



Important roadworks information

National Highways
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Woodlands
Manton Lane
Bedford
MK41 7LW

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Dear Sir/Madam,

A47 Guyhirn improvement

I am writing to inform you about upcoming roadworks on the A47 at the Guyhirn roundabout.

Progress on our A47 upgrade

Work continues at pace to deliver the upgraded A47 junction with the A141 at Guyhirn. Once complete, the enlarged roundabout will make the roundabout safer, improve journey times, and reduce congestion.

What's next

The next stage of work on the upgrade includes improving drainage, vegetation trimming and planting, laying a new road surface, and checking on the condition of the existing road surface.

Road closures

- The A47 Fen Road will be closed between Guyhirn and Thorney overnight until Wednesday 13 October, from 8pm to 6am, excluding the weekend. Eastbound traffic will exit the Whitepost roundabout onto the A1139, then continue onto A605 Fletton Interchange, take the slip road onto the A605 through Whittlesey and Coates to the A141, and take that to re-join the A47 at Guyhirn. Westbound traffic will follow this diversion in reverse. There will be two-way traffic lights in place on the other approaches to the roundabout.
- From Thursday 14 to Wednesday 20 October the A47 South Brink will be closed between Guyhirn and the A1101 Wisbech Roundabout overnight, from 8pm to 6am, excluding the weekend. Eastbound traffic will exit from Guyhirn onto the A141 towards Chatteris, take the A142 towards Ely, then the A10 towards Ely, then continue on the A10 towards King's Lynn, and then continue on the A10 to ultimately re-join the A47 at Hardwick Roundabout. Westbound traffic will take the A1101 to Outwell, then the A1122 to the A10 at Downham Market, then the A10 towards Ely, the A142 to Chatteris, the A141 in Chatteris, and then re-join

the A47 at Guyhirn. There will be two-way traffic lights in place on the other approaches to the roundabout.

- From Thursday 21 to Friday 22 October there will be three-way traffic lights in place at the Guyhirn roundabout.

While we will look to minimise any disruption and noise from our works, there may be some unavoidable noise such as reversing beepers on vehicles.

Diversion routes and maps are shown overleaf. Please do use the official diversions.

Keep in touch

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact us using the following options:

- Post: A47 Guyhirn Junction Improvements, National Highways, Woodlands, Manton Lane, Bedford, MK41 7LW.
- Email: A47GuyhirnJunctionRIS@highwaysengland.co.uk
- Telephone: 0300 123 5000

For more information visit our scheme webpage at www.highwaysengland.co.uk/guyhirn, where you can also sign up for email alerts whenever the webpage for this scheme is updated.

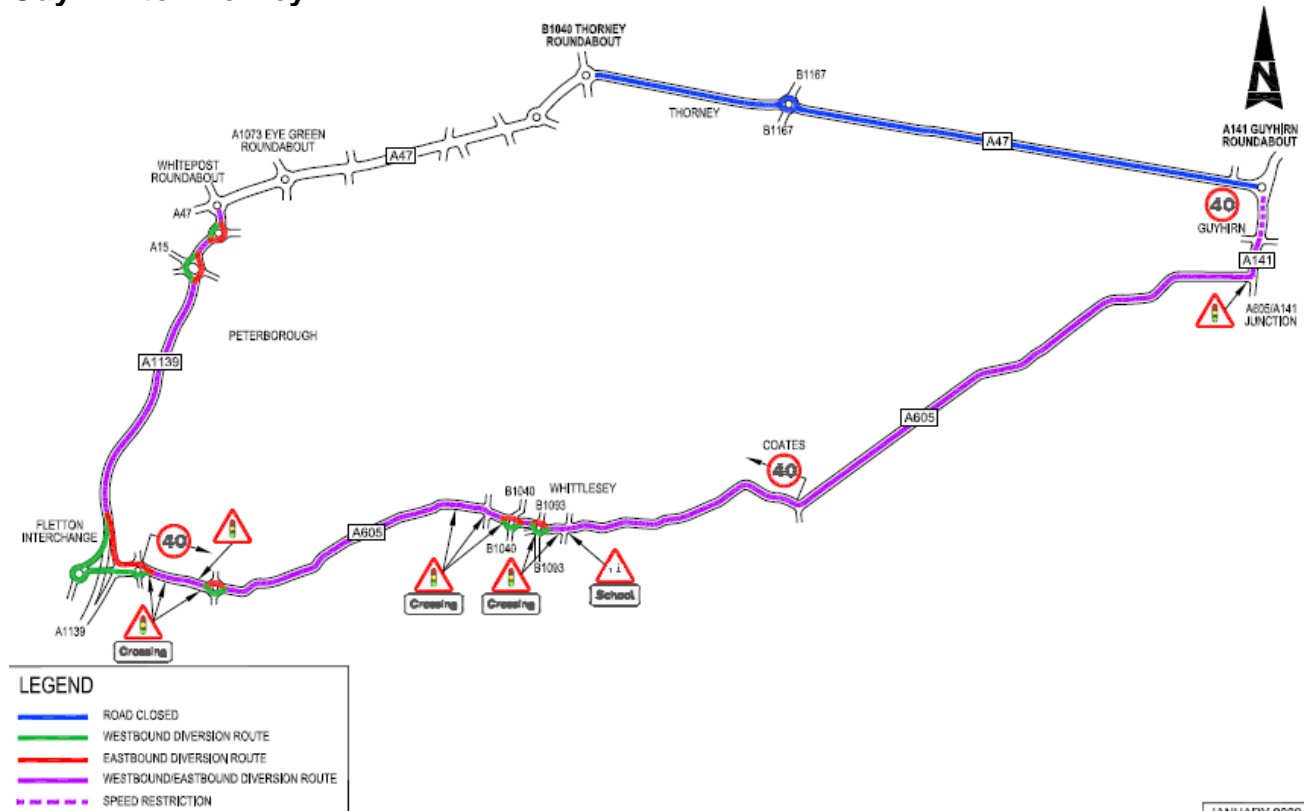
We'll be posting updates regularly from our regional Twitter feed @HighwaysEAST and Facebook page @HighwaysEAST.

