NATIONAL HIGHWAYS UPDATE 16/08/22

OAD STREET CLOSURE - SEPTEMBER 2022

We'll also be closing Oad Street, between the A249 and Woodgate Lane, again from **Monday 5 September until Monday 10 October**, to finish our widening work started in the earlier this year.

We've reviewed how we complete the remainder of our work and have reduced this closure to five weeks, minimising the impact to drivers and the community.

Drivers travelling on the A249 northbound from Maidstone will need to cross the Stockbury roundabout, continue north on the A249, use Key Street roundabout, take the exit for the A2, and use Borden Lane to access Oad Street.

To access the A249 southbound from Oad Street or Pett Lane will need to use the same route in reverse. There will be no through access to the A249 from Oad Street or Pett Lane.

Diversion route.

The businesses on Oad Street, such as the café and the butchers, will remain open as usual, and can be accessed via the diversions above.

If you're joining the A249 to go south (towards Maidstone) from the A2, please join at the Key Street roundabout.

Diversion route.

For businesses and residents within the closure itself who need direct access off Oad Street, please make your way to the closure point where access will be provided.

For safety, we're unable to allow anyone through our working area during the closures, this is for access only. The emergency services will be able to access from the Key Street side but there will be no through route to the A249.