



Chelmsford North East Bypass – Advanced works

Project Newsletter 1

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Welcome to the first edition of the Chelmsford North East Bypass (CNEB) advanced works newsletter, produced by Octavius Infrastructure, working for Essex County Council.

We have been appointed by the council to construct a bridge to facilitate ongoing quarry operations at Bulls Lodge Quarry. The scheme is being delivered as an advanced phase of works, ahead of the construction of the bypass.

Our advanced works are expected to take approximately 12 months to complete.

Important news

There is not expected to be any traffic disruption in the local area due to the advanced works because the majority of site works are taking place off the road network.

There will be **no** road or lane closures as part of the construction of the bridge.

What has been happening so far?

We have erected new security gates at the site entrance to prevent any unauthorised access to the site.

A sign has also been put up on the approach to the roundabout at the site entrance to inform people about the works in progress.



Site news

- Water ducts have been buried beneath the site entrance
- The terram membrane and geo grid are ready for installation underneath the haul road
- Top soil is now being removed and will be stored on site to enable construction of the haul road



Sustainability and social value news

We are committed to delivering sustainable infrastructure, making a commitment to give value to society and the communities in which we work.

Focusing on Essex County Council's priorities, we will:

- Spend money with local and SME businesses
- Deliver local skills and employment for the local area
- Support local community initiatives

What is happening in October?

- Over the next six weeks, site cabins will be set up
- A haul road will be built, measuring approximately 600 metres in length
- A culvert will be built over Boreham Brook Tributary to gain access to the northern fields

Want to know more?

To find out more about our advanced works and the Chelmsford North East Bypass, please visit: www.essexhighways.org/chelmsford-north-east-bypass.

Please email any enquiries about the advanced works or Chelmsford North East Bypass project to CNEB@essexhighways.org.

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