

## Update: Ground investigations in Lower Park on Park Royal Road

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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. You can sign up for regular updates in your local area at [HS2inOldOak.co.uk](http://HS2inOldOak.co.uk)

### Investigative trial hole in Lower Park

We wrote to you in June about ground investigations taking place in Lower Park on Park Royal Road. As part of ongoing works to assist the future design and planning of the HS2 tunnels, we will be carrying out further ground investigations within Lower Park from 19 to 27 August. The location of these works is shown on the map on the following page.

These works will take place between 8am to 6pm on Mondays to Fridays. The ground investigation will involve digging a temporary trench to confirm the location of existing underground utilities.

We will use a combination of power and handheld tools during these works and will put mitigations in place such as noise blankets and water dampening down of dust if required. These measures will help to keep any disruption to a minimum.

No utility services will be disrupted during these works.

Dates mentioned in this notification may change due to unforeseen circumstances. We will continue to provide updates about our works at [HS2inOldOak.co.uk](http://HS2inOldOak.co.uk)

**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](mailto:hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk)**

## Notification



### Duration of works

19 to 27 August

### Working hours

8am to 6pm Monday to Friday

We may be on site for an hour before the start and /or end of each shift

### What to expect

You may notice some additional noise during these works, but we will do all we can to minimise disruption

The use of power tools and excavator to dig trench

### What we will do

Continue to monitor our work methods to ensure they are safe and reduce the impact to the local community

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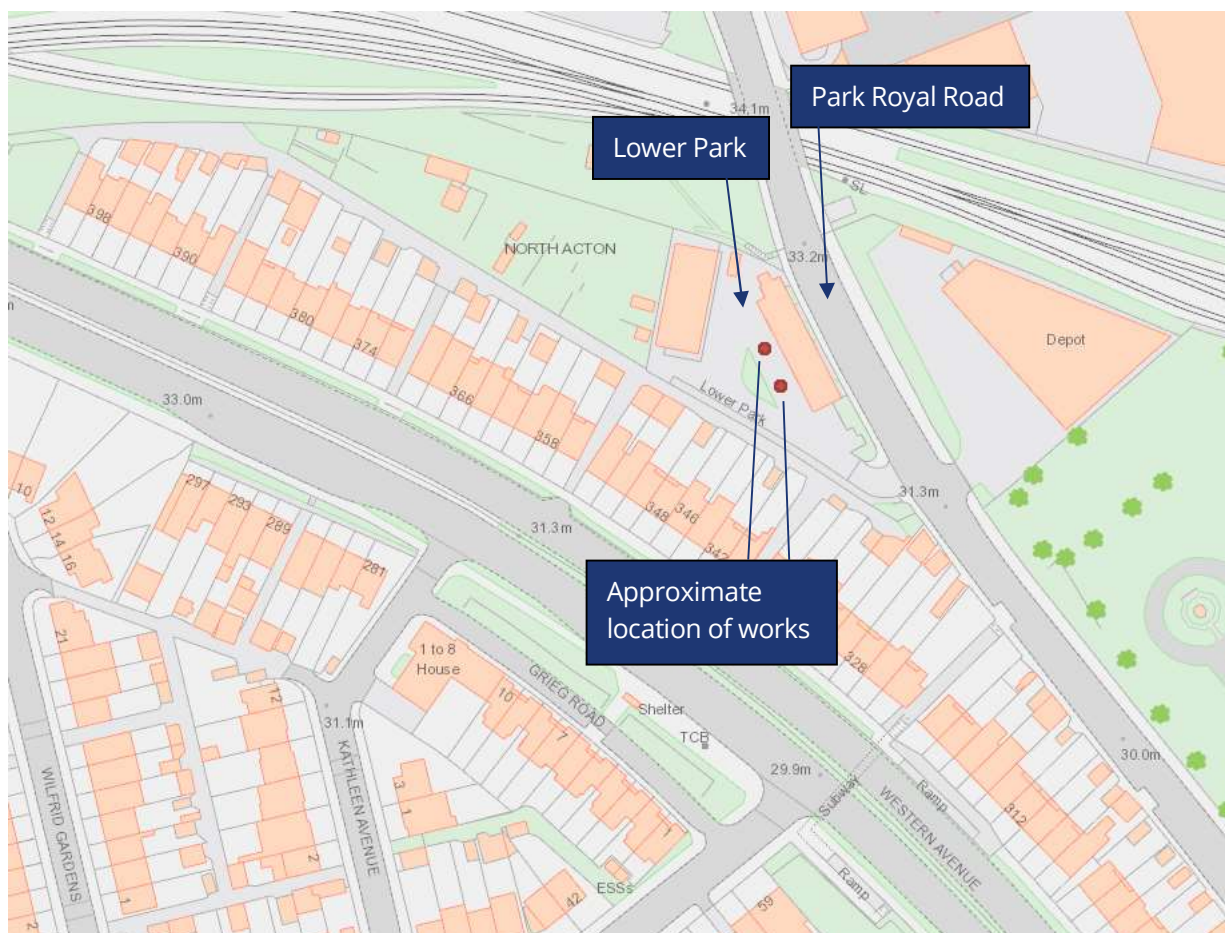
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[www.hs2.org.uk](http://www.hs2.org.uk)

Location of ground investigations within Lower Park



## 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/](http://www.hs2.org.uk/events/)

Contact our HS2 Helpdesk team on **08081 434 434**

# What else is happening in your area?

[www.hs2.org.uk](http://www.hs2.org.uk)

## Contact our new HS2 Helpdesk team

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](mailto:hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk)

## Keep up-to-date with your local community website

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](http://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/hs2-residents-charter](http://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](http://www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-ltd-residents-commissioner)

You can contact the Commissioner at:  
[residentscommissioner@hs2.org.uk](mailto: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](mailto: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](http://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](http://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](http://www.hs2.org.uk/how-to-complain)

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Write to:

**FREEPOST**

**HS2 Community Engagement**

Website **[www.hs2.org.uk](http://www.hs2.org.uk)**

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