

# M67 St Anne's Road Bridge replacement



St Anne's Road bridge



Visualisation of proposed new St Anne's Road bridge

## Introduction

You may be aware of our plans to replace St Anne's Road bridge, which goes over the M67 motorway. The existing bridge requires extensive structural repairs due to its age and its outdated style of construction. Not taking action to repair the bridge risks the safety of road users in the future.

We have explored many potential options for repairing the bridge, while considering the inevitable disruption to the local community and road users. To make all the necessary repairs would require significant road closures on the M67.

We believe the best solution is to replace the bridge completely. This is quicker, safer and more practical than repairing it. Replacing the bridge will mean short-term disruption to residents but it will bring long-term benefits to the area and ensure the safety of road users for decades to come.

## Benefits

Replacing the existing M67 St Anne's Road bridge is not just the quickest, safest and most practical option available to us. It will also have the following benefits:

- Extending lifespan – the new bridge will last longer and reduce the need for maintenance and repairs over the decades to come.
- Removing restrictions – the new bridge will meet all required standards for carrying heavy vehicles and remove the need for the current load restrictions.
- Keeping our utilities on – our scheme will allow local utility providers to renew their vital pipelines that run across the bridge.
- Recycling the bridge's existing foundations – we will reduce the time and costs of this project by keeping as much of the existing structure as possible.
- New safety barriers – 1.8m-high fencing will help to improve safety and accessibility for cyclists and pedestrians using St Anne's Road bridge.

## Sustainability

In keeping with our net zero highways plan, the scheme is designed to make our road network as sustainable as possible. For example, we'll re-use the bridge's existing foundation and most of its braces, which will not only reduce our carbon footprint but will also mean savings on construction cost and time.

You can find out more about our net zero highways strategy at [www.nationalhighways.co.uk/our-work/environment/net-zero-highways/](http://www.nationalhighways.co.uk/our-work/environment/net-zero-highways/)

## How to find out more

If you'd like further information about the project, please visit our webpage at:  
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