

Equality Impact Assessment



Hampshire
County Council

Refurbishment of A35 Redbridge Causeway

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Description of current service/policy

Maintenance of highway infrastructure affecting the travelling public.
Geographical impact: New Forest, Test Valley

Description of proposed change

Repair of deteriorating bridges on the A35 Causeway between Southampton and Totton. Interruption to travellers will be temporary as repairs are carried out.

Impacts of the proposed change

This impact assessment covers Service users

Engagement and consultation

Has engagement or consultation been carried out? Planned

Collaboration is on going with Southampton City Council, Highways England and the Environment Agency in order to consider traffic management arrangements, network management programming issues and environmental mitigation measures.

Local Councillors, residents, and local businesses have all been contacted for previous works and the same process will be followed for upcoming work with appropriate press releases across a range of media outlets.

Statutory considerations	Impact	Mitigation
Age: Neutral		

Disability: Low	<p>Closure of Old Redbridge Road to allow work on the Viaduct cantilever piers and Redbridge Road bridge could negatively impact on pedestrians, and particularly those with disabilities, such as wheelchair users, by requiring them to take long diversions along busy roads. To avoid this the Contractor will be required to keep a protected pedestrian route available along Old Redbridge Road under the bridges.</p>	
Sexual orientation: Neutral		
Race: Neutral		
Religion and belief: Neutral		
Gender reassignment: Neutral		
Gender: Neutral		
Marriage and civil partnership: Neutral		
Pregnancy and maternity: Neutral		
Other policy considerations	Impact	Mitigation
Poverty: Neutral		
Rurality: Neutral		

Any other information