







### Notification

### Ongoing works at SCSJV in **Old Oak and Park Royal**

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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 information included below outlines ongoing works at the SCSJV sites in Old Oak and Park Royal during summer 2021.

The dates mentioned in this notification may change - we will provide updates about our works at HS2inOldOak.co.uk

#### Ongoing works at the Victoria Road Crossover Box and **Flat Iron sites**

Works are continuing to progress within the Crossover Box site to build a ventilation shaft and prepare for future construction of the crossover box below ground.

We notified you May 2021 regarding the construction of the diaphragm wall (a concrete wall built in the ground to give support and allow for the excavation of underground structures), and the sprayed concrete lining works in the ventilation shaft. These works are continuing under our extended working hours at the Victoria Road Crossover Box site of Monday 7am to Saturday 1pm and then Monday 7am to Saturday 6pm from early August 2021. For more details about these works please see the previous notification on the HS2 interactive map at www.hs2.org.uk/in-your-area/map

Please note that only works relating to the sprayed concrete lining and the construction of the diaphragm wall occur during our extended working hours. All other work will commence during our core hours of 8am to 6pm Monday to Friday and 8am to 1pm on Saturday.

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

#### **Duration of works**

Ongoing works during **August and September** 2021

Our core working hours will be from 8am to 6pm, Mondays to Fridays and 8am to 1pm Saturdays if needed

Extended working hours at Victoria Road Crossover Box site

Monday 7am to Saturday 1pm and then Monday 7am to Saturday 6pm from early August 2021

#### What to expect

Various construction activities on site in preparation to build future structures

We will continue to monitor our working methods to keep disruption to a minimum

#### What we will do

Provide updates about our works at www.hs2inoldoak.co.uk



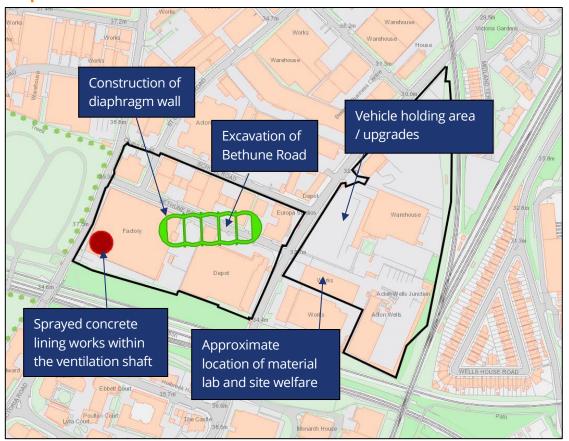
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#### **Victoria Road Crossover Box and Flat Iron sites**

Other ongoing works at the Victoria Road Crossover Box and Flat Iron sites during August and September include:

- Completion of works to upgrade the vehicle holding area Flat Iron Site
- Installation of foundations for the conveyor system Flat Iron site
- Installation of material lab and site office and welfare Flat Iron Site
- Ongoing works to build working platforms for crossover box construction Crossover Box site
- Excavation of Bethune Road Crossover Box site

#### Map of works at Victoria Road Crossover Box and Flat Iron site





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#### **Ongoing works at Atlas Road site**

We are continuing with our schedule of piling works and are on schedule to complete the secant piling works by the end of July. The piling works are needed to prepare the ground prior to the construction of the tunnel launch box and ramp that will allow for construction of the Atlas Road logistics tunnel using a tunnel boring machine (TBM).

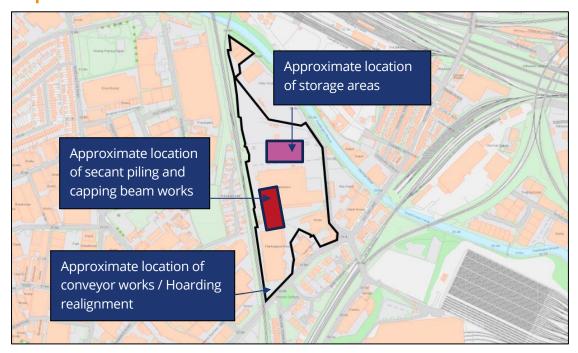
Following the completion of the secant piling the next phase of works will be the construction of the tunnel launch box and ramp capping beam. The capping beam is a concrete structure that is cast on top of the secant piles to complete the structural integrity of the piles. Work is due to start early August 2021 until end of October 2021 from 8am to 6pm Monday to Friday and 8am to 1pm Saturdays.

SCSJV staff are now using the site office and welfare facilities opposite Midland Terrace and Shaftesbury Gardens.

Other ongoing works at the Atlas Road site during August and September 2021 include:

- Construction of storage areas and works to build the gantry crane foundations
- Ongoing works to build on-site roads and drainage
- Installation of foundations for the conveyor system
- On site utility connections

#### Map of works at Atlas Road site





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#### **Ongoing works at Willesden Euroterminal site**

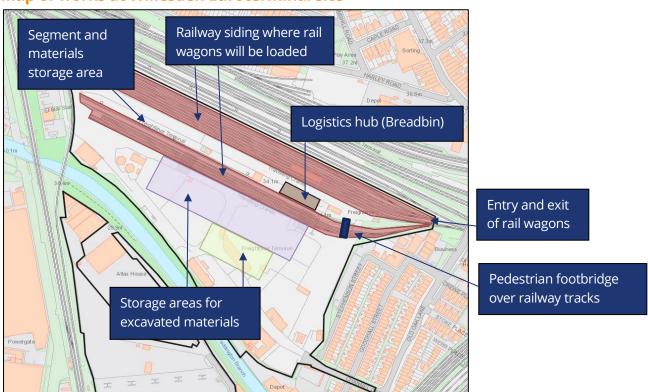
Our Willesden Euroterminal site team have been receiving excavated materials from other HS2 sites in the area. On the 29 June 2021, the first train carrying excavated material from HS2 sites left the Willesden Euroterminal site carrying 1,470 tonnes of excavated materials, which equals about 73 lorry movements removed from the road network. For more information about the rail terminal and train movements, please see the previous notification on the HS2 interactive map at www.hs2.org.uk/in-your-area/map

SCSJV staff are now using the Breadbin building as the logistics hub to support the operation and movement of excavated materials to the site and removal by rail.

