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Dear Resident or Business owner

**Re: Installing bollards in Old Portsmouth Re:**

We are writing to let you know about upcoming work on High Street, Old Portsmouth to help stop vehicles parking on pavements outside your home. We have listened to residents' concerns about people parking on pavements, and to address this we plan to install new bollards along the section of High Street shown in the picture below.

These bollards will help keep pavements clear and safer for people walking and will match the style of the existing ones already further along the street, making them suitable for this historic area.



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The bollards will be installed by COLAS on behalf of Portsmouth City Council. The works are scheduled to start on 26<sup>th</sup> of May and are expected to take approximately two days. During this time the footway will remain open, so any visitors to your home or business will still be able to access the entrances.

Some parts of the work may be noisy, particularly when digging and laying surfaces. We will make every effort to keep noise and disruption to a minimum, and all works will be undertaken within the agreed working hours and in accordance with relevant environmental controls.

Thank you for your patience while these essential improvements are delivered.

If you have any questions, please email me at [chi.sharpe@portsmouthcc.gov.uk](mailto:chi.sharpe@portsmouthcc.gov.uk)

Yours faithfully

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