

# Dunkettle Progress Update

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

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

- Works associated with the major diversion of the 900mm diameter watermain are progressing well. See photograph below.
- Our hope is that the diverted watermain will be brought back into service before the end of this month with the watermain diversion works overall reaching substantial completion in October 2020.



**Pipe installation works including pipe welding being progressed in the concrete caisson immediately south of the N25 westbound diverge.**

- As noted in last week's update the stop/go arrangement on the R623 Little Island Regional Road has been removed. The stop/go operation now in place at the western end of this regional road is associated with the installation of a gas transmission main. We are informed that these works will take a further 3 weeks or so to complete.
- On a further semi related matter, works at Ballinglanna near the AIB Bank have reached substantial completion.
- We hope that piling works in the area between the Pfizer premises and the N25 westbound will get underway over the next few weeks. Once underway these works will continue for a number of

months and details/updates will be provided as the works progress. See photograph below.



**Preparatory works for piling nearing completion.**

- The flashing amber arrangement for the new traffic lights at the Dunkettle Roundabout will remain in place for several days yet. Activation details will follow in future updates.



Dunkettle Roundabout traffic lights prior to activation

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# 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.*

- Piling works for the three installation locations between the Jack Lynch Tunnel and Bloomfield Interchange have now been completed.
- Base construction works will continue at all three locations for a number of weeks.
- Construction of the lay-by on the N40 westbound is also nearing completion - see photograph below.

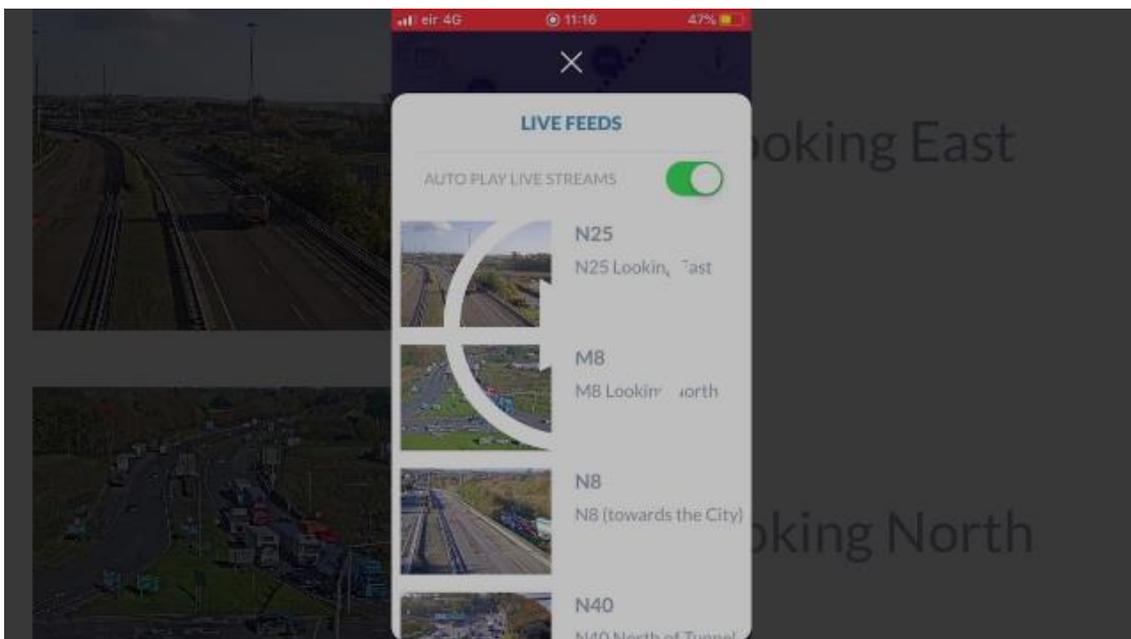


**Lay-by currently under construction just South of the Jack Lynch Tunnel westbound on the N40.**

- We do not anticipate any significant disruption to traffic as a result of our works on either the N40 or at Dunkettle Interchange over the coming week.

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# Dunkettle Live Traffic App



- Commuters are reminded that the traffic app **Dunkettle Live** is available free of charge from both the Apple App Store and from the Google Play Store.
- The Dunkettle Live app has now been downloaded by well over 10,000 users and feedback is extremely positive. With traffic volumes now almost back to pre Covid-19 levels (particularly during the pm peak) motorists are again encouraged to download the app in order to plan their journeys as efficiently as possible.



**Dunkettle Live App: Download from [Apple App store](#) or from [Google Play store](#)**

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

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