

# Southwood Country Park Construction Update

June 2022



Southampton to London  
Pipeline Project

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# About the project and Southwood Country Park

The Southampton to London Pipeline (SLP) project is replacing 90km of the underground fuel pipeline between Boorley Green, Hampshire and the West London Terminal storage facility in Hounslow. Once installed it will be a quiet neighbour and will keep an estimated 100 road tankers off the roads every day\*.

You will have seen us undertaking pre-installation works including vegetation clearance in late 2021. In June 2022, we will be returning to the park to install the replacement pipeline.

In late June, we will start building our accesses into the park and our compound.

From July 2022, we will start the open cut works in the park, starting from the south and working north towards Cove Road.

In August we will start the trenchless installation under Ively Road A327 (TC014).

In late August we will start the trenchless installation under Cove Brook Dam (TC014a).

Reinstatement will take place in the next available season for seeding. This is likely to be in October 2022.

## What to expect during installation

During installation, you will see:

- Fencing the working areas.
- The delivery of equipment, vehicles, and materials into the working area.
- Stringing and welding of the pipe.
- Diverting paths away from the working area.

Find out how we install the replacement pipeline, including stringing pipe sections, open cut installation, trenchless installation, and reinstatement, by visiting our website at [www.slpproject.co.uk/installation](http://www.slpproject.co.uk/installation).

## Using the park during installation

You will still be able to use and enjoy the park during installation. We will display installation notices about the work around the working area.

Our construction working hours are between 08:00 and 18:00 on weekdays (except Public and Bank Holidays) and on Saturdays – except in the event of an emergency. You may see our team setting up and closing down an hour either side of our working hours.

Please take extra care when approaching any area within the order limits shown on the map overleaf. There will be people, vehicles and construction activity in these areas.

If you would like to know more about the installation of the replacement pipeline in Southwood Country Park please visit, [www.slpproject.co.uk/southwood-country-park/](http://www.slpproject.co.uk/southwood-country-park/)

You can also sign up to our e-newsletter at [www.slpproject.co.uk/signup](http://www.slpproject.co.uk/signup).

## Keeping 100 road tankers off the road every day\*



Based on Esso's 2015 data for its existing pipeline



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# Southwood Country Park

Main installation works started through the east of the park in June of this year, and installation of the replacement pipeline through the west of the park in July. Works will likely take place until September 2022.

There may be signposted diversions to footpaths.

In June we built our accesses and Compound 4AC.


The park will remain open throughout installation.

In August we will start the trenchless installation under Ively Road A327 (TC014).




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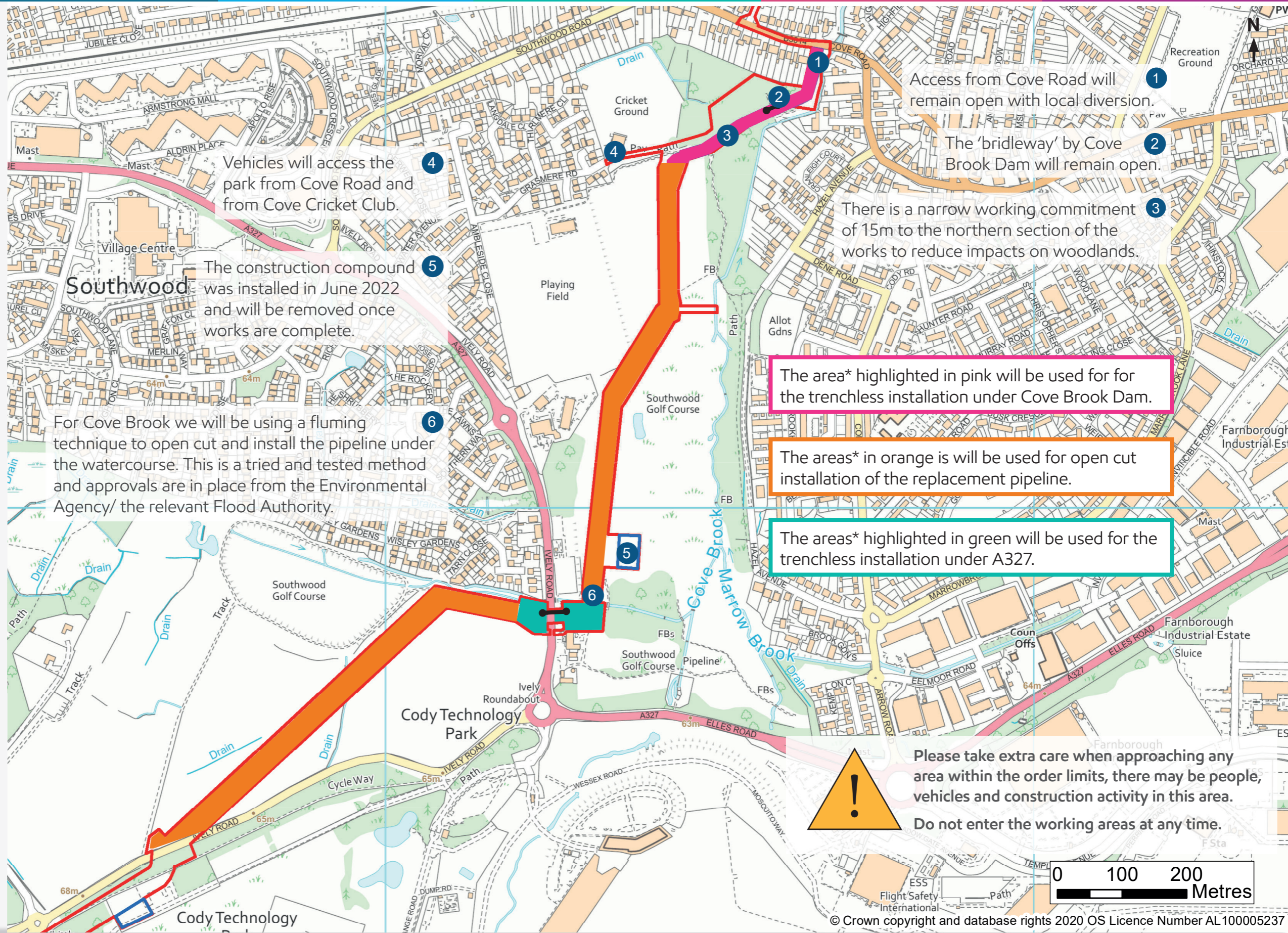
Reinstatement will take place in the next available season appropriate for seeding. This is likely to be October 2022.

