

Traffic signal renewal starts 4 January 2021: George Street, High Street, Saffron Walden



We are planning to renew the traffic signals equipment at the junction of George Street / High Street, Saffron Walden.

This is a busy town centre location and we have considered all traffic management options carefully to keep disruption to a minimum. Works are due to start on **Monday 4 January 2021** and expected to take approximately 7 weeks to complete. Working hours will be Monday to Friday between 7:30am to 4:30pm and Saturdays 8am to 1pm.

In order to carry out the works in a safe manner it will be necessary to have the following road closures in place:

Proposed dates	Area affected	Proposed traffic restrictions
Week commencing 4 January 2021	High Street	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Road closure for one week During working hours a section of High Street will be closed. The road will re-open after each shift
Week commencing 11 January 2021	Abbey Lane	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Road closure for five days During working hours a section of Abbey Lane will be closed. The road will re-open after each shift
Week commencing 11 January 2021	George Street	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Road closure Closure in place 24 hours a day for remainder of the works. One-way system on Gold Street will be reversed

No through traffic will be permitted during the works although pedestrian access will be maintained.

Advance warning notices will be in place prior to works commencing and appropriate diversion routes will be implemented.

Dates may be subject to change if affected by poor weather or if unexpected issues arise. The latest information will be reflected on site signage. For further information and updates please visit: www.essex.gov.uk/highwayschemes choosing the link for 'George Street / High Street, Saffron Walden – Traffic Signal Renewal'

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For general enquiries contact Essex County Council's customer service team by completing the online form: www.essex.gov.uk/enquiries or telephone 0345 603 7631 for urgent highway matters.

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