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## A47/A11 Thickthorn Junction

### Advance notification of work

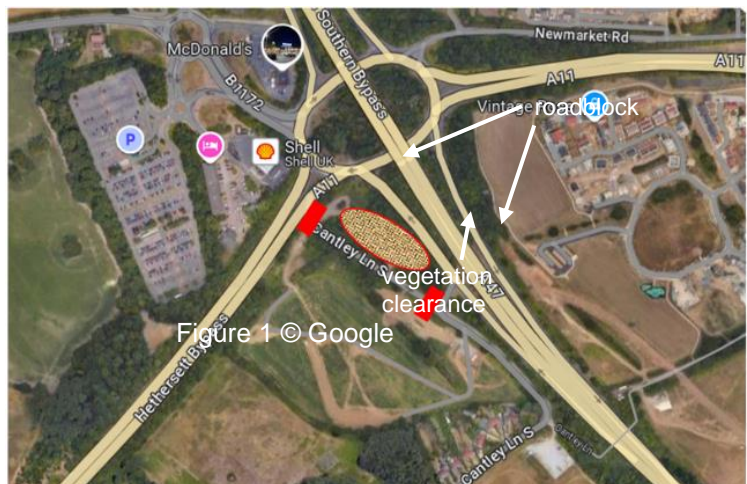
#### Temporary road closure: Cantley Lane South, 16-20 December

We are writing to let you know about preparatory work in advance of improvements to the A47/A11 Thickthorn Junction. For safety reasons, we will temporarily need to close Cantley Lane South during December.

#### What we are doing

Cantley Lane South to be closed between (7am to 6pm from Monday 16 December to Friday 20 December, subject to weather conditions. The one-way section from the A11 junction southbound exit slip road to the two-way exit to the A47 will also be closed.

We will be clearing the hedges and trees from the area on the northern side of that stretch. This clearance is to allow us to install a temporary site compound, whilst we prepare for work to start on the A47/A11 junction improvements. Please see Figure 1 above.



#### Reason for the work

The one-way stretch of Cantley Lane South is too narrow for construction vehicles and equipment to share the road space safely with local traffic whilst we build the new junction.

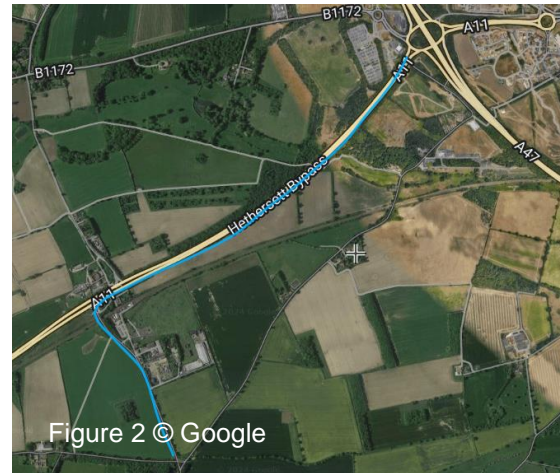
Unfortunately, this means that the closure will be in place during working hours of 7am to 6pm daily.

#### What you can expect to see or hear

A signed diversion southbound on the A11 will be put in place. Drivers will exit the A11 onto **Station Lane**, leading to the High Street and the bottom of Cantley Lane South. This diversion will add an additional 5 minutes to your journey depending on your destination on Cantley

Lane South. See Figure 2. The exit route from Cantley Lane South to the A47 will not be affected.

The work to clear the hedges and land alongside the one-way section of the lane will involve the use of chainsaws, and other equipment to take away the debris. Workforce vehicles will be kept in the closed area for the duration of the lane closure, and so will not obstruct the lane to local traffic. Our workforce traffic will leave via the same exit to the A47 as other traffic, taking care to give local traffic the right of way.



Thank you for your patience and we apologise for any inconvenience caused by this work

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