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Ivinghoe Freight Strategy – Update

EPC has received the following update from Buckinghamshire Council on the Ivinghoe Freight Strategy:

I am delighted to advise that the installation of the Ivinghoe Freight Strategy (Phase 1) is planned to start on the 13th February 2023 and is expected to take around a week to complete. This of course is subject to all the current permissions and licences being in place and there being no unexpected circumstances that may delay the works.

Phase 1 covers the installation of signage around the zone making the 7.5 tonne environmental traffic regulation order restricting HGV traffic with exception for local access legal.



The purpose of the Freight Zone is to restrict HGV access to the area to those that have a business reason to be there. HGV traffic entering the area as a cut-through to somewhere else will be in breach of the order, this traffic should be encouraged to follow more suitable roads around the zone,

We are hoping to have some press release out in the coming days.

Work on Phase 2 which covers the more bespoke advance notice signage on key routes around the zone, including Central Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire, to alert drivers and operators about the restriction enabling them to avoid breaching the order and follow the more appropriate routes is continuing and I will update when more concrete details are available.