**Branxton Substation enabling works - 11 June update**

**Friday 12th June (8pm – 12pm)**

There will be a full road closure between A1(T) To Bilsdean Road (U220) to facilitate the lining of a box junction following discussions with the community.

**Monday 15th June - Sunday 5th July**

A full road closure will be in place between Linkshead (A1) to Birnieknowes Road. Advanced road signage will be in place.

**There are ongoing works at haul road crossings with the public road** (locations 2, 3 and 4 in the picture below) to install the agreed signage from the planning conditions and traffic management plan at these junctions. **This is due to complete Friday 12th June.**

Construction activities within the **substation field** are ongoing, including the installation of pre-construction drainage. We also intend to begin stripping the topsoil within the next two weeks with material stored on site until the haul road is fully established in August/September, after which it will be removed in accordance with our Traffic Management Plan. This pre-construction drainage does not require any additional vegetation removal than that needed for the permanent substation works.

Further updates on the work will be published in the weekly bulletin and where appropriate, by letter.

