

Leashaw landslip update

Latest news

Thursday, 14 May 2026

We're sharing the latest news about the Leashaw landslip.

Final stages to appoint site contractor

Following a competitive tendering exercise, we're in the very final stages of the legal process to appoint a contractor to carry out the major works to repair the landslip at Leashaw.

Subject to the final legal processes being cleared, we expect the contractor will be able to start work in June.

The initial site preparations will involve setting up temporary work cabins, welfare facilities and a secure compound for the safe storage of equipment and machinery.

Once this has been completed, site clearance works will commence.

The repairs are expected to take up to 20 weeks, until approximately mid-October this year, subject to any unexpected issues on site and good weather conditions.

Repair solution

The extensive repairs involve driving micro concrete piles into the ground at the foot of the landslip collapse. The piles are designed to provide a secure foundation to support the earth bank.

Once the piling work has been done, we'll then recreate the shape of the original bank using free draining stone. A layer of topsoil will be added and the site will be landscaped with grass seed.

The finished works will restore the site to how it looked before the landslip occurred.

The road surface will also be repaired prior to reopening.

The site is challenging to work on due to the presence of a major water main below the surface of Leashaw road. The road has been affected by the landslip, forcing the closure of the route for safety reasons, which serves Holloway village.

Invitation to attend next week's public meeting

The parish council has organised a public meeting about the Leashaw landslip repair programme on Thursday, 21 May, starting at 6.30pm at the Florence Nightingale Memorial Hall in Holloway.

Representatives from Derbyshire County Council will be present.

Let us know about any missing diversion signs

If you need to contact us about any damaged or missing diversion signs, please get in touch by emailing highway.structures@derbyshire.gov.uk.

Thank you - we'll be in touch with our next newsletter soon.
