

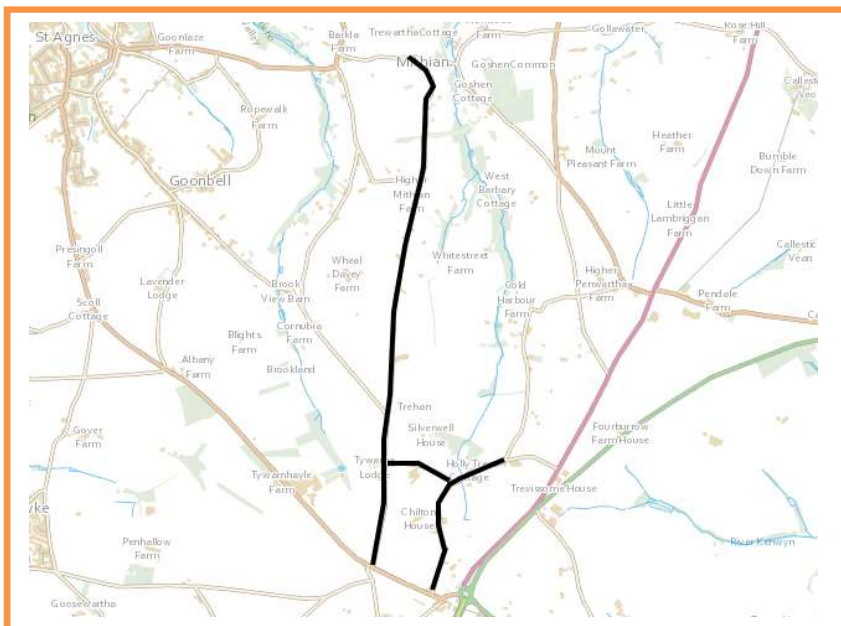
Highway maintenance scheme • December 2020

# Blackwater

## Resurfacing works

As part of our continued routine maintenance activities, road closures will be in place at Silverwell & Mithian Downs from Monday 7<sup>th</sup> to Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> December while resurfacing works take place.

We will have marshals on site to support residents and businesses needing local access during the road closure. All through traffic will need to follow the diversions in place at all times.



■ Work Area

### FAST FACTS



#### WHAT

Repairing the Carriageway Surface



#### WHERE

Silverwell & Mithian Downs, Blackwater



#### WHEN

Mon 7<sup>th</sup> – Wed 16<sup>th</sup> Dec

**To prevent delays, please do not park on, or obstruct the highway during the working hours**

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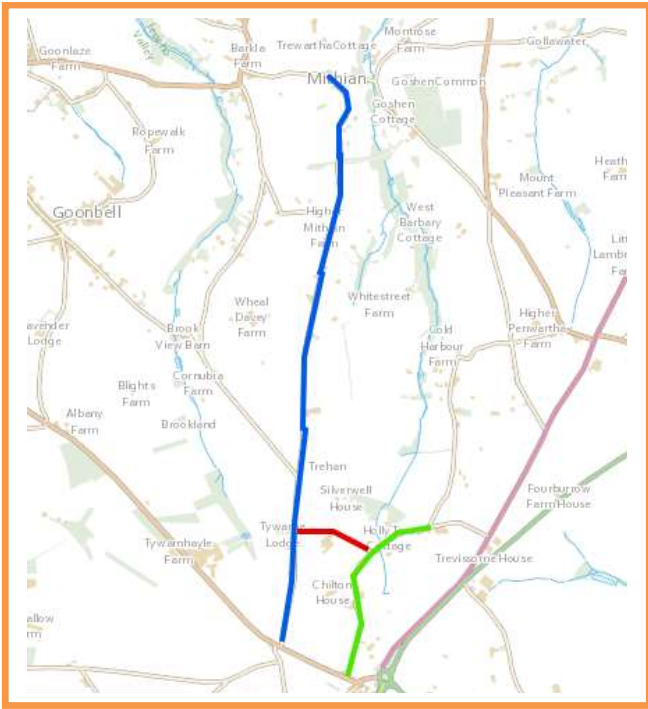


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# Phasing & Diversion route Working safely



**Phase 1:** Mon 7<sup>th</sup> – Mon 14<sup>th</sup> 07:30 – 17:00

**Phase 2:** Wed 9<sup>th</sup> & Thurs 10<sup>th</sup> 07:30 – 17:00

**Phase 3:** Tues 15<sup>th</sup> & Wed 16<sup>th</sup> 07:30 – 17:00

Signs will be placed at major junctions prior to the closure on the key routes to take through traffic away from the work area and keep traffic disruption to a minimum.

Diversion routes have to be suitable for the type of traffic that would normally use the route. We appreciate they can sometimes be quite lengthy, but in order to carry out the works safely to protect our operatives and road users we need to implement these measures.

## Access arrangements

Access to residents and businesses will be maintained through gateways managed by traffic marshals. Residents will need to stop at the gateways and will be given safety instructions such as speed limit restrictions prior to entering the closure. If our teams need access or have to move machinery out of the way there may be short delays while this is happening.

We will always do our best to accommodate day-to-day requirements of people affected by our works, and access will be maintained as much as possible for those people directly impacted by the closure.

Emergency access will be maintained at all times.

Please be aware of the following hazards while the resurfacing is taking place.

- Uneven road surface where the old surface has been removed
- Raised manholes, gullies, and other service boxes.
- Varying kerb heights when stepping off the footway.

All of our sites will be appropriately risk assessed and have strict safeguarding measures in line with current health and safety and Public Health England guidance to ensure the safety of residents and our staff.

Please be kind to the workforce and observe any signs or safety fencing that is in place. Our teams are working within the guidelines laid out by the government for construction works, and we are proud to be able to continue to keep on top of our commitments to improve road standards across the county.

## Notifications

Our work is weather dependant and may be delayed by cold temperatures or heavy rain.

During the ongoing situation with COVID-19 we will continue to carry out our programmed resurfacing works while we have the available resource and material to do so.

However, if the situation changes it may result in works being postponed or cancelled at short notice and will do our best to update the advance notice boards on our sites.

## Getting in touch

For enquiries in relation to this scheme, please email [surfacing@cormacltd.co.uk](mailto:surfacing@cormacltd.co.uk)

You can report an issue on a road, highway or footway on the Cornwall Council website:

<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/reportroad>

If there is an issue which is a threat to public safety, please telephone **0300 1234 222** (24 hour service) giving details of the location.

