



# Notice of works and road closure, Mixbury

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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.hs2.org.uk/in-your-area

## What will be doing?

As part of our continuing works ahead of the construction of the railway we need to undertake some further works in your area.

- **Ecology mitigation**
- Full road closure
- Vegetation clearance, ditch crossing, gate installations and fencing

## **Ecology mitigation and full road closure**

We are continuing our established programme of ecology and mitigation works. We have completed all surveys works and now we need to undertake a series of mitigation works in accordance with the ecological seasonal calendar.

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

# **Notification**



#### **Duration of works**

We will put in place a full road closure on;

Featherbed (Fulwell) Lane from 16 August 2021 to 20 August 2021

We will have Stop and Go boards on: Featherbed (Fulwell) Lane

16 August 2021 to 30 September 2021

#### Off peak hours:

9.30am - 3.30pm

Our contractors 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

Delays to your journey

#### What we will do

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

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# **Ecology mitigation and full road closure continued**

To enable this to happen safely we need to put in place a road closure between **9.30am until 3.30pm from16 August to 20 August 2021.** This is to allow ecologists to safely observe and where necessary climb roadside trees to check for habitat before felling. The programme and road closure location are below;

Road Closure – Featherbed Lane (Fulwell)

16 August 2021 to 20 August 2021

9.30am until 3.30pm

The road will be open as usual outside of these hours.

Details of the road closures and diversion routes can be found on the map enclosed.

## Vegetation clearance, ditch crossing and fence

During August and September 2021, we need to complete a hedgerow removal, boundary fencing, gate installations and a ditch crossing; in order to undertake these works we will need to close Featherbed Lane at the junction with Church Lane. We will use Stop and Go boards with traffic marshals in operation, they will stop traffic for up to 2 minutes as and when required for safe vehicle movement across the highway. The Stop and Go boards will be in operation between **9.30am until 3.30pm.** 

The road will be open as usual outside of these hours.

**No HS2 traffic** will be authorised to travel through the village or Church Lane.

# How will this affect you?

We will be working hard to ensure any impacts on residents are kept to a minimum during these and all our future works. You may notice a little extra traffic on the road immediately around the sites with workers and delivery vehicles moving to and from the site. There may be some noise from the machinery. All machinery will be restricted to running between the hours of 8am to 6pm.

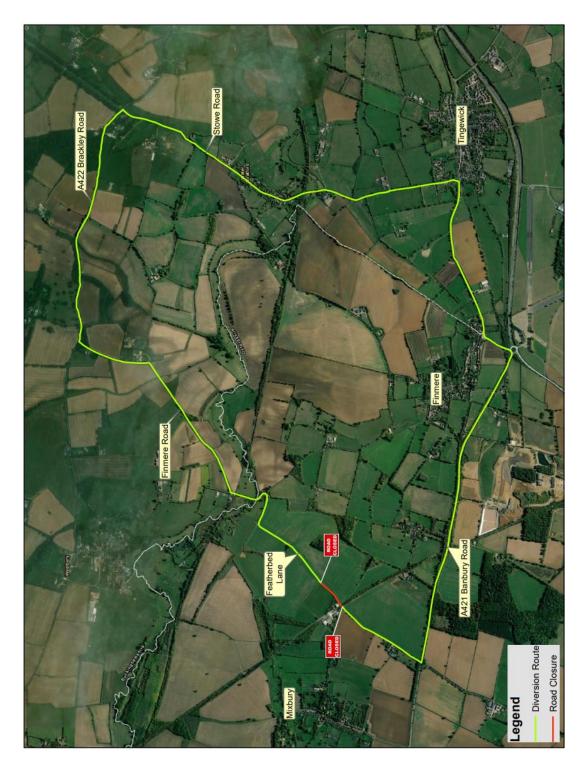
For this stage of works we will not be closing any Public Rights of Way. For further updates about these works and HS2 in general, please visit https://www.hs2.org.uk/in-your-where you can sign up to news alerts.

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**Location of work and road diversion** 



# **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/hs2-residents-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-ltd-residents-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:

T Freephone **08081 434 434** 

Minicom **08081 456 472** 

@ 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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