

Notice of public right of way diversion in Wendover, Ellesborough Road South Field

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High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain. We are continually reviewing the works on our construction sites in line with Government and Public Health England (PHE) advice on dealing with COVID-19. The Government's current strategy makes it clear that construction activity can continue as long as it complies with this guidance. Please be assured that only sites that can operate within the guidelines are operational. All sites will remain under constant review. We have postponed all face-to-face engagement events and meetings and have put in place a number of channels to communicate with communities, such as letters and phone calls, as well as updates and alerts from each of the local community websites. You can sign up for regular updates in your local area at www.hs2inbucksandox.co.uk

What we will be doing?

As part of our continuing work ahead of the construction of the railway we need to undertake some further activity in your area. This will consist of:

- Utility surveys
- Preparation works
- Boundary fencing
- Public right of way diversion

When will these works take place?

These works are planned to start on 22 February 2021 and are expected to take two weeks to complete. The site for the fencing works is located between Ellesborough Road and Bacombe Lane. Access to the site will be from Bacombe Lane.

If you have a question about HS2 or our works, please contact our HS2 Helpdesk team on 08081 434 434 or email hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk

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Duration of works

The work will start on 22 February 2021 and is estimated to take two weeks to complete

Normal working hours Monday to Friday 8am to 6pm. and Saturday 8am -1pm. We may also be on site for one hour's start up and shutdown outside of these times

What to expect

Some additional traffic on local roads. Some noise from equipment used for the work. Site storage and welfare vehicles. Site operated with 24-hour security and temporary flood lighting

What we will do

Manage any impacts, such as traffic and noise with the aim of reducing or removing them

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Utility surveys

The utility surveys will involve the use of non-intrusive ground radar scanning of the area to detect the location of any services underground ahead of the fencing works commencing.

Preparation works

A small workforce will use machinery and hand-held equipment to cut back some foliage around the field perimeter and prepare the ground for the path diversion.

Site compound

A temporary site compound will be situated at the entrance of Bacombe Lane. The compound is used for welfare vehicles, staff car parking and the storage of site machinery and materials for the workforce completing the works. The site will be secured with 24/7 security and has temporary low-level lighting.

Public rights of way

The public right of way footpath has previously been diverted in this field and requires further diversion around the opposite side of the field. Winter ground conditions prevent the path being relocated diagonally to its original location. Please see the enclosed map for the diversion route.

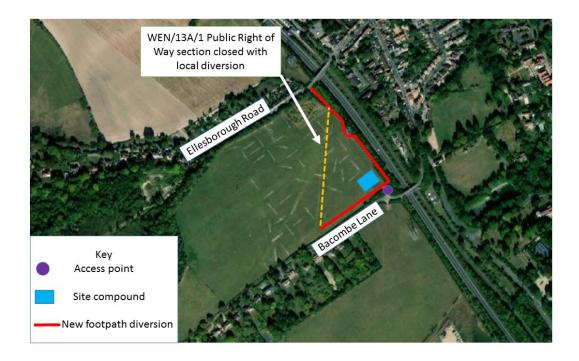
Following the completion of the new public right of way diversion the pedestrian route will be diverted and the existing diversion route will then be closed.

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Keeping you informed

We are committed to keeping you informed about work on HS2. This includes ensuring you know what to expect and when to expect it, as well as how we can help.

Residents' Charter and Commissioner

The Residents' Charter is our promise to communicate as clearly as we possibly can with people who live along or near the HS2 route. www.gov.uk/government/publications/hs2residents-charter

We also have an independent Residents' Commissioner whose job is to make sure we keep to the promises we make in the Charter and to keep it under constant review. Find reports at: www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-ltdresidents-commissioner

You can contact the Commissioner at: residentscommissioner@hs2.org.uk

Construction Commissioner

The Construction Commissioner's role is to mediate and monitor the way in which HS2 Ltd manages and responds to construction complaints. You can contact the Construction Commissioner by emailing:

complaints@hs2-cc.org.uk

Property and compensation

You can find out all about HS2 and properties along the line of route by visiting:

www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-property Find out if you're eligible for compensation at: www.gov.uk/claim-compensation-if-affected-by-hs2

Holding us to account

If you are unhappy for any reason you can make a complaint by contacting our HS2 Helpdesk team. For more details on our complaints process, please visit our website:

www.hs2.org.uk/how-to-complain

Contact Us

Contact our HS2 Helpdesk team all day, every day of the year on:

- 🕋 Freephone **08081 434 434**
- Minicom **08081 456 472**
- (a) Email hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk

Write to: FREEPOST HS2 Community Engagement

Website www.hs2.org.uk

To keep up to date with what is happening in your local area, visit: **www.hs2inyourarea.co.uk**

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