

Notice of utility works update - Calvert

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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. Further to the Covid-19 restrictions being relaxed we are now beginning to plan for future face-to-face engagement events and meetings. Whilst we continue to move forward, we will continue to communicate with communities via letters, online meetings and phone calls. You can sign up for regular updates in your local area at www.hs2.org.uk/in-your-area

What are we doing?

Further to our last community notification in September 2021, we are writing to give you an update on the utility diversion works at Calvert Road and Brackley Lane, Calvert.

Our phase 3a works on Calvert Road are approaching completion with the closure of Calvert Road being removed on Tuesday 9 November. Thank you for your understanding during these works. We will have some final works to undertake in this area later in the programme – this will require traffic light control to complete. The phase 2 programme of drilling works has taken longer than expected due to a combination of wet weather and ground conditions. The remaining drilling works are programmed to be completed in December 2021.

Phase 3b and 3c: Road closure of Brackley Lane 10 November to 21 December 2021

As communicated in September we will shortly begin our next phase of works on Brackley Lane. This is where we will divert the existing underground services using an open trench method using temporary support to the trenches. The work will be completed in two phases, 3b & 3c, excavating, reinstating and completing phase 3b before moving to the phase 3c work 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

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Duration of works

Phase 3b and 3c Brackley Lane road closure

10 November to 21 December 2021

Road Closure working hours:

Monday to Friday
8am – 6pm

Weekend working hours

8am to 6pm Saturday and
9am to 4pm Sunday

What to expect

Extended working hours

Our contractors may be on site for one hour's start-up and shut down either side of these works

What we will do

Manage any environmental impacts, such as traffic and noise

Respond promptly to any complaints and take appropriate action

Take care to respect your community

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Continuation of Phase 3b and 3c: Road closure of Brackley Lane 10 November to 21 December 2021

To undertake these works safely we will need to close Brackley Lane. To maintain access for residents we will close the road in two phases (3b and 3c). The northern section (Brackley Lane junction of Werner Terrace) will be carried out first (3b) and then we will move to the southern section of Brackley Lane (3c).

The public bus stops on Brackley Lane will be suspended whilst Brackley Lane is closed and will be diverted throughout Phase 3b and Phase 3c. Where the works cross over the frontage of a resident's driveway, phase 3b and phase 3c access will be restricted during working hours. We will provide access at the start and the end of the shift and speak directly to those affected.

To reduce the delay to the programme we have gained consent from the Local Authority to extend our weekend working hours to complete the trenching works along Brackley Lane. Benefits of extended working will reduce the period of road closure disruption and is estimated to allow the works to be completed earlier than the 21 December subject to ground conditions and weather. Works will be closely controlled to limit noise. Beyond 1pm on a Saturday construction activities will not include the use of road breakers, road saws or large volumes of road traffic (including no deliveries).

Our new weekend working hours will be:

Saturday 8am – 6pm

Sunday 9am – 4pm

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Phase 3b Road closure of Brackley Lane



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Phase 3c Road closure of Brackley Lane



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What else is happening in your area?

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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/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

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HS2 Community Engagement

Website **www.hs2.org.uk**

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