## Dunkettle Progress Update 19th February 2021

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## Dunkettle Interchange Upgrade Project

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

 Works are continuing on the southern side of the proposed new railway bridges near the existing M8. See photograph below.



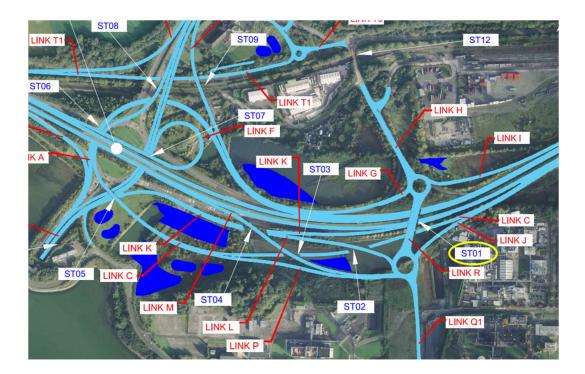
Piling works ongoing on the southern side of the railway line with the Midleton to Cork train passing nearby

- Piling works on the southern side of the railway track for the two new bridges should reach completion over the next couple of days with the focus in this area then moving to the northern side of the railway but remaining adjacent to the M8 southbound lanes. Work on the two structures here will continue for a number of months.
- Piling works are also continuing on the new eastern interchange N25 overbridge. See photograph below.

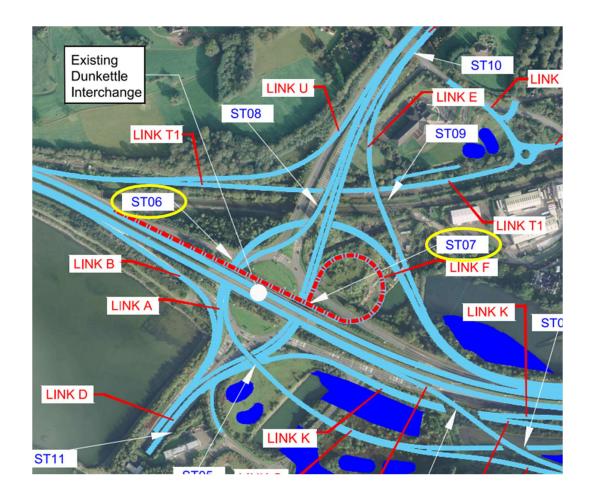


Piling works ongoing on what will be the northern abutment for the new N25 overbridge

 Construction of this N25 overbridge will continue into 2022 and the layout graphic below gives an indication of how this structure, ST01 fits into the overall new layout.



 Towards the end of next week we hope to begin platform construction works in the Dunkettle Interchange Roundabout centre island. These will be on the northern side of the existing N25 embankment and the works are required as part of the construction of a new slip lane highlighted in red in the graphic below.

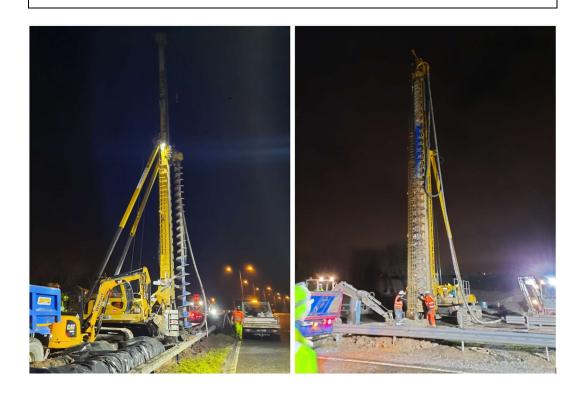


- This new link road F will be the route for traffic coming from the Tivoli direction and wishing to head south into the Jack Lynch Tunnel.
- Regular commuters will be aware that works have ramped up significantly over recent weeks and details of ongoing and upcoming works will continue to be provided via these weekly updates.

## N40 Intelligent Transport Systems

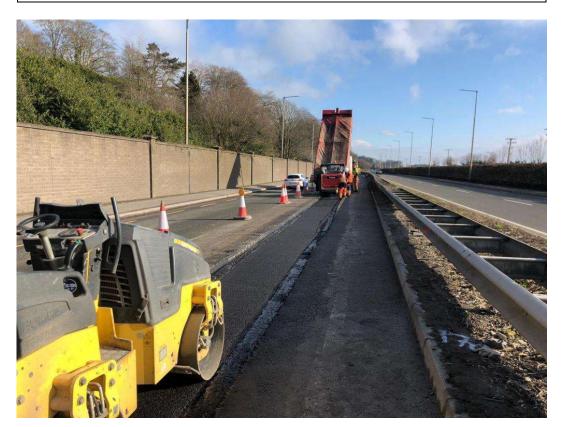
Installation of gantry mounted Variable Message Signs and other infrastructure to display traffic information such as journey times.

 We took advantage of this week's Tunnel closures to carry out piling works in the N40 median area at two ITS sites between Mahon Interchange and the Jack Lynch Tunnel. See photographs below.



Piling works ongoing in the N40 centre median at two sites between Mahon Interchange and the Tunnel

 Works on the N8 outbound at Tivoli are nearing substantial completion. See photograph below.



Completion of surfacing works ongoing on the N8 eastbound at Tivoli

 During week commencing Monday 1st March 2021 we hope to begin work on a new site on the N40 westbound between Mahon Interchange and Bloomfield Interchange. Details will follow in future updates but motorists are reminded that a reduced speed limit is already in operation at this location.

## **Contact Us**

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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