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Installation of pedestrian crossing beacons on Channel Gate 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.

Installation of pedestrian crossing beacons

We will be installing four crossing beacons on the pedestrian crossing on Channel Gate Road. The beacons will improve the visibility of the crossing to both pedestrians and approaching vehicles.

These works will be carried out from the 8 December to 22 December 2021 between the hours of 8am to 6pm Monday to Friday and 8am to 1pm on Saturday if required.

What to expect

During these works we will need to create foundations for the beacons. This will be done by cutting and breaking the concrete at four points on the crossing using power tools. The remaining excavation will be completed via hand tools. Once the excavation has been completed we will install the light beacons and reinstall the foundations around them.

During these works where possible, acoustics barriers will be in place to minimise the level of noise to neighbouring residents. We will also continue to monitor our working methods to ensure that any disruption to local residents is reduced as much as possible.

A map showing the approximate location of the works is included on the following page.

The beacons will be similar to the ones on the pedestrian crossing on Old Oak Lane nearby The Fishermans Arms.

Dates mentioned in this notification may change due to unforeseen circumstances. We will continue to provide updates about our works at **HS2.org.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

Notification



Duration of works

8 December 2021 to 22 December 2021

Working Hours

8am to 6pm Monday to Friday

8am to 1pm Saturdays if required

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

What to expect

The use of power and handheld tools

Breaking and resurfacing of tarmac

You may notice some additional noise during these works

What we will do

Use acoustic barriers where possible

Monitor our working method to ensure any disruption is kept to a minimum

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Notification

www.hs2.org.uk

Location of installation of beacons on Channel Gate Road



Vehicle speed on Channel Gate Road

We will shortly begin the use of speed guns on Channel Gate Road to monitor the speed of vehicles driving along the road. We are currently training our staff to ensure that the devices are used in the correct manner to ensure that accurate date is begin recorded. The speed guns will help us monitor the speed of vehicles down Channel Gate Road making it safer for pedestrians and the local community.

Update: brightness of lighting on the Channel Gate Road fencing

We are looking at options to reduce the brightness of the lighting on the fencing on Channel Gate Road following feedback from residents at our online update meeting on 16 November. We'll provide an update about this as soon as possible.

What else is happening in your area?

www.hs2.org.uk

Contact our 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

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.

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

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(a) Email hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk

Write to:

FREEPOST

HS2 Community Engagement

Website www.hs2.org.uk

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