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## **Sydney Road, Spixworth - Essential Drainage Improvement Scheme**

Work will begin on Monday 11 March 2024 to carry out carriageway drainage improvement works on Sydney Road, Spixworth. The works are expected to take 13 weeks to complete subject to suitable weather conditions.

The works include installation of a new pipe system and gullies to alleviate current issues with standing water in this location during periods of heavy rain.

To allow the works to completed safely Sydney Road will need to be closed to through traffic and parking on the road itself will be suspended for the duration of works. The area where the drainage improvement work is taking place is shown on the map attached.

Sydney Road, north of Christine Road, will be closed for the duration of the works and wherever possible residents should follow the signed diversion route. If works are occurring outside of your property, please speak with a member of the site team who will be able to advise you of access arrangements.

It will not be possible to provide a diversion route whilst works are taking place on the length of Syndey Road east of Christine Road as this section of road is a cul-de-sac. Therefore, access for residents will be permitted past the works area although there will be delays as trenches will be dug along/across the road meaning limited access at times. We recommend if possible, to park elsewhere on Sydney Road outside scheme extents during the working day (around 0730-1600) to avoid long delays getting past the works. To ensure your safety, and those of our contractors, please speak with a member of the team before proceeding. During evenings and weekends the east section of Syndey Road to the cul-de-sac will be open for access. Pedestrian access will not be affected and will be maintained at all times.

The team on site will be on hand to help with any access queries as the work progresses.

We are grateful for people's patience while this road drainage improvement work takes place. If access for Emergency Services is required, the site staff will ensure access past the works.

The work which will cost £180,000 will be carried out by Norfolk County Council's Community & Environmental Services Department and their contractors.

## For further information

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