

“Raynet-UK supports three M27 weekend closures for Romsey road bridge demolition and installation of new bridge deck.”

Task: To supply traffic data to control situated at “Southampton Tactical” in City Depot, Southampton, which was where the multi-agency cell was set up.

Result: The task was completed with the satisfaction of all multi-agency representatives.

Lessons Learnt: Will be actioned in the coming weeks

I must say a huge thank you to operators from all groups in Hampshire and individual operators from Dorset, Wiltshire, Sussex and Gloucestershire at different closures. At the final closure last weekend, it was again a regional effort with some operators doing both days which was amazing, we are all volunteers - only those who volunteer can be deployed. Thank You ! 😊 Julian Shaw - GOERI – Group Controller - SW Hampshire.

A full report is being compiled and will be mentioned in the news when it is available from the SW Hants Website - swhr.org.uk/m27

Below is the text of an email that I received from the Senior EPRRO at Southampton City Council which was where the multi-agency cell was located.

“I just wanted to extend my personal gratitude for all the work that was undertaken by not just South West Hampshire RAYNET-UK but also from members drawn from many RAYNET-UK groups to provide such a committed, comprehensive and competent role. The timely and accurate information from the various check points, together with the use of live data feed cameras directly into our CCTV control proved to be invaluable and provided ourselves in SCC and the multi-agency partners with the ability to respond to challenges before they really developed and for acute events, our response was in seconds rather than in many minutes.

I have requested that RAYNET-UK is formally recognised by the Hampshire and Isle of Wight Local Resilience Forum for your collective work for all three M27 closures and furthermore I will also formally request on record, that future projects such as a large scale network closures, must include consideration for using RAYNET-UK.”



M27 Closure RAYNET Camera Feeds

