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Company is on route to success

A COMPANY providing expertise on highways matters is on the road to further success.

Highways engineering consultancy Sanderson Associates, which is based at Grange Moor, has won two prestigious contracts.

Bradford Council has appointed Sanderson Associates to carry out a public realm study into the best way to preserve and enhance the historic setts in Haworth main street.

These are one of the longest stretches of stone setts in Yorkshire and are a valuable heritage attraction for tourists who visit the Bronte village from across the world.

The setts, which have become loose or damaged in places, are in need of restoration.

Meanwhile, the company has also been appointed as consultants by Kirklees College – both for its existing New North Road site in Huddersfield and its multi-million pound Waterfront Quarter development at Chapel Hill.

The college is set to move to the Waterfront Quarter – a large mixed-use development on the edge of the town centre.

The college's move will mean significant improvements in pedestrian crossings on the ring road to make crossing safer for students.

Alison France, managing director of Sanderson Associates, explained: "We have prepared a transport assessment and travel plan for the whole Waterfront Quarter development with individual

Two more big contracts for Grange Moor consultancy



■ **CONTRACTS:** Alison France, managing director of Sanderson Associates

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travel plans for the college, office and residential elements on the site.

"We have also prepared preliminary

layout designs for access and junction improvements and improvements for pedestrians for the Waterfront Quarter."

Together, the two highway contracts are worth about £2.2m.

Alison added: "We are absolutely delighted to have won these two significant contracts in challenging economic times.

"They are two very different assignments.

"One is about preserving our past and one about planning for the future and the students and the local community for years to come, but they are both crucially important."

Sanderson Associates is one of the largest independent highway development specialists in the UK.

The company, founded in 1987 and based at Grange Moor, is a market leader in highway, traffic, transportation and water engineering.

Since its formation, the company has undertaken more than 5,300 schemes in both the private and public sectors with some top names on an ever-increasing client list.