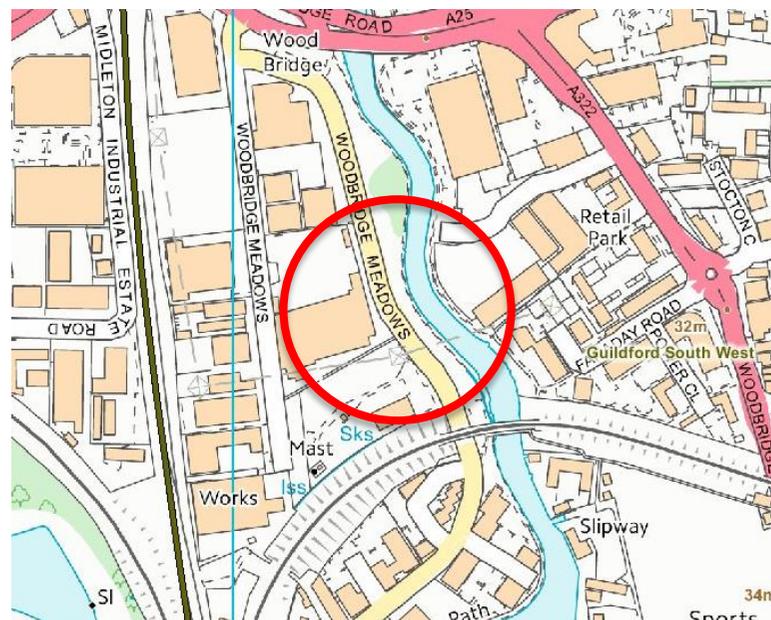
- Reduce the volume of traffic using Walnut Tree Close.
- Improve road safety and traffic flow on the gyratory.
- Encourage more walking and cycling.

For further details on the consultation and background of this scheme visit: www.ourroads.today.

Information for residents and businesses

We will make sure you can get to and from your house or business when it is safe to do so. Please talk to a member of our staff on site if you need help – talking to our staff can solve most issues. The temporary lights will be manually controlled during peak times from 7am – 9.30am and 3.30pm – 6.30pm to reduce the impact on traffic.

Works location for installation of the turning facility:



Turning facility/ works area: 