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Dear Sir/Madam,

**Have your say: A428 Black Cat to Caxton Gibbet Improvements**

I am writing to update you about the A428 Black Cat to Caxton Gibbet scheme consultation.

In line with the Government's Road Investment Strategy 2015, Highways England has developed proposals to improve the Black Cat roundabout and a new route of the A428 to Caxton Gibbet. It is part of a £15.2 billion investment in England's motorways and major A roads. In the East, over £2 billion is being invested to create better and safer journeys across the region.

We are continuing to assess the effectiveness and affordability of various options and are keen to hear your views before a decision is made on the preferred route. We would like to invite you to take part in our public consultation which will run from **Monday 6th March 2017 to Sunday 23 April 2017**.

All responses to the public consultation will be recorded in a consultation report and will be considered as part of the options selection process. The closing date for responses to the consultation is **11.59pm on Sunday 23 April 2017**. There are a number of ways you can get involved:

- 1. Online** - From Monday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2017, you can find all the information on the consultation and a link to the online questionnaire at:  
<http://roads.highways.gov.uk/projects/a428-black-cat-to-caxton-gibbet>
- 2. Visit a public exhibition** - Our public exhibitions start on Tuesday 21 March 2017 and will provide local communities with an opportunity to see our scheme proposals in full and find out more about the benefits of the scheme. Members of our project team will be available and we will also have paper copies of the consultation brochure and questionnaire for local residents to pick up.

Location	Date	Time	Address
Wyboston Lakes	Tuesday 21 March	2pm - 8pm	Oakley Suite, Training Centre, Wyboston Lakes, Great North Road, Wyboston, Bedfordshire MK44 3AL
Cambourne Hub	Thursday 23 March	2pm - 8pm	Cambourne Community Centre, High Street, Cambourne, Cambridgeshire, CB23 6GW
Abbotsley Village Hall	Saturday 25 March	10am - 4pm	High Street, Abbotsley, Cambridgeshire, PE19 6UJ
St Neots Priory Centre	Monday 27 March	2pm - 8pm	Priory Lane, St Neots, Cambridgeshire, PE19 2BH
Stuart Memorial Hall	Friday 31 March	2pm - 8pm	Church Street, Tempsford, Sandy, Bedfordshire, SG19 2AN
Newton Primary School	Saturday 1 April	10am - 4pm	Caxton End, Eltisley, St Neots, Cambridgeshire, PE19 6TL

3. **Brochure deposit sites** - The consultation brochure will also be available to view at the community locations below from Monday 6 March 2017, which will be open during their normal working hours:

Location	Address
Bedford Borough Council	Borough Hall, Cauldwell Street, Bedford MK42 9AP
Papworth Library	Lower Pendrill Court, Ermine St North, Papworth Everard, Cambridge CB23 3UY
Cambourne Library	Cambourne Library, Sackville House, Sackville Way, Cambourne, CB23 6HL
South Cambridgeshire District Council	South Cambridgeshire Hall, Cambourne Business Park, Cambourne, Cambridge CB23 6EA
Central Bedfordshire Council	Priory House, Monks Walk, Chicksands, Shefford, Bedfordshire, SG17 5TQ
Huntingdonshire District Council	Pathfinder House, St Marys Street, Huntingdon PE29 3TN
St Neots Town Council	Customer Service Centre, The Priory Centre, St Neots, PE19 2BH

Finally, if you have any queries regarding this work, please contact the project team directly by email: [a428blackcattocaxtongibbet@highwaysengland.co.uk](mailto:a428blackcattocaxtongibbet@highwaysengland.co.uk)

Yours faithfully,



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