

2<sup>nd</sup> February 2012

Cllr Graham Keene  
Blackwater Ward  
Blackwater & Hawley Town Council  
The Blackwater Centre, 12-14 London Road  
Blackwater, Camberley, Surrey  
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Dear Cllr Keene

## Water main installation Reading Road, Frogmore

Further to my recent letter dated 20<sup>th</sup> December 2011, I am writing to update you on our £640,000 scheme to construct a new water main 1.4km in length along Reading Road, Frogmore.

As you may be aware, construction of Phase Two of the scheme, between the junctions of Green Lane and Darby Green Road has now finished.

We had anticipated this scheme being fully completed by the end of January 2012, however, we have encountered a number of unforeseen problems while the new water main has undergone its testing which has meant we have been unable to complete the work as forecast.

As a result our contractors are continuing to work along Reading Road to resolve these problems.

Following discussions with the Highways Authority it has been agreed that the road closure will continue to remain in place. This will enable our contractors to resolve the issues as quickly as possible, in a safe environment

Although the hard closure at the A30 roundabout and Darby Green Road junctions with Reading Road had been removed, to ensure the health and safety of our contractors and the public it will be necessary to reinstall the barriers on an ad hoc basis.

Access to residential properties will be maintained at all times and any through traffic will be required to follow the official diversion route which will continue to be sign posted.

Once again, I would like to take this opportunity to apologise for the numerous delays this scheme has suffered and assure you that the workforce on site is working extremely hard to complete the scheme as soon as possible.

I will keep residents and stakeholders updated as the scheme progresses, however if you would like any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me using the details above.

Yours sincerely



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