

## Colchester Rapid Transit System (RTS) Clingoe Hill

### Update of essential works in your area.

Dear Resident/Business Owner,

We are writing to update you on the start of the Clingoe Hill Rapid Transit System works.

The first stage will see construction of a new carriageway section along the southern verge. To complete this work the eastbound entrance and exit to Boundary Road will need to be closed and a contraflow system installed.

This will involve redirecting one westbound lane into the eastbound side of the carriageway and allowing the existing eastbound slip to gradually move traffic over, so maintaining two lanes for traffic heading into the city and creating a safe working zone adjacent to the southern verge for carriageway widening.

The traffic crossover point is at the junction of the A133 and Boundary Road, necessitating the closure of both the entrance and exit. Westbound access and eastbound egress to/from Boundary Road will remain unaffected, with a short diversion route provided.

This means that during the works, it will not be possible to turn right into/out of Boundary Road. A short diversion will be required in each direction for those needing to make that movement. Left turns exiting Boundary Road will be maintained.

The main contraflow system is due to be installed week commencing **2<sup>nd</sup> September**. This is subject to approval and please visit the website below for latest updates.

To install the required barriers, it is intended to close the eastbound carriageway overnight **9pm-5am** on the **2<sup>nd</sup> September** and the westbound carriageway overnight **9pm-5am** on the **3<sup>rd</sup> September**.

The contraflow is due to be removed by Spring 2025 (approximately 6 months) for this phase.

We understand construction works can sometimes be disruptive, and we want to assure you that we will do our best to minimise any inconvenience.

If you have any questions or would like more information about the upcoming work, please do not hesitate to contact us at [RTScustomerenquiries@milestoneinfra.co.uk](mailto:RTScustomerenquiries@milestoneinfra.co.uk).

To find out more about the Colchester Rapid Transit programme please visit [www.essexhighways.org/colchester-rapid-transit](http://www.essexhighways.org/colchester-rapid-transit) or email [rapidtransit@essexhighways.org](mailto:rapidtransit@essexhighways.org).



Thank you for your attention, and we appreciate your cooperation during these works.

Sincerely,  
The Milestone Team

