

**St Martin's Hill Road Closure 3<sup>rd</sup> May – 27<sup>th</sup> May**

Please see questions asked and answers received for your information:

**1. Could you start works earlier**

No, the procurement process and lead in time for materials means this is about the earliest we could start, we programmed for after the Bank holiday weekend to try and minimise disruption.

**2. Cut all trees when the road is closed**

We intend to carry out works to the trees whilst the road is closed

**3. Lights on Barbican Hill again to help workers moving to and from Barbican and Plaidy areas**

We are looking at trying to minimise the works programme, so anticipate that lights, as were used when the previous works will be used again

**4. Can work be done 8pm till midnight and open days**

Working shorter shifts, and demobilising to re-open each day will elongate the programme, and disruption. There would also be the added inconvenience of work lighting, and noise at night.

**5. Can there be access for busy times school runs home from work**

Again, to demobilise, and remove all the machinery and signage to allow access would elongate the programme and overall inconvenience.

**6. Works are to close to bank holidays**

We are working between the bank holidays to minimise disruption.

**7. Can you remove the trees now and do the rock anchoring later in the year**

This would mean twice the disruption. The works on St Martin's have been prioritised to assist with traffic flow at the junction in time for the busy summer period.

**8. Pedestrian access for residents of the hill at all times ?**

We will endeavour to provide escorted access where possible, however, pedestrians may be asked to wait for a short while for their own safety, if works dictate.

**9. Seven day working and 12 hour please**

Where possible we will be maximising the use of daylight hours

We will erect pedestrian signs in the road, temporary information signs on Sandplace Road.