

Inverness West Link Stage 2 – December 2020

Progress

Good progress was made on site in December with the removal of the old A82 adjacent to the underpass which was all crushed for reuse on the site. The completion of the timber jetty North of the Tomnahurich Bridge. The completion of the concreting on the East abutment wall and the chambers for the communication and control cables crossing the canal. Completion of the stone facing to the underpass and the commencement of sign installation.

Our bridge fabricator Cleveland Bridge progressed with the welding together of the bridge sections and commenced with the painting of the completed steelwork. The encapsulation surrounding the bridge has allowed them to progress without any delays due to the weather.

Works planned for this month include the landscaping around the site, completion of footpaths, installation of CCTV, bridge barriers and wigwags, ballast block installation on the bridge and the waterproofing on the bridge deck.



Timber jetty from Tomnahurich Bridge looking North



The new wharf with bollards, railings and services



Excavation of the old A82 adjacent to the underpass



Welding the bridge sections together under the encapsulation



Painting of the welded joints with the temporary propping evident for supporting the bridge