

Dunkettle Progress Update

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Dunkettle Interchange Project - Advance Works

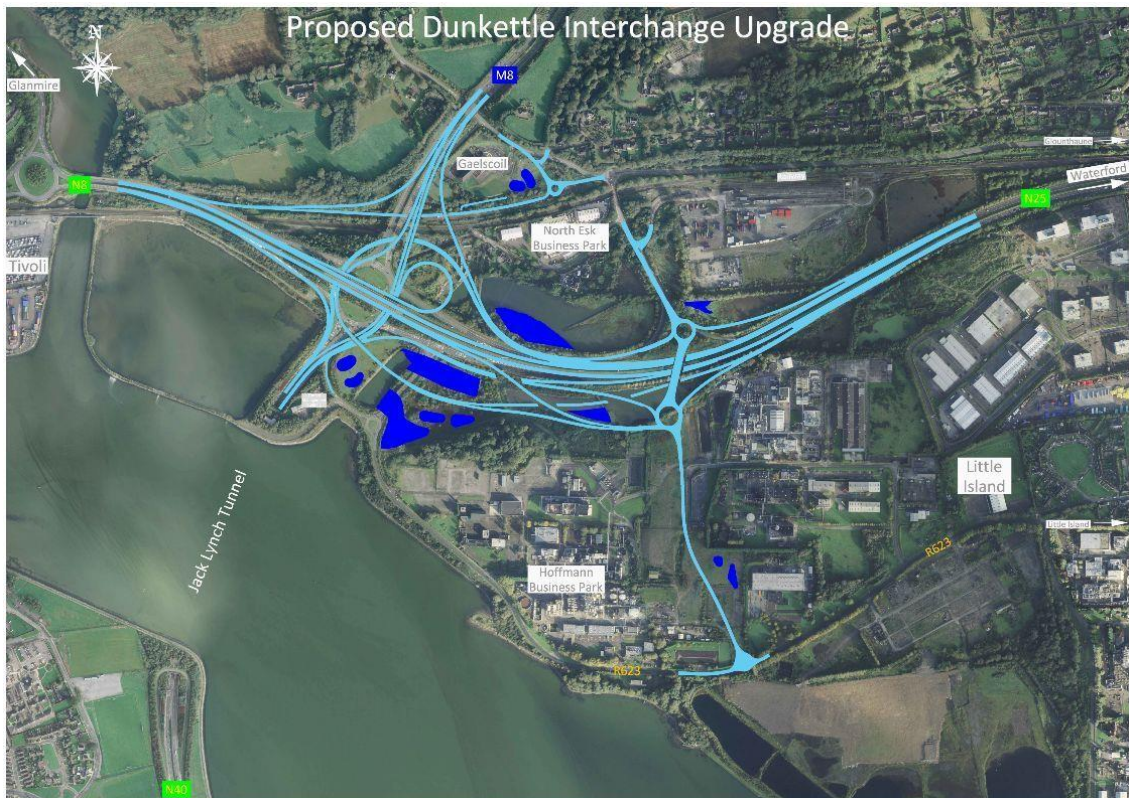


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Upgrade Dunkettle to a largely free-flow interchange to alleviate traffic congestion



- Service duct installation works will continue across the site over the coming 6 weeks or so. No disruption to traffic will arise as a result of this element of the works with on-road works being carried out under night time working. See photograph below.



Installation of communications ducting

- At the eastern end of the N8, works are continuing to upgrade the Dunkettle Roundabout to a fully signalised roundabout with controlled pedestrian and cyclist crossing points. Limited lane restrictions will be in place here during off-peak hours with no major traffic impact anticipated.
- Works are also continuing on the proposed free flow slip road from the N8 eastbound to the M8 northbound – see aerial photograph below.



Works on the proposed free flow slip road from the N8 eastbound to the M8 northbound

- An upgrade to the existing parapet will be required at the Glashaboy River Bridge to take account of the proposed new adjoining cycleway. Works under this heading are advancing under a hard shoulder closure with no major impact on traffic – see photograph below.



