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Dear Business / Resident,

### **'REDISCOVER MITCHAM' TOWN CENTRE IMPROVEMENTS CONSTRUCTION PHASES 2 - 5**

#### **Proposed Works**

The Council will be continuing with the highway improvement works in central Mitcham, by introducing a new road through the Fair Green with further alterations to the surrounding roads and main junctions.

The project at the heart of Mitcham, aims to improve bus accessibility to the town centre whilst making pedestrian and cyclist movements around the area easier and accessible. This will contribute to a revival of the shops and market, making the town a more attractive, pleasant, safe and convenient place.

#### **Date and Time of Works**

Works will be carried out in phases commencing on the 25 July 2016, weather permitting. See the construction phases plan overleaf.

*Phase 2 – New bus street, London Rd – Start 25 Jul 16; end 30 Apr 17*

*Phase 3 - London Rd / Raleigh Gdns – Start 25 Jul 16; end 28 Feb 17*

*Phase 4 - Holborn Way / London Rd - Start 2 Jan 17; end 30 Sep 17*

*Phase 5 - Raleigh Gdns / Western Rd – Start 1 Aug 17; end 31 Jan 18*

The majority of work will generally be carried out from Mondays to Fridays, between the hours 8am and 5pm.

#### **Traffic Management and Access Arrangements**

During the working hours, access to properties and shops will be maintained at all times. However, in order that the works are carried out as quickly and efficiently as possible, temporary lane/road closures with traffic diversions and parking restrictions/suspensions may be introduced where necessary. "No Parking" cones and signs will also be in place to indicate the areas where and when parking is prohibited. It must be noted that whilst the restrictions are in place, illegally parked vehicles will be removed.

#### **Further Information and Contact Details for the Works**

The people looking after these works are:

James Geeson	Merton Council Engineer:	020 8545 3054
Jonathan Delany	FM Conway Ltd, Civils:	07795 564 301 / 020 8636 8822

FM Conway will erect information boards on site and their staff will be able to update you on the progress as the works proceed. Please do not hesitate to ask the staff on site should you require any assistance. Merton Council and F M Conway Ltd apologise in advance for any inconvenience caused.

