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# October Update: Next phases of utility works at Atlas Road Roundabout

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.

#### **Protection of utility asset works for ARLT**

We are providing protection from expected ground movement to utilities assets during the construction of the Atlas Road Logistics Tunnel (ARLT) which will convey spoil from Victoria Road to the Atlas Road compound. We will be digging temporary trenches in and around the Atlas Road Roundabout. The works will include the installation of replacement water and gas mains. We might use a vacuum excavator, which is a safer and faster way of working within road space that is heavily congested as it sucks up material to expose buried utility services without risk of damaging the cables or pipework below. This is a noisier method, and we erect acoustic barriers around the machine, however a lot of the noise would be sent vertically, when the machine is running which will reduce noise disruption. We apologise in advance for any inconvenience this might cause. Utility supplies and other services will not be affected by these works.

#### Old Oak Lane to Atlas Road Roundabout, 27 October– Mid-November 2021

These works will be carried out from 27 October, over a two week period. Work will be carried out in Old Oak Lane on the southbound carriageway. A four-way traffic light system will be in place on Victoria Road, Atlas Road, Old Oak Common Lane, and Old Oak Lane with a priority system to maintain traffic flow. Additional variable message signs (VMS) have been strategically placed to help drivers make early decisions to avoid the area.

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:** 27 October – Mid-January 2022

#### **Working hours:**

Mon to Fri 8am–6pm Sat 8am–1pm

We may be onsite for one hour either side of the hours above for start-up and shutdown

#### What to expect

Four-way traffic light management measures will be in place

Bus stops and cycle lane suspensions

Intermittent noise whilst the road surface is broken

The sites will be secured with barriers and noise reduction panels

Pedestrian access will be maintained during the works

#### What we will do

Inform you of any changes to the dates

Install screening clad with acoustic panels to reduce noise.

Call our HS2 Helpdesk team on U8U81 434 434

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#### Atlas Road, Mid November - Mid January 2022

These works will commence from the end of October for a period of two months in the westbound carriageway. Four-way traffic lights will remain in place to maintain traffic flow along Atlas Road. Additional variable message signs (VMS) have been strategically placed to help drivers make early decisions to avoid the area.

### Location of works at Atlas Road Roundabout, 27 October 2021 – Mid January 2022



Please be aware the dates of works are indicative and may change as the works progress. We will continue to notify you of further works in the area in advance.

#### **Bus stop Suspensions**

During these works, bus stops will be suspended northbound on Old Oak Lane and southbound on Victoria Road. Where possible we will relocate suspended bus stops to a new temporary location close by, however it is not always possible due to the distance between stops and other highway restrictions.

#### Virtual drop-in events in 2021

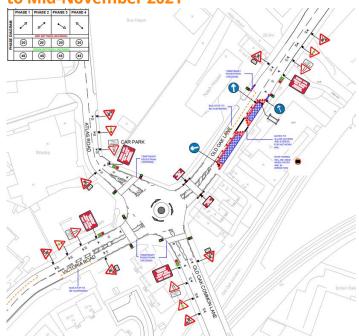
If you have any questions about these works, please join us during our next virtual drop-in. Further information on how to register will be sent to residents closer to the time. More information can be found at www.hs2inoldoak.co.uk

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Old Oak Lane to Atlas Road Roundabout Traffic Management Plan, 27 October to Mid-November 2021



Atlas Road Traffic Management Plan, Mid-November to Mid-January 2022



### **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** 



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Write to:

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**HS2 Community Engagement** 

Website www.hs2.org.uk

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