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Pakenham

Revitalisation Project

How we're reimagining Pakenham

Our fresh look at the future of Pakenham considered feedback from the community and traders. It features a renewed focus on financial sustainability, reduced disruptions and broader planning to support the town centre's long-term growth:

- Minimising disruption for traffic, pedestrians and traders.
- Ensuring financial sustainability through careful planning and budgeting.
- Taking a broader view of Pakenham's future to support population growth and connectivity.

While some disruptions will be necessary to reimagine Pakenham, Council is working hard to ensure projects are sequenced and planned to minimise impacts and disruptions during construction.

Stage 1: Main Street Gateway

We're excited to reveal our designs for the first stage of Pakenham town centre's transformation and revitalised surrounds.

Stage 1 works are being planned around the Main Street Gateway precinct which will include upgrades between Drake Place and the Henty Street roundabout. It will offer a glimpse into refreshed design elements including:

- staged construction to minimise disruption to traffic and trade
- wider footpaths and improved pedestrian accessibility
- updated parking for safety and compliance
- high-quality street furniture, bins and seating
- improved street dining opportunities and public gathering areas

- enhanced lighting and flexible event spaces
- improved landscaping integrating with Level Crossing Removal Project (LXRP) works.

A contractor for the Stage 1 tender is expected to be appointed by September 2025, with construction works for Main Street Gateway expected to start from October 2025.

Council has considered the peak trading periods in the delivery of the Stage 1 works and is endeavouring to minimise works and limit construction over the December festive period to support local businesses.

Works will then recommence in the new year and are expected to be completed by April 2026 conditions permitting.



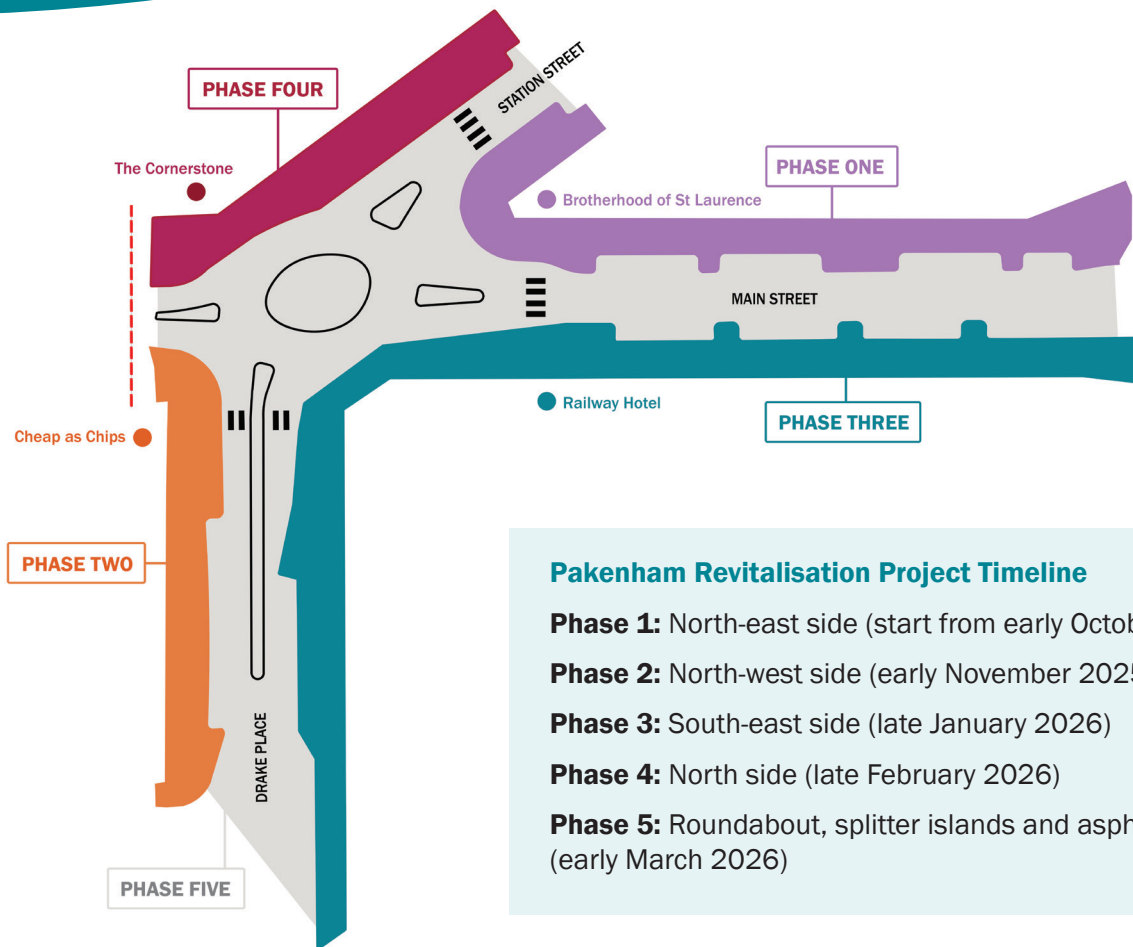
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Thanks for your patience

We greatly appreciate your ongoing patience and understanding as we get ready to start works and deliver the first stage of the Pakenham Revitalisation Project.

We acknowledge the temporary disruptions these works may cause at times. This transformative project is designed to create a safer, more vibrant, and accessible activity centre in Pakenham bringing long-term benefits for you and your customers, residents and visitors.

To minimise any impacts, we are carefully staging works across key areas of Pakenham and coordinating them closely with other major initiatives including the Pakenham Community Hospital, Youth Hub and the Pakenham Roads Upgrade.

You have our assurance and commitment to being kept updated and informed along every step of the way.

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