Once installed, the pipeline will be a quiet neighbour and will go unnoticed by most people.

 View the latest information and our interactive map.

## Legend

-  Maximum limit of the working area, also known as Order Limits
-  Temporary construction compounds
-  Trenchless crossings



Vehicles will access the park from Cove Road and from Cove Cricket Club.

The construction compound was installed in June 2022 and will be removed once works are complete.

For Cove Brook we will be using a fluming technique to open cut and install the pipeline under the watercourse. This is a tried and tested method and approvals are in place from the Environmental Agency/ the relevant Flood Authority.

Access from Cove Road will remain open with local diversion.


The 'bridleway' by Cove Brook Dam will remain open.

There is a narrow working commitment of 15m to the northern section of the works to reduce impacts on woodlands.

The area\* highlighted in pink will be used for for the trenchless installation under Cove Brook Dam.

The areas\* in orange is will be used for open cut installation of the replacement pipeline.



The areas\* highlighted in green will be used for the trenchless installation under A327.



 Please take extra care when approaching any area within the order limits, there may be people, vehicles and construction activity in this area.

Do not enter the working areas at any time.

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\*area indicates the approximate area to be used but does not restrict other activities happening within the Order Limits.



# Phasing of works - Rushmoor

Construction Work Area	2021					2022												2023										
	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	
Trenchless Crossing TC013 - Fleet Road A323 & Basingstoke Canal																												
Compound 4AA off Old Ively Road (in Hart District, access from Rushmoor)																												
Old Ively Road																												
Cody Technology Park																												
Compound 4AB off Ively Road																												
Southwood Country Park West																												
Trenchless Crossing TC014 - Ively Road A327																												
Southwood Country Park East																												
Compound 4AC - Southwood Country Park																												
Trenchless Crossing TCO14a - Cove Brook Dam																												
Cove Road																												
Nash Close																												
Trenchless Crossing TCO15 - Railway line																												
Trenchless Crossing TCO16 - Cove Brook																												
Trenchless Crossing TCO17/18 - Adjacent to Rail embankment																												
Compound 4AD off West Heath Road and access to TC15/16/17																												
Compound 4AE off Cabrol Road																												
Queen Elizabeth Park																												
Trenchless Crossing TCO19 - Farnborough Road A325																												
Farnborough Hill School																												
Ship Lane																												
Ringwood Road																												
Farnborough Gate Playing Fields																												
Trenchless Crossing TCO20 - Blackwater Valley																												

**Key**

- Advanced works / ecology mitigation
- ST** Strimming
- VC** Tree and Hedge Clearance
- Trenchless crossing including work area and access
- Open cut works rural / semi rural
- Open cut streetworks
- Compound in use
- Reinstatement
- SE** Seeding
- PL** Planting

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We are now releasing a local, area specific timeline for installation. This gives an indication of when we expect to be working in each area. We'll let you know at least two months in advance of any work starting and provide further detail of expected duration. Since we are currently progressing detailed design, the timetable may be subject to some additional change as we finalise our plans and work to reduce overall disruption during construction. Please be assured that if our plans change, we'll keep you informed. Once the pipeline is buried, it will be a quiet neighbour.



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