Yours faithfully

Tim Walker
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National Highways

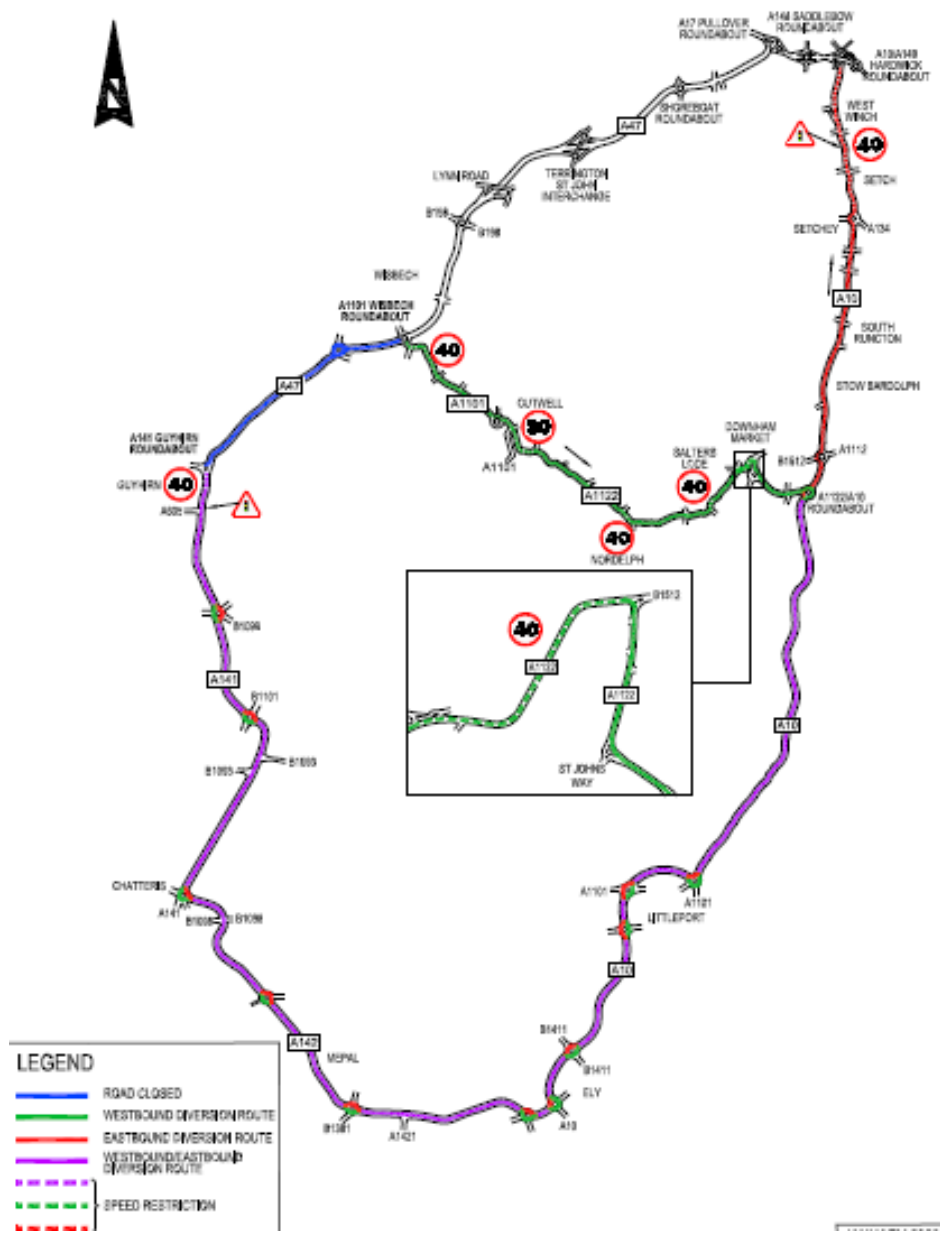
Diversion Route Maps

Guyhirn to Thorney



We expect this diversion to add approximately 30 minutes to the usual journey time.

Guyhirn to A1101 Wisbech Roundabout



We expect this diversion to add approximately one hour and 10 minutes to the usual journey time.