

## **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

### **What are the benefits of this scheme?**

Hills Road is a key route into Cambridge, including to and from expanding employment and healthcare services at the Cambridge Biomedical Campus.

The scheme will provide further safe and segregated cycle routes along Hills Road, new floating bus stops as well as a new Toucan crossing on Hills Road at the Addenbrooke's roundabout.

The aim is to make cycling and walking safer and an alternative to the private vehicle whilst contributing to easing congestion in one of the busiest parts of the city.

### **What works are being carried out for 14 weeks?**

The works include the removal of kerbs and roadside verges, the diversion of utilities and the construction of new raised cycle lanes (with the Cambridge kerb), new footways, a new floating bus stop and Toucan crossing.

### **Will this affect pedestrian access?**

People travelling to Addenbrooke's from the city on foot will be able to use the closed section of Hills Road to walk to the hospital site.

### **Will this affect cyclist access?**

Outbound cyclists heading to CBC should use either Adrian Way, Robinson Way or the shared-use path inbetween that leads to Puddicombe Way.

Alternatively they could turn off Hills Road before the Long Road junction and approach the hospital site via Luard Road and Sedley Taylor Road.

A decision will be made shortly on cyclist access through the works.

### **How will buses be affected?**

The bus stop between Long Road and the Addenbrooke's roundabout will be closed - outbound bus commuters can use the bus station at Addenbrooke's hospital.

Outbound buses will follow the diversion via Queen Edith's Way.

City-bound bus routes will be unaffected.

### **How will local residents access their homes?**

Residents living along the road closure section will have pedestrian and vehicle access to their homes at all times. We are still working with the contractor on the fine details and will be contacting local residents shortly with detailed information.

**How long will the work be taking place for?**

The construction works will take place 6 days a week (excluding Sundays) for 14 weeks from June, start date to be confirmed.

The outbound lane will have a 24/7 closure.