# Dunkettle Progress Update 17th July 2020

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### **Dunkettle Interchange Project - Advance Works**

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

 Landscaping and finishing works are ongoing in the Dunkettle local road/Factory Hill area. We still expect that these works will reach substantial completion in August 2020. See photograph below.



Landscaping works ongoing on the old Dunkettle local road near Factory Hill junction

 Works are progressing well at the site of the proposed new roundabout on the Little Island Regional Road, R623. Earlier this week traffic was moved under a stop/go arrangement onto the northern side of the new roundabout. Over the coming period works will be focused on what will ultimately become the southern half of this new roundabout - see photograph below.

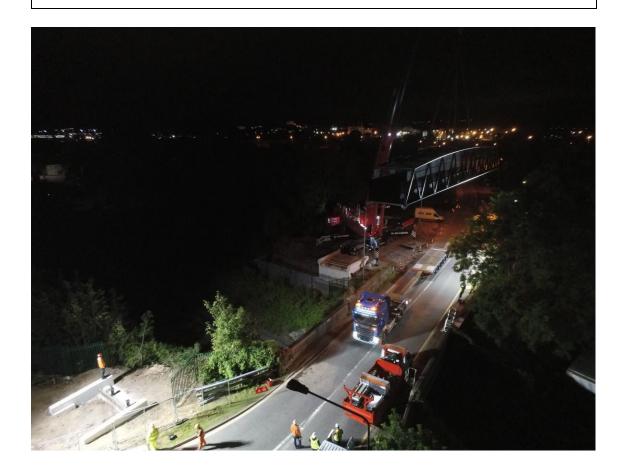


Earthworks and service diversion works ongoing at the site of the new R623 Roundabout

- Works are also continuing in association with signalising of the existing Dunkettle Roundabout and on construction of the new parapets at the N25 bridges east of Dunkettle Roundabout.
- The new footway/cycleway bridge over the railway near the existing Bury's Bridge was installed under night time working on the night of Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2020.

Significant finishing works remain outstanding here and these will be progressed over the coming period. Also, details of how the new bridge fits into the overall cycleway arrangement proposed for the Glanmire/Little

Island area will be included in next week's update. See photographs below.



Prefabricated bridge structure being lifted into place



New structure in place with extent of finishing works required clearly apparent



Aerial shot of the new structure spanning the Cork/Midleton railway line

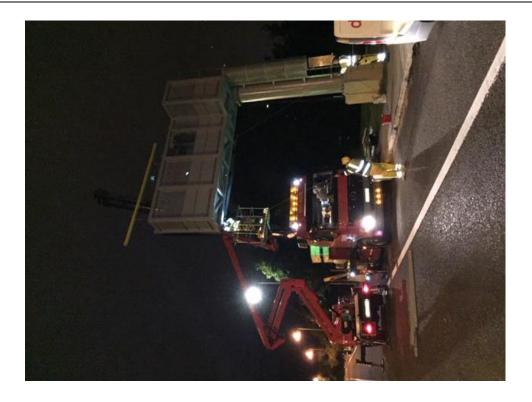
 Surfacing works in the area of the proposed new free flow slip lane from the N8 to the M8 northbound will be getting underway over the coming period – details to follow in next week's update.

## N40 Intelligent Transport Systems

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Installation of gantry mounted Variable Message Signs and other infrastructure to display traffic information such as journey times.

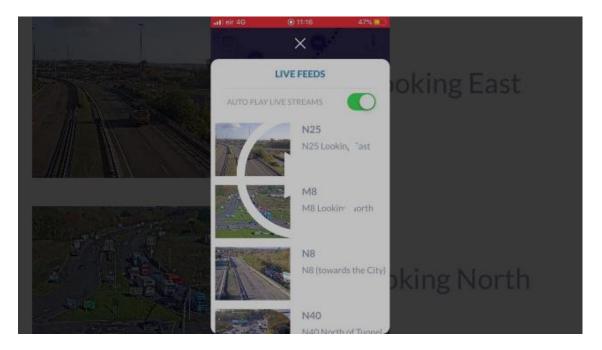
• In the area west of Bloomfield Interchange night time working is continuing associated with installation of traffic sensor loops and with completion of the ITS equipment itself. See photograph below.



Finishing works to Variable Message Sign ongoing

 Works are continuing on the sites on the N8 at Tivoli and on the M8 southbound at the Glanmire Interchange.  Works will get underway after the August bank holiday weekend on three further sites between Bloomfield Interchange and the Tunnel on the N40.

### **Dunkettle Live Traffic App**







Dunkettle Live App: Download from Apple App store or from Google Play store

• The traffic app **Dunkettle Live** is available free of charge from both the Apple App Store and from the Google Play Store.

As always, if there are any queries or comments in relation to these works, please contact us at: **Phone:** 1800 810077 (at any time), **Email:** roadconstruction@ccc-site.com.



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