

Answers to the Written Assembly Questions for answer on 10 June 2010

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To ask the Minister for the Economy and Transport

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Nick Bourne (Mid and West Wales): Will the Minister provide details of trunk road improvements planned in Gwynedd in 2010/2011 with dates of the works and the cost involved. (WAQ56062)

Nick Bourne (Mid and West Wales): Will the Minister provide details of trunk road improvements planned in Ceredigion in 2010/2011 with dates of the works and the cost involved. (WAQ56063)

Nick Bourne (Mid and West Wales): Will the Minister provide details of trunk road improvements planned in Carmarthenshire in 2010/2011 with dates of the works and the cost involved. (WAQ56064)

Nick Bourne (Mid and West Wales): Will the Minister provide details of trunk road improvements planned in Pembrokeshire in 2010/2011 with dates of the works and the cost involved. (WAQ56065)

Answer issued on 15 June 2010

Please see the below table for details of trunk road improvement schemes in the counties requested. There are also a wide range of other minor improvements which will be carried out throughout the year which are mainly associated with safety.

SCHEME	AREA	DATE OF WORKS	ESTIMATED SPEND IN 2010/2011
A470 Cwmbach to Newbridge	Powys	Construction started Feb 2010. Completion anticipated winter 2011.	£27.253m
A470 Erwood to Glanwye	Powys	Plan to publish Draft Orders autumn 2010. Start of Works anticipated 2011.	£1.1m
A470 Builth Wells	Powys	Preferred option due for announcement autumn 2010.	£0.100m
A483 Newtown	Powys	Preferred option due for announcement late summer 2010	£0.101m
A483 Four Crosses	Powys	Construction started Feb 2010. Completion anticipated spring 2011	£4.400m
A40 Rhayader	Powys	Planning ongoing	£0.115m
A458 Buttington	Powys	Cross border negotiations with DfT ongoing	£0.080m
A487 Porthmadog, Minffordd and Tremadog	Gwynedd	Construction started January 2010. Completion Winter 2011	£25.394m
A487 Caernarfon to Bontnewydd	Gwynedd	Public Consultation ended 24/05/10 – planning ongoing	£0.525m
A470 Maes yr Helmau to Cross Foxes	Gwynedd	Start of works anticipated 2011	£0.409m
A470 Gelligemlyn	Gwynedd	Draft Orders due for publication 10.6.10. Start of works autumn anticipated 2011	£0.349m

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A487 Tesco Junction	Ceredigion	Plan to start work later this year.	£0.700m
A487 Glandyfi	Ceredigion	Advanced site clearance works completed Feb 2010. Tender process to start shortly.	£0.750m
A477 St Clears to Red Roses	Carmarthenshire	Planning ongoing	£1.756m
A40 Penblewin to Slebech	Pembrokeshire	Works started Feb 2009 completion Spring 2011	£13.045m
A40 The Kell	Pembrokeshire	Construction started in spring 2010. Due for completion early 2011	£0.900m