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**Major Highways Project  
Important information enclosed from Wokingham Borough Council**

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Dear Sir/Madam,

**Re: Wokingham Major Highways Programme – North Wokingham Distributor Road (NWDR)  
incorporating Winnersh Relief Road Phase 2**

**Temporary extension to working hours approved**

We would like to take this opportunity to notify you that a temporary extension of working hours has been granted, subject to conditions listed below, by the Local Planning Authority to enable us to carry out the necessary earthworks.

Due to the recent COVID-19 situation our pace of standard works had to be temporarily slowed down for safety reasons and in line with strict company and Government guidelines, as well as that from Public Health England.

As we now return to some normality, we are keen to make the most of the longer daylight hours, subject to good weather conditions, in our attempt to stay on track with our planned programme of works. This will help avoid any delays to the current phase of work.

- Hours extended to 6.30am – 7pm on weekdays and 8am – 1pm on Saturdays. No working on Sundays
- Normal site operations (including but not limited to piling, excavation, placing and compaction of fill) agreed between 8am and 6.30pm
- Initial three-month period (until 31<sup>st</sup> October 2020). Arrangement to be reviewed mid-October, if necessary
- Period between 7am and 8am limited to site access, briefings and induction, loading and unloading of deliveries, and refuelling of plant

Daily public safety, as ever, will remain a priority, as will the access to the Emergency Services. Additionally, access for local residents will remain open at all times.

Due to the nature of the works, noise levels may be higher than normal which we appreciate may be an inconvenience. We will obviously be doing everything practical to keep any intrusion to a minimum and mitigate the impact as far as possible.

We kindly ask you to bear with us while we carry out these necessary works and apologise in advance for any inconvenience this may cause. Should you have any queries or concerns please contact the Balfour Beatty helpdesk on 0800 121 4444.

Also, if you haven't already signed up to receive our regular e-newsletter then we strongly advise that you do so by sending an e-mail to [NWDR@balfourbeatty.com](mailto:NWDR@balfourbeatty.com). If you do not have access to the internet, let us know by e-mailing us or calling the Balfour Beatty helpdesk.



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For further details and regular updates about the North Wokingham Distributor Road scheme please visit Wokingham Borough Council's social media pages – [www.facebook.com/WokinghamRoadworks](https://www.facebook.com/WokinghamRoadworks) and [www.twitter.com/WBCTrafficAlert](https://www.twitter.com/WBCTrafficAlert) and [www.myjourneywokingham.com](https://www.myjourneywokingham.com) and [one.network](https://one.network) to help plan your journey.

To view the full list of latest Government advice and guidance relating to social distancing in the workplace can be downloaded via: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/guidance-to-employers-and-businesses-about-covid-19/guidance-for-employers-and-businesses-on-coronavirus-covid-19#good-practice-for-employers>

We thank you in advance for your continued cooperation.

Yours sincerely,

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