

**KIRKINTILLOCH LINK ROAD  
CONSTRUCTION PHASE  
RESIDENTS NEWSLETTER No. 20  
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Dear Resident

**EXTENDED WORKING HOURS ON THE SECTION OF THE KLR SOUTH OF  
LINDSAYBEG ROAD**

The exceptionally wet weather during July and August of this year has hindered the Link Road Contractor in the delivery of the earth-moving element of the construction programme. The original programme envisaged substantial completion of the earth-moving by the end of October 2009. If this target is not achieved it will have significant knock-on implications for the remainder of the work, the cost of the project and the time it takes to complete.

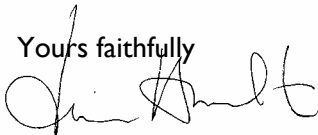
In an attempt to catch up with the original earth-moving programme the Contractor has successfully applied to both East Dunbartonshire Council and North Lanarkshire Council for permission to extend his working hours between today and the end of October. This permission applies only to the section of the works which lies south of Lindsaybeg Road. The extended working hours allow the Contractor to work throughout the day on Saturdays and Sundays.

In practice the main area where extended working will take place is in and around the Millersneuk Wetlands. Whilst it is allowable for the Contractor to work extended hours in the area adjacent to the Blacklands Place Bridge his programme envisages this material moving north of Lindsaybeg Road which is an area where extended working hours are not permitted. It is unlikely therefore that significant activity will take place during the extended working hours in the area around the Blacklands Place Bridge.

I hope you will understand why the Contractor has applied for this change in his working pattern and why it has been granted. Every effort will be made to minimise the impact of these works.

If you have any questions about the content of this newsletter or require more information please contact me on 0141 578 8050 or at [duncan.hamilton@eastdunbarton.gov.uk](mailto:duncan.hamilton@eastdunbarton.gov.uk). You can also contact Sandra Adams on 0141 578 8272 and at [sandra.adams@eastdunbarton.gov.uk](mailto:sandra.adams@eastdunbarton.gov.uk)

Yours faithfully



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