

Ellesmere Port Regeneration Update

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Work progressing on Market refurbishment inside and out

Sneak preview of the works to refurbish Ellesmere Port Market – the colour scheme for both the interior and exterior is inspired by a 1970s Vauxhall paint colour chart.

The market will have a vibrant colour scheme including ‘Tasman Orange’ and ‘Sunspot’.

[See more about the transformation.](#) plus a [short video](#)



Market unveils local schools' artwork display

Thirteen local schools have taken part in a drawing competition on the theme of ‘our visit to the market’.

The market's fit-out contractor F Parkinson invited local schools to participate in the competition, and a display of the winning drawings has now been unveiled in the market's dining area. The winners received an art materials goodie bag sponsored by F Parkinson and the display will remain in place throughout the refurbishment works. Chloe Simmons, Social Value Co-ordinator, F Parkinson said: “We have been delighted with the response from local schools, and it's been a delight to judge the drawings and select the winners, thank you to all the schools that took part.”

Housing sites update

Demolition works have now been completed on the former council offices on Civic Way and the former Oasis Centre on Coronation Road.

The demolition of these buildings is part the Council's wider town centre regeneration project that is unlocking sites for the development of new low-carbon homes. The aim is to demolish older and redundant buildings to enable a housing developer to build new low-carbon first-time buyer and family homes and help increase footfall in the town centre. We are currently reaching out to developers discuss the future housing provision at these sites to ensure that this project moves forward quickly after site assembly works are complete.

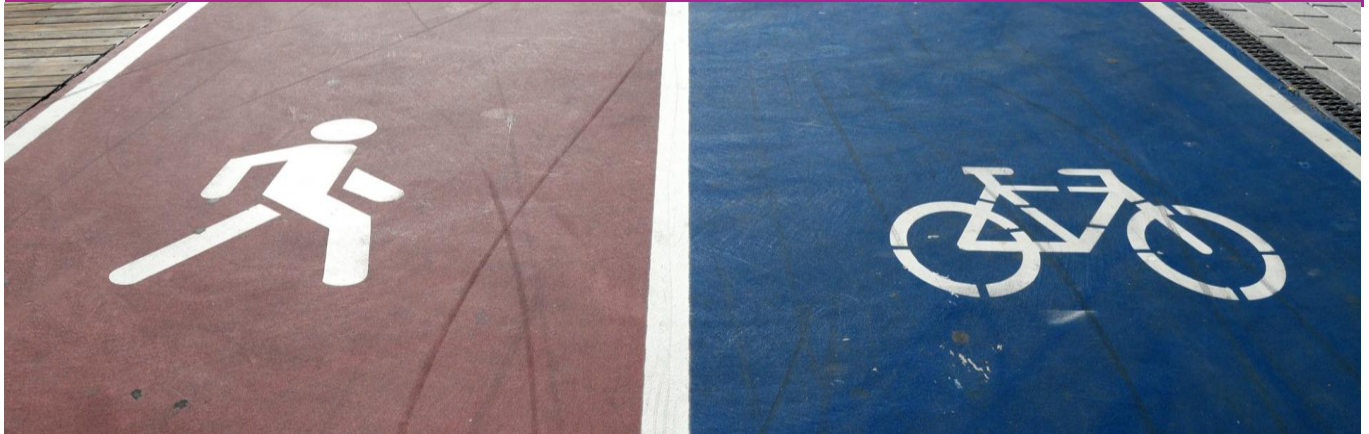


Civic Way site

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Active Travel Update

Work on new active travel routes to provide improved walking, wheeling and cycling links will now start in the new year. This project aims to create a safer route for walking, wheeling and cycling, helping to improve and create a more accessible route from Ellesmere Port rail station to the town centre. Currently people are having to avoid parked cars and other obstructions on pavements and follows extensive public consultation held during 2023 and 2024.

We currently anticipate that the works will begin in January, for 16 weeks and conclude in April. The works will be phased to minimise disruption and will include:

- Footway improvements at Whitby Road
- The installation of a cycle way on Cromwell Road and Wellington Road North
- A roundabout at the bottom of Cromwell Road where it meets Wellington Road by the car park.

Active Travel is about travelling to different places, usually by either walking, cycling or wheeling. This is typically for short or local journeys. Not only does this have great environmental benefits such as reduced carbon emissions, it also helps you get out and about.

[See more](#)



New Origin video

A new video has been produced to highlight the opportunities within the Origin Ellesmere Port area.

Origin is leading the UK's green industrial revolution; there are a wide range of roles at all levels across Origin Ellesmere Port with a potential for 30,000 new jobs forecast. We are working with a wide range of partners to help local residents maximise this huge opportunity.

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