

## **Resurfacing Works; Newmarket Road, Ashton Waterloo**

As part of the Tameside MBC investment to improve the highway network, it is intended to resurface Newmarket Road between Oldham Road and Grove Street. Works are scheduled for the summer school holiday period and will take place in three phases over a three week period commencing on Monday 29 July 2019.

The phases are;

Phase 1        Oldham Road to Patterdale Road

Phase 2        Patterdale Road to Downing Street

Phase 3        Downing Street to Grove Street

Please see the plan below

Works will take place between 9.00am – 4.30pm on weekdays and 8.00am - 6.00pm at weekends. The works will consist of removing the old worn out road surface, laying a new foundation layer, replacing / resetting the manholes, hydrants, gullies etc. and then laying the new road surface. Also new road lines will be painted along with areas of anti-skid material.

Due to the narrowness of the road, in order to undertake this work safely, the road will have to be closed during the working hours shown above. A signed diversion will be in place, however due to the road network in Ashton-under-Lyne and Droylsden, this is an extensive diversion of approximately five miles.

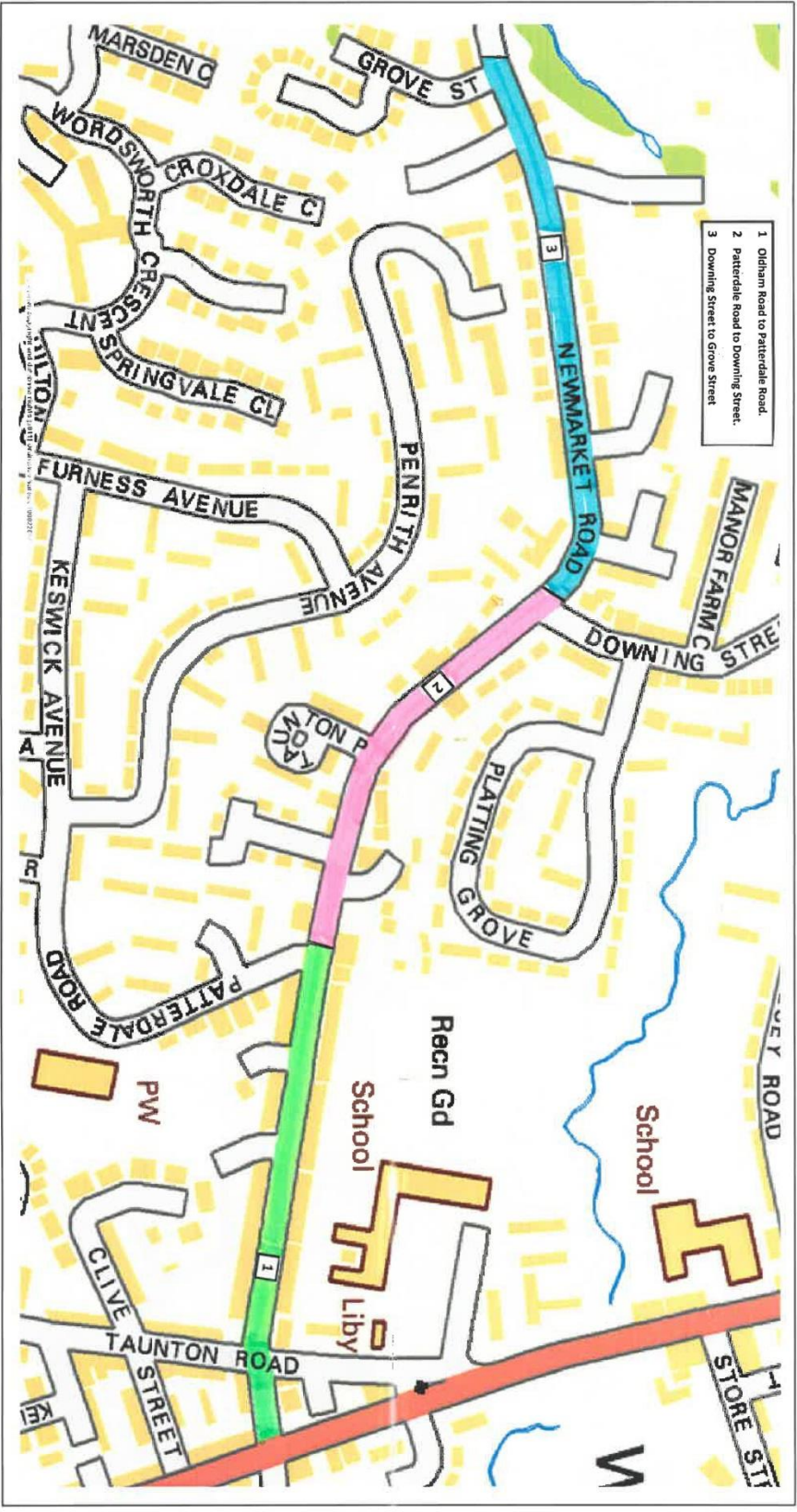
The emergency services have been consulted and access for ambulances, fire engines etc will be permitted. We have also consulted the bus operators and they are arranging for a local shuttle bus services to operate for the duration of the works – to be confirmed.

Given the scale of the work and the length of the diversion route, there will clearly be an impact on travel in the north and west of the borough. We will ensure the work is completed as quickly as possible and apologise in advance for any delays caused.

Parking will not be possible on the sections of road being resurfaced starting one hour before the road is closed and lasting until one hour after it is reopened. Property owners will receive hand delivered details with regards to the works, parking restrictions etc.

Approximately two weeks before the works are due to start, a number of variable message illuminated signs will be positioned at the Droylsden and Ashton-under-Lyne ends of the route and at a number of points on Newmarket Road itself to give road users advanced warning of the road closures.

Newmarket Road, Ashton. Carriageway Resurfacing (Oldham Road to Grove Street)



- 1 Oldham Road to Patterdale Road.
- 2 Patterdale Road to Downing Street.
- 3 Downing Street to Grove Street

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