



For the attention of The Occupier

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Dear Resident

**Upton-upon-Severn Bridge Refurbishment Works
 Forthcoming Road Closure Dates**

Halcrow Group Ltd are working on behalf of Worcestershire County Council on the Upton-upon-Severn Bridge refurbishment. We are now approaching the final critical phase of these essential maintenance works. This phase of works will involve important concrete repairs to the bridge deck, waterproofing and resurfacing of the carriageway over the bridge. During these works, the opportunity will also be taken to re-paint areas of the main girders adjacent to the carriageway.

These works were originally planned for last autumn and were postponed until February 2012 to allow the road to be re-opened for the Upton-upon-Severn Victorian Fayre and the lead up to the Christmas period. The revised dates are as follows:

ADVANCE WORKS	MAIN WORKS – 24 hr working
Sunday 19-02-12 - Friday 24-02-12	Monday 27-02-12 - Monday 05-03-12
Off-peak traffic lights from 9.30am to 3.30pm	<p>Traffic lights during the day Monday 27 February - Friday 2 March (6.00am - 8.00pm)</p> <p>Bridge closed overnight Monday 27 February - Friday 2 March (8.00pm - 6.00am)</p> <p>Weekend closure bridge closed from 8.00pm Friday 2 March through until 06.00am Monday 5 March</p>
<p>Please note that the processes involved within these operations are weather dependant and so dates may be subject to change.</p>	

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Pedestrian access across the bridge will continue to be maintained at all times during the works.

We shall be making every effort to minimise the amount of disruption. However, in order to minimise the closure time, we shall be operating 24 hours and this will involve some heavy plant operating during the night. Every effort will be made to keep this to a minimum. We apologise for any disruption and inconvenience that may be caused as a result of these essential maintenance works, should you wish to discuss this matter further please contact the Worcestershire Hub on 0845 6072005 where your query will be actioned.

Yours faithfully



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