

# Dunkettle Progress Update

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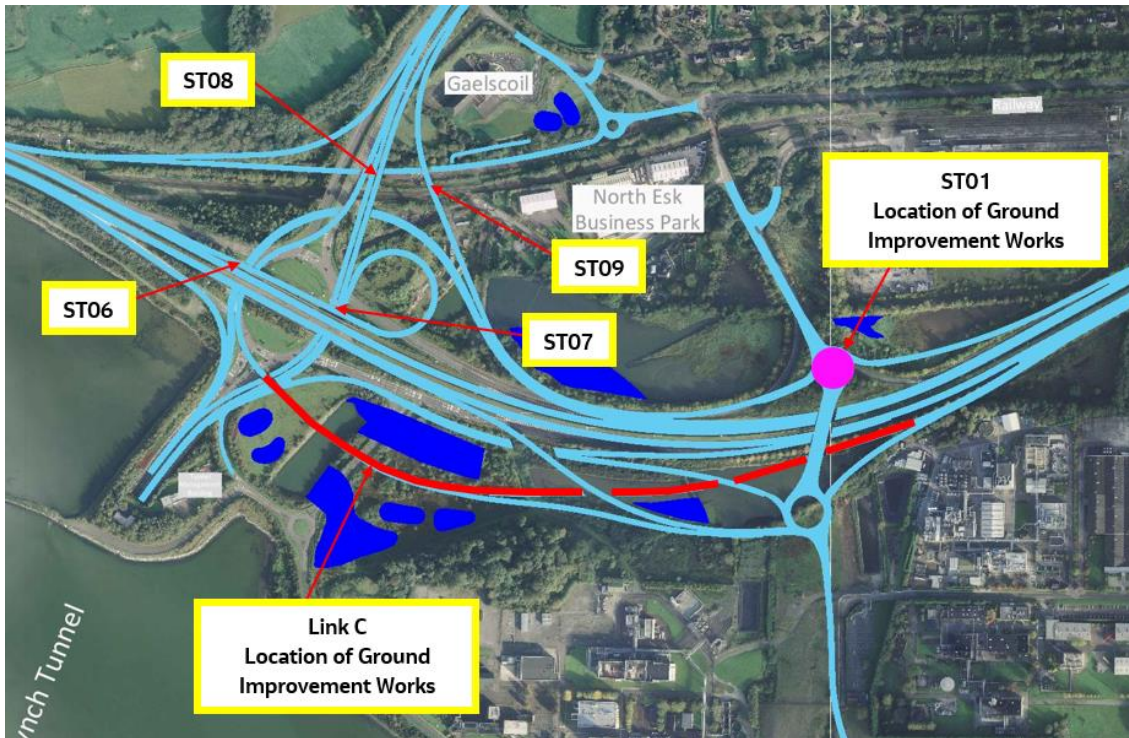
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## Dunkettle Interchange Upgrade Project

- Works are continuing on structures ST01, ST06, ST07, ST08, ST09, ST10, ST11, ST14 along with Retaining Wall RW05. Ground improvement and earthworks filling for the Link roads both north and south of the N25 are also ongoing.



Locations of ongoing works on site.

- The weather conditions have not facilitated the completion of the waterproofing works which had been intended to be completed over the last number of weekends. The proposed approach moving forward is currently under review and an update will be provided in future updates.
- Traffic on the N25 eastbound coming from the Dunkettle Roundabout will be diverted through the Dunkettle Interchange Roundabout tomorrow Saturday in order to facilitate pavement reinstatement works at Structure ST01.



**Ground improvement works being completed north of ST01 under the footprint of the proposed new roundabout.**

- Works will continue next week at the Dunkettle Interchange Roundabout for ST06 & ST07 for the excavation for the pile cap works within the centre of the roundabout. It will be necessary to close lanes at off peak times on the roundabout and also on the approaches in order to gain safe access to the works.
- The relocation of the traffic light controller for the Dunkettle Interchange Roundabout will be completed on Wednesday night with all approaches to the roundabout reduced to single lane

running. The works will be completed from 22:00 to 05:00.

- The works for Structures ST08 & ST09 are continuing alongside the M8 southbound with the final bridge deck span due to be poured in the coming weeks – see photograph below.



**Works being completed at ST08 and ST09 alongside the M8.**

- Ground Improvement and earthworks filling are ongoing on site both north and south of the N25 – see photograph below.



**Ground improvement works being completed east of the Dunkettle Interchange Roundabout under Link C.**

- A reminder that the temporary reduced speed limit of 60 km/hr for the Dunkettle site area is in place and motorists are requested to abide by the speed limit in the interests of the safety of the personnel working on site and road users themselves also.

**Please see hereunder link to recent drone footage showing the progress from December 2020 to August 2021 of all works on the Dunkettle Interchange Upgrade Scheme:**



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# N40 Intelligent Transport Systems

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

Works will continue next week on the ITS sites as follows:

- Offsite design and assembly of new Overheight Vehicle Detection hardware is ongoing, ahead of the scheduled installation from

November onwards.

- Completion of ESB power supplies to the remaining sites is nearing completion with no upcoming works requiring traffic restrictions.
- Installation of electronic Variable Message Signs and Lane Control Signs on the recently installed gantries on the M8 and the N25 are scheduled over a series of night time closures over two weeks commencing from September 13th. Further details will be provided in next weeks newsletter.



Recently commissioned variable message sign in operation on the N8 eastbound.

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# Dunkettle Live Traffic App

- Traffic levels have increased following the recent lifting of some of the Covid 19 restrictions with traffic currently running at approximately 90% of pre-Covid levels.



Click on the icon above to see the benefits of the Dunkettle Live App.





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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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Further information on the Dunkettle Scheme can be accessed [www.dunkettle.ie](http://www.dunkettle.ie).

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