Other ongoing works at the Willesden Euroterminal site during August and September 2021 include:

- Continuing receipt of excavated materials from other HS2 sites
- Continued removal of materials by rail
- Utility connections within site
- Installation of foundations for conveyor system
- Conveyor base construction
- Installation of staff footbridge over the rail tracks
- Construction of the storage areas for segments
- From early August the number of trains departing the rail terminal will increase to two per day

#### Map of works at Willesden Euroterminal site



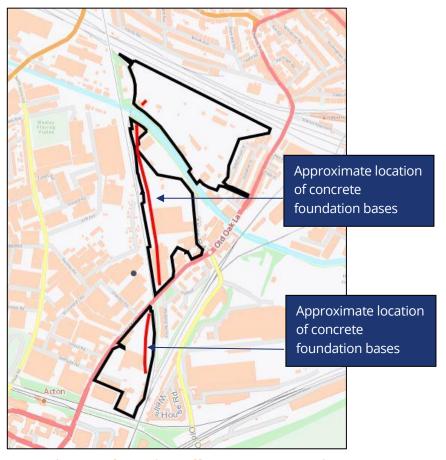


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#### Update: ongoing works to install SCSJV section of conveyor

During the second half of 2021 we will continue works to install the conveyor system between the SCSJV sites in the Old Oak and Park Royal area. This will include construction of the concrete foundation bases for the surface conveyor structure within our sites. These works will include excavations and concrete pours at various locations within our site boundaries. We will also be receiving elements and pieces of the steel structure of the conveyor bridge which will be stored in the Victoria Road Flat Iron site

#### Map of approximate locations of concrete foundations



#### Upcoming works to install conveyor crossings

In late-September\*, we are planning to install the conveyor crossing over Victoria Road and the Network Rail tracks to connect the Flat Iron and Atlas Road sites. For safety reasons, there will be a temporary closure on Victoria Road and the railway tracks to lift the conveyor crossing into place.

We are planning to install the conveyor crossing over Grand Union Canal in October 2021\* to connect the Atlas Road and Willesden Euroterminal sites. For safety reasons, there will be temporary changes in place on the canal towpath during these works.

\* The dates for these works remain subject to confirmation. We will provide more information to local residents and road users ahead of these works.



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#### What to expect

During aspects mentioned in this works update you may notice one or a few of the following within our sites:

- Heavy goods vehicles
- Excavators
- Cranes
- Lighting towers
- Concreting equipment

#### Reducing disruption to you

We will continue to monitor noise, dust and vibration in line with the HS2 Code of Construction Practice. Other mitigations in place to reduce disruption to our neighbours include:

- Additional attending monitoring
- Operation of wheel washes to clean vehicle wheels as they depart site
- Dust suppression sprays on works and site roads including water bowsers during hot and dry weather
- Use off noise reducing blankets where feasible
- Covering of material, deliveries or loads entering and leaving sites
- Monitoring of working methods to ensure minimal disruption is caused

#### Speak with your engagement team

You can contact our local engagement team via the HS2 Helpdesk. We are also available to speak with you at monthly virtual one to ones in Old Oak and Park Royal on the following dates:

- Wednesday 25 August, 3pm to 6pm
- Wednesday 29 September, 3pm to 6pm
- Wednesday 27 October, 3pm to 6pm
- Wednesday 24 November, 3pm to 6pm

To register for the next drop-in on 28 July, please visit www.hs2.org.uk/events/

### What else is happening in your area?

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#### **Contact our new HS2 Helpdesk team**

Our new Helpdesk team is based in our Head Office in Birmingham. This is so that we can provide you with the best service possible. Our team is here to listen and respond to your enquiry, complaint or feedback to help us be a good neighbour.

You can contact our Helpdesk team all day, every day of the year on:

Freephone: **08081 434 434**Minicom: **08081 456 472** 

Email: hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk



To find out more about what's happening in your area and receive regular email updates, you can sign up to our local community websites at: www.hs2inyourarea.co.uk.

#### **About our Community and Business Funds**

We are offering two funds that are available to local communities and businesses between the West Midlands and London, to help with the disruption caused by our construction work. These are the Community and Environment Fund (CEF) and the Business and Local Economy Fund (BLEF).

The CEF is designed to give communities the opportunity to share in the benefits of HS2. It is an allocated fund that communities are able to apply for, to help to support local projects that aim to improve their local area.

The BLEF is designed to support local economies that may be disrupted by the construction of HS2. BLEF grants are for local business support organisations and local authorities to help maintain business activity in local communities.

For more information about each of these funds, including how to apply, please visit: https://www.groundwork.org.uk/hs2funds





### **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:

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**HS2 Community Engagement** 

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