

Colne Town Centre Highway Improvement Scheme: Progress Report – as at 07/10/2026

Work on Phase 2 of the Colne Town Centre highway improvement scheme is continuing, with the construction team initially focusing on new tactile crossing points and associated kerb alterations along Market Street. These works were carried out under localised pedestrian management arrangements.

This week work started at the Keighley Road/Skipton Road junction, beginning with the removal of the existing pedestrian refuge islands to facilitate the next stage of the highway improvements. In addition, duct installation is scheduled to take place on Market Street during night-time working on Thursday 8 October.

During the week commencing 12 October 2026, works at the Keighley Road/Skipton Road junction will continue. Overnight carriageway resurfacing is also planned on Market Street. Temporary traffic management and diversion arrangements will be required during these works, with bus services diverted via Windy Bank. Bus operators have been advised and notices will be displayed at relevant bus stops.

Following completion of these activities, works are expected to continue through to the Christmas shutdown period before recommencing in January 2027, with the remaining civil engineering works undertaken during daytime hours and further carriageway resurfacing carried out during night-time working.

As reported in the previous update, informal engagement regarding servicing arrangements at Richmonds Court has now been undertaken. The project team is currently reviewing the responses.

Further information on traffic management arrangements will be shared in advance of the relevant phases of work.