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Stakeholders update

Polperro Road and North Road, West Looe

We are pleased to share the latest developments on the Polperro Road project.

Current progress

All anchorages in the soil slip area and beneath the property (through the retaining wall) have been drilled, with the majority now grouted. This week, we will complete anchor production testing to ensure the strength of these installations.

We have also successfully installed both erosion control and stabilisation mesh on the soil failure section, marking the completion of this aspect of our work.

To further enhance safety, we are reinforcing a loose section of the buttress wall below the property by installing additional flexible mesh.

Additionally, we are pleased to report that the vertical piles were installed last week. The team is currently excavating in preparation for the pile cap shuttering, which is an essential step for the next phase of the project.

Traffic management

Given the progress of the project and in light of the upcoming Lantern Parade, Christmas light switch-on, and all other festive celebrations in Looe, we are pleased to announce we will be making arrangements to lift the road closure and undertake the remainder of the works under traffic lights. This will improve traffic flow and access to and from the town while we continue to work on the project.

We will install traffic lights on Friday afternoon (29 November), and they will remain in place until the project is fully completed. The reduced workspace will place practical restrictions on some working activities, and the project timeline will therefore need to be extended for a short period. Considering the upcoming Christmas shutdown, the traffic lights are expected to remain operational until mid-January.

Thank you for your cooperation and support.
