

Our work in Witham St Hughs

Improving the water mains in Witham St Hughs.

We are planning a project to install 2.4km of new water pipes in Witham St Hughs.

We plan to begin this work on **11 January 2021** and expect the scheme to be complete by the end of **June 2021**.

Why is this work so important?

This scheme will enable us to supply water to residents of new developments planned adjacent to A46, while maintaining water pressures to our existing customers in the area. If we did not undertake this work, thousands of customers could suffer low water pressure and possible interruptions to supply in the future.

Things you need to know:

In determining the route, we consider several criteria, including the potential impact on local communities, impacts on the environment such as on protected and sensitive wildlife sites, and technical factors, including the complexity and cost of the construction. In this instance, the majority of the pipe needs to be installed in the highways.

Our work will begin on Eagle Road installing the new water pipe and making a connection into the existing network.

Once complete will continue along Eagle Road towards Halfway House Lane before reaching the A46.

We will be using a directional drilling technique to install the pipe underneath the A46. Continuing along Camp Road before reaching our final connection point. Please see the attached pipeline route map.

To keep our employees and the public safe, the following Traffic Management will be in place:

Where	Start	End
Eagle Road - Road Closure	18 January 2021	09 February 2021
Moor Lane - Road Closure	22 February 2021	05 March 2021
Green Lane - Road Closure	01 March 2021	07 March 2021
Halfway House Lane - Road Closure	01 March 2021	02 April 2021
Camp Road - Multi-way Traffic Lights	01 February 2021	16 April 2021

We will be working progressively within our road closures, with approximately 200m of road blocked at any one time. Therefore, you will always have access to your property or business from one end of the closure or the other.

To reduce the overall impact to the local community we will have two site teams working at the same time installing our new pipe within the Road Closures and on Camp Road to minimise our time on site and disruption to the community.

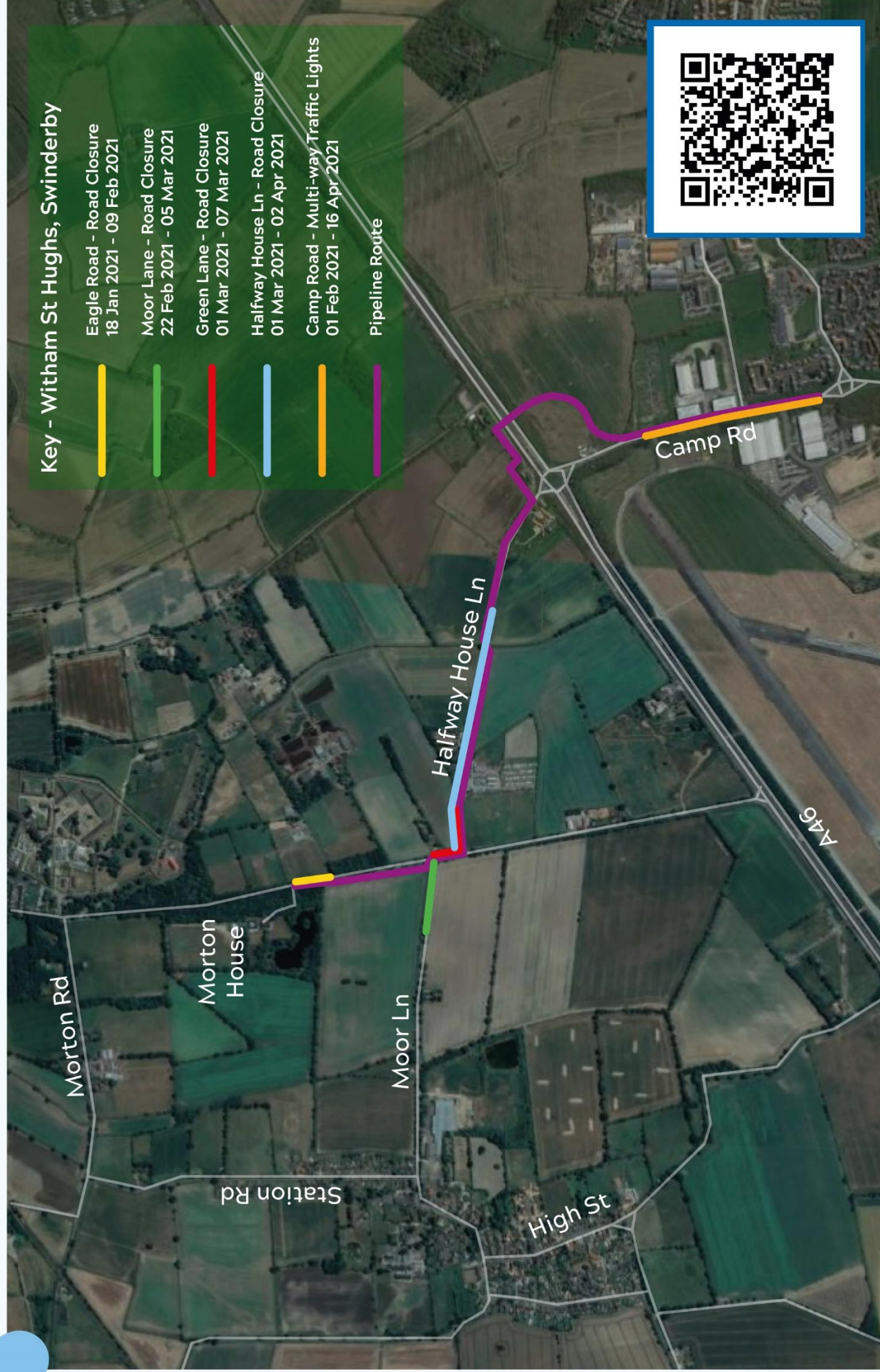
What to know more?

To view weekly updates and progress please scan the QR code provided on the map to visit our website anglianwater.co.uk/witham-st-hughs

Coronavirus:

Our teams are following the latest Government advice regarding social distancing. As key workers, we are continuing to work hard providing one of life's essential services - keeping taps flowing, toilets flushing, and drains draining.

If you're self-isolating, our teams will take the necessary precautions if we do need to visit you. Our priority is always to keep both you and our colleagues safe.



To find out more visit our website www.anglianwater.co.uk/witham-st-hughs