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# HS2

## Extended notice of layby closure on A452 Kenilworth Road

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High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain. Early works for HS2 are carried out by LM – a joint venture between Laing O'Rourke and J. Murphy & Sons.

### There will be a temporary layby closure

Following LM's recent work on A452 Kenilworth Road, we need to return to the same area for further roadside vegetation clearance. To ensure safe access to our worksite, we will temporarily be closing a layby on the A452 Kenilworth Road southbound on **Thursday 11 November and Friday 12 November** between **8:00am and 6:00pm (2 days)**.

Our teams will be on site one hour before and one hour after the works to set up and secure the site at the end of each day.

Access to properties and businesses will be maintained. Please see the map overleaf for more information.

### HS2 and the COVID-19 outbreak

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 COVID-19 strategy makes clear that construction activity can continue as long as it complies with this guidance.

The health and safety of our workforce and the communities we affect is our key priority. Please be assured that those sites that are currently still working are doing so because they can operate within PHE and construction industry guidelines.

**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

Southbound layby closure on Thursday 11 November and Friday 12 November between 8:00am and 6:00pm.

Please note that all of the times in this notification are subject to change.

#### What we will do

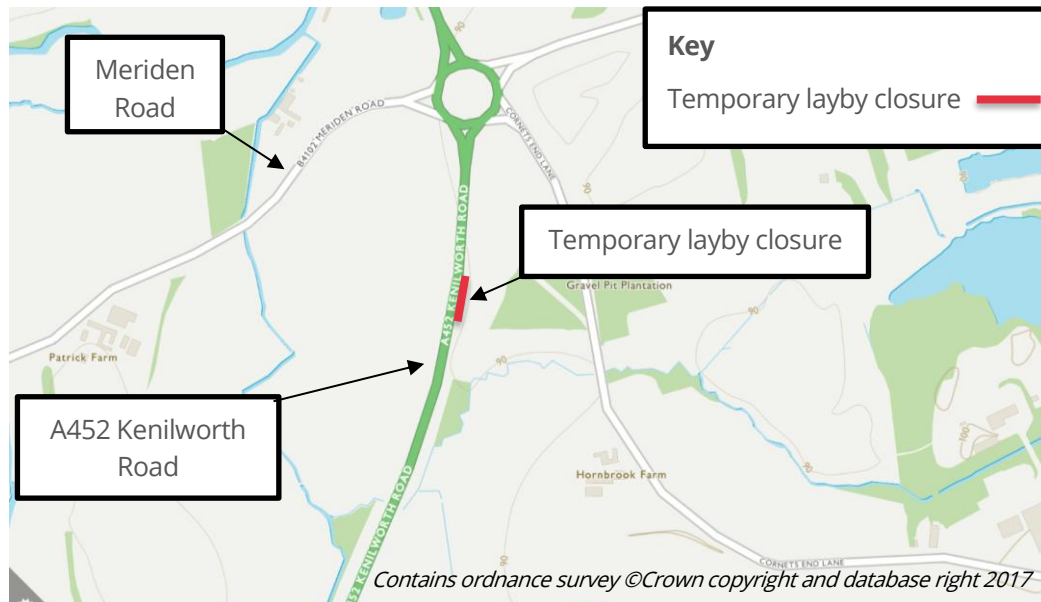
Keep all sites safe and secure, while keeping disruption to a minimum.

Ensure all traffic management is clearly signed.

Sign up for regular updates at [hs2insolihull.co.uk](http://hs2insolihull.co.uk)

## Location of temporary layby closure

The map below outlines the temporary southbound layby closure on the A452 Kenilworth Road on **Thursday 11 November** and **Friday 12 November** between **8:00am** and **6:00pm** (2 days).



This schedule is subject to change depending on site and weather conditions, gaining the appropriate consents. We'll keep you informed of any adjustments at: [www.hs2insolihull.co.uk](http://www.hs2insolihull.co.uk)



## Responding to the coronavirus pandemic

Following UK government advice to stop non-essential social contact and avoid unnecessary travel during the coronavirus pandemic, **we have taken the decision to postpone our public engagements and events**. We are looking at alternative ways of communicating with you over the coming months as our works continue.

The HS2 Helpdesk remains operational all day, every day, if you need advice or information from HS2. You can contact the Helpdesk on:

Freephone: **08081 434 434**

Minicom: **08081 456 472**

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



## About our 'HS2 in Solihull' website

The planning and construction of HS2 is a huge operation – it is currently the largest infrastructure project in Europe.

It's important to us that you are kept up to date about the progress of the project and any work that may impact you or your community. We have a series of community-focused websites where you can find out what is happening in your local area and sign up for updates about our activities.

**Our dedicated website for the Solihull area is available at:**  
**[hs2insolihull.co.uk](http://hs2insolihull.co.uk)**

At this website, you can also sign up to receive regular news alerts of work happening in your area and see the list of upcoming events offering you the opportunity to meet with HS2.





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# 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)

## Contact Us

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 Freephone **08081 434 434**

 Minicom **08081 456 472**

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

Write to:

**FREEPOST**

**HS2 Community Engagement**

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

To keep up to date with what is happening in your local area, visit:  
**[www.hs2insolihull.co.uk](http://www.hs2insolihull.co.uk)**

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<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/high-speed-two-ltd-privacy-notice>

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