

Colne Town Centre Bus Service Improvement Scheme: Progress Report – as at 07/07/2026

Phase 1 of the Colne Town Centre Bus Improvement Scheme, including the refurbishment of Colne Bus Station, is now substantially complete and the project is progressing into Phase 2.

Phase 2 will deliver highway, pedestrian and bus priority improvements across Colne town centre and will enable all bus services to operate from the refurbished bus station. The works include:

- Converting Craddock Road to two-way operation to provide bus station access from all directions
- Relocating Market Street bus stops into the bus station
- Improving the traffic signals at the Keighley Road/Market Street/Craddock Road junction
- Upgrading pedestrian crossing facilities, including a new signal-controlled crossing on Market Street.

The works are programmed to commence in early September, ensuring that the Rhythm and Blues Festival over the August Bank Holiday weekend is not affected.

Construction is expected to take approximately 12 weeks and is planned to be completed before the Christmas period, subject to weather and site conditions.

Temporary traffic management arrangements are being finalised ahead of the start of construction and will be shared with the Town Council and other key stakeholders. This will help ensure that any interaction with local events can be coordinated effectively.

In the meantime, if there are any forthcoming events, planned activities or other constraints that should be considered please let LCC know and it will seek to accommodate them where possible.