

BRANDESTON PARISH COUNCIL

Sewage Improvement Works – Brandeston to Framlingham

Brandeston Parish Council has finally received details these much needed improvement works to be undertaken by Anglian Water.

The aim of the scheme is to remove unwanted storm sewage spills (to the environment) at Brandeston Pumping Station (PS) and Cretingham PS by increasing flow capacity at these pumping stations and within the local sewer network. An additional driver is to reduce reported flooding in Low Street, upstream of Brandeston PS.

A brief summary of the works is as follows :-

1. Storage tank works adjacent to the existing Brandeston PS close to the Brandeston- Kettleburgh boundary (8 weeks commencing December 2014)
2. Framlingham WRC connections and sewers (2 weeks commencing January 2015)
3. Upsizing of foul sewer adjacent to Brandeston PS (2 weeks commencing February 2015)
4. New rising main from Brandeston PS to Framlingham via Kettleburgh (along the roadway, 8 weeks commencing February 2015)
5. Conversion works at Cretingham PS (4 weeks commencing February 2015)
6. Works at Brandeston PS (2 weeks, March 2015)

There will be a number of road closures whilst the works are carried out – specifically a diversion along Friday Street, Brandeston towards Kettleburgh and a diversion to Framlingham via Saxstead. Timings of these diversions have not yet been confirmed.

Brandeston Parish Council has strongly protested to Anglian Water that the diversion via Friday Street (being a single track road) is completely inappropriate and will lead to substantial difficulties for residents along the Street and for those diverted.

Anglian Water have agreed to reconsider this intention

Detailed drawings of the intended works are available by email from the Brandeston Parish Clerk (mark@fairfields.plus.com)

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