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Zouch bridge replacement project – June update

Dear Neighbour to Zouch Bridge,

Pedestrian / wheeled / equestrian access

We plan to open pedestrian, wheeled and equestrian access across the new Zouch Bridge by Saturday 27 June. This is still subject to final works taking place so that it can be done safely.

Demolition of the old bridge will begin next week. For everyone's safety, it is important that you keep to the designated route.



New bridge opening date

We are pleased to advise that the new Zouch Bridge is almost ready to re-open to traffic, with works progressing well and ahead of schedule.

The bridge is expected to be open by Monday 6 July 2026. At first, it will be for local traffic and the bus service only, giving access for residents in and around Zouch.

The full A6006 route between the A6 in Leicestershire and A60 in Nottinghamshire will not re-open until the Network Rail work at Kirk Hill Bridge is complete. Network Rail are still on schedule to re-open that bridge in late July as originally planned.

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Until then, through traffic and HGVs should continue to use the signed diversion routes.

During demolition of the old bridge there will be a live construction site next to the new bridge. Access across the new bridge will still be maintained, but please take extra care when travelling through the area.

Contact Us

Your patience and cooperation are greatly appreciated as we work to improve our local transport links.

If you have any specific concerns regarding access, deliveries, or the work in general, please do not hesitate to contact our site email address:

ZouchBridgeEnquiries@ericwright.co.uk or call 01772 229553 and leave a message.

Thank you for your continued patience and support during the project.

Best wishes,

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