Works commencing on the upgrade to the existing parapet at the Glashaboy River Bridge

- Works associated with repairs to the existing gas transmission main between the N25 and the Pfizer premises are nearing completion. See photograph below. The next step for works in this area will be to install reinforced concrete piles in order to support the concrete protective slabs required at the gas main. We hope the piling works in this area will get underway before the end of this month with further details to follow in future updates.



Works associated with repairs to existing gas transmission main

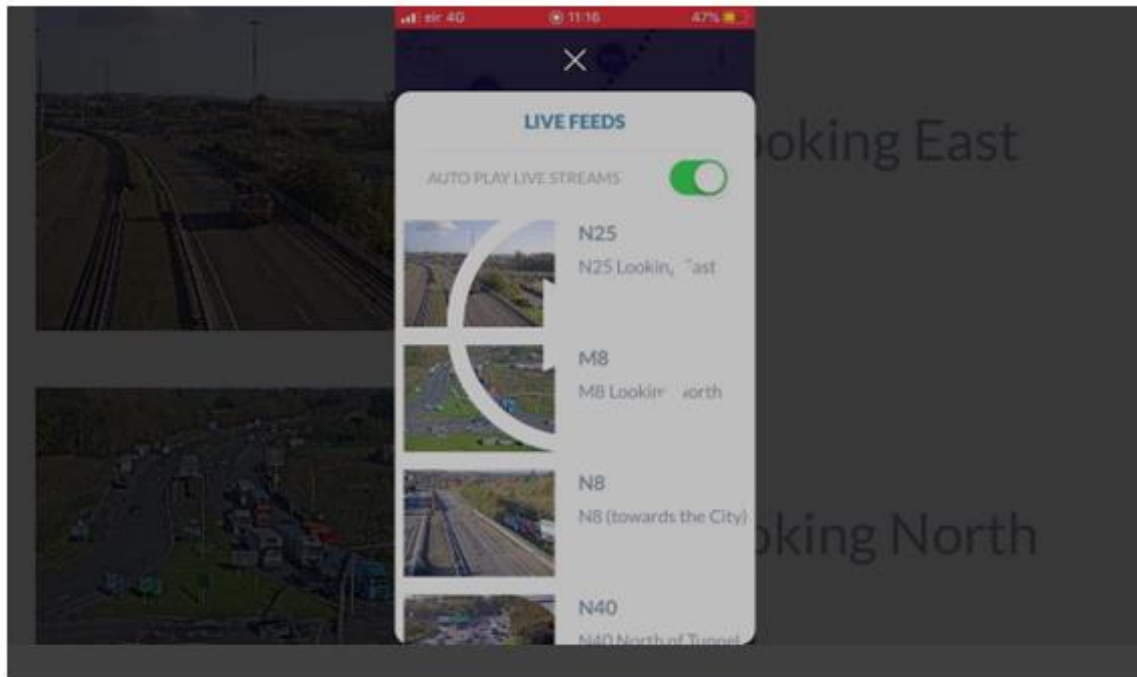
- A major upgrade to the existing 900mm watermain is required at the existing watermain crossing point of the N25. See photograph below which shows a trial pit being carried out to determine the exact location and depth of the watermain. The works required under this heading are expected to run on to July 2020 and further details will follow in future updates.



Trial pit to determine the location of the existing 900mm watermain adjacent to the N25

- Further details of all the works items above will continue to be provided via these weekly progress updates.

Dunkettle Interchange Project - Dunkettle Live Traffic App



Link to video: [Dunkettle Live app](#)

- The traffic app **Dunkettle Live** is available as a free download on the [Google Play store](#) and the [Apple App store](#).
- The video above demonstrates the main features of the app. The app continues to be well received with positive feedback in relation to the free availability of real time traffic information, including live journey times and live video streaming from the main approaches to the Dunkettle Interchange. (This video can also be viewed at: [Dunkettle Live App Preview](#).)
- As always, we welcome any comments in relation to the app to roadconstruction@ccc-site.com

As always, if there are any queries or comments in relation to these works, please contact us at:

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