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Resident / Neighbour to the Zouch Bridge Replacement Scheme

Dear Resident / Neighbour to Zouch Bridge,

Pedestrian, cyclist and equestrian access – update

The pedestrian, cyclist and equestrian route across the bridge and bridleway No.5 will not open as previously indicated, as works in the area are still ongoing and the conditions required to ensure safe access are not yet in place.

Safety remains our top priority. Opening the route at this stage would introduce avoidable risks for those travelling through the site, and we are taking a precautionary approach to ensure the footpath is fully safe and ready to use.

We recognise this may be frustrating, and we appreciate the community's continued patience. Work is progressing, and we are working closely across all parties involved to complete the remaining elements ahead of the full bridge opening in summer.

The routes will be opened as soon as it is safe to do so. A further update will be shared once a confirmed date is available. We would ask that the community continue to follow the safety restrictions in place at the site.

If you have any queries about the Zouch bridge replacement scheme, please contact the writer at:

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Best wishes,

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