

PROJECT BULLETIN 003 – 21st August 2026

SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD TO BISHOPS QUAY ACTIVE TRAVEL SCHEME

Location A – South Circular Road / Ballinacurra Junction

Works are continuing on the South Circular Road (SCR) at the Ballinacurra Junction.

All footpath, utility ducting and drainage works have been completed between Ballinacurra Junction and the entrance into Greenpark Close on South Circular Road.

Works have now commenced between Greenpark Close and Greenpark Avenue. The works crew have commenced with the removal of the concrete footpath. The construction of the new kerbing, footpaths, drainage and utility ducting will follow this activity. A stop/go system is in place on SCR whilst these works are being undertaken.

As per the updates from the previous weeks, traffic can exit the SCR onto the Ballinacurra Road but there is no provision for vehicular entry to the SCR from the Ballinacurra road. Emergency vehicles can access the SCR via Lifford Gardens.

The works will continue to progress along the South Circular Road in the direction of Fennessy's Pub over the coming months. As the works progress, on-street parking will be temporarily removed where necessary to facilitate the safe and efficient completion of the works.



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Location B - South Circular Road / Fennessy's Pub

Works are also continuing on the South Circular Road adjacent to Fennessy's Pub, at the roundabout, in front of Ashbourne Villas.

The new footpath outside these properties will be completed by Friday 21st August and the parking bays will then be made available for use following this.

Works will then commence at Fennessy's roundabout on Monday 24th August to install ducting for the proposed traffic signals at this junction. New ducting will be installed across each of the 4 no. junctions at this roundabout.

In order to safely execute these works, a stop go system will be in place. It is expected that these works will take approx 1 week.

Sorensen will endeavour to keep traffic flowing as much as possible during the works, bearing in mind that the new school season is commencing.

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Upcoming Works Location - Henry Street

Works are planned to commence on Henry Street between the junctions with Gerard Street and O'Curry Street in the coming weeks.

The current proposed commencement date is **31 August 2026**. We will liaise with local residents and businesses closer to the time to confirm the commencement date and provide any further relevant information.

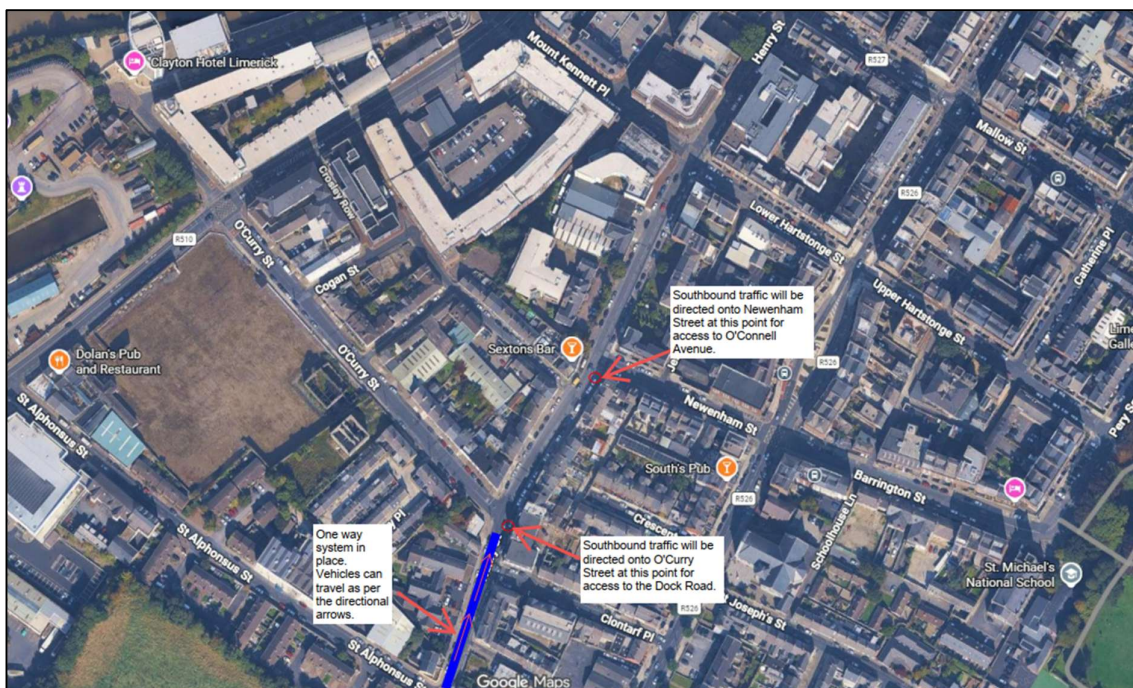
The proposed works in this area will include:

- Installation of new drainage infrastructure.
- Installation of new utility ducting.
- Construction of new kerbing; and
- Construction of new footpaths.

In order to facilitate the safe completion of these works, a one-way traffic management system will be implemented.

Under the proposed arrangement, vehicles will be permitted to travel northbound along Henry Street. Vehicles travelling southbound will not be permitted to continue beyond O'Curry Street and will instead be directed via either O'Curry Street or Newenham Street.

Please refer to the below markup for details:



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During the completion of these works, access will be maintained to all residential properties and businesses in the area.

We appreciate that the ongoing and upcoming works may cause some temporary disruption to residents, businesses, road users and the wider local community. Every effort will be made to minimise disruption and maintain access wherever possible throughout the works.

We respectfully request your patience and cooperation over the coming months as we work to deliver these improvements.

Upon completion, the upgrade will provide a significantly safer and improved section of road infrastructure, benefiting pedestrians, cyclists, motorists, local businesses and nearby residents.

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