

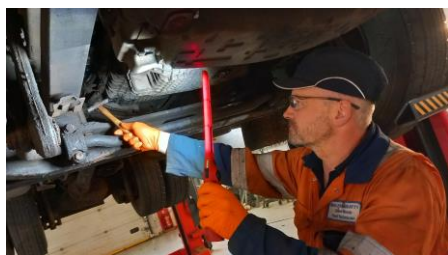
Public Realm Round-Up

September 2023

What's coming up?

We will be completing the final remedial works on St Owen Street from Monday 9th October. The road will be closed for five nights, between 7pm and 6am each night. The works are being carried out at no additional cost to the Council.

Winter is fast-approaching and our teams are preparing for the cold weather ahead. Our mechanics are currently servicing our fleet of winter maintenance vehicles.



Our gritters will be out across the network in October carrying out 'dry runs'. The gritters don't spread any salt during these runs but they are a good way to test all the equipment and systems in place, whilst also helping the drivers familiarise themselves with priority routes.

For updates on roadworks, you can also follow us on Facebook at **Herefordshire Highways** or on X (Twitter) @HfdsStreets.

What's been happening?

In September, we completed a number of footway and road resurfacing schemes in Ross-on-Wye as part of the Extraordinary Market Town Fund.

BBLP were kindly invited to a celebration on the Ledbury Town Trail for the newly installed information board. The project was funded by the Severn Trent Community Fund and the board was



installed by volunteers from BBLP. A huge thank you to Sustainable Ledbury and Ledbury Town Council for their very kind hospitality on the day.

We have been carrying out bridge arch strengthening works at Eye Lane, Luston and at Bartestree Bridge. Works on Wyatt Road, Cross Keys and Kings Road, Orleton will commence in October. All schemes will continue into the autumn.

Repair works have commenced on the A438 at Lugwardine Bridge, a Grade II listed structure which crosses over the River Lugg Site of Special Scientific Interest. Permissions to carry out works at the site were granted by the relevant authorities at the start of September and the works started the following week. At this stage, the works are due to be completed on 11th October, following which the temporary traffic signals at the bridge will be removed.

Contact Us



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For any urgent issues, call 01432 261800 (24/7)

Fast Facts



Stats
from 1st -
29th Sept.

1525 potholes repaired

67 fly tips removed

31 out of hours call outs

125 urgent jobs raised

11 bollards repaired

Social Media



Our most liked post in September was about our out of hours supervisor James rescuing some baby pigeons from harm after they had fallen from a tree! The birds were safely transported to a local vets.