

## Notice of off-peak traffic measures along the M42 and A446 from March to May 2022

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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.

#### We're preparing for the future railway construction

As part of our preparation works for the future construction of the HS2 Interchange Station and railway route we are carrying out roadside landscaping and construction activities along carriageways in the area. To ensure safe access to our work sites to carry out these activities, we will install traffic measures when necessary.

#### **Overnight M42 hard shoulder closure in March**

We'll install a temporary overnight hard shoulder closure along a short section of the M42 northbound, leading into a lane closure on the M42 J7 and M6 link road, from **10pm on Wednesday 2 March to 6am on Thursday 3 March** (see map on page 2). Clear signage will be placed along the route to assist road users.

#### Off-peak A446 lane closure from March to May

We'll install a temporary off-peak single lane closure along a short section of the A446 southbound from **Tuesday 1 March to Tuesday 31 May**, between **9.30am and 3.30pm**, Monday to Friday (see map on page 3). This lane closure will not be in place every day during this period, but instead will be installed when required by our programme to avoid overburdening the road network.

The A446 southbound single lane closure will not be installed from 6am on Thursday 14 April to 9.30am on Tuesday 19 April, and Monday 2 May, to ease traffic flow during the public holidays.

#### **Keeping you informed**

This schedule is subject to change depending on site and weather conditions, obtaining the relevant consents and evolving measures to combat coronavirus. We'll keep you informed of any adjustments at: www.hs2insolihull.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

### **Notification**



#### **Duration of works**

Overnight hard shoulder closure along the M42 northbound in March.

Off-peak lane closure along the A446 southbound from March to May.

#### What to expect

This work is subject to change.

Our contractors may be on site up to an hour before and after these times to set up and close down the site

#### What we will do

Keep all sites safe and secure.

Leave the area in a tidy state when works are complete.

Maintain access to all buildings and businesses in the area.

Install clear directional signage for road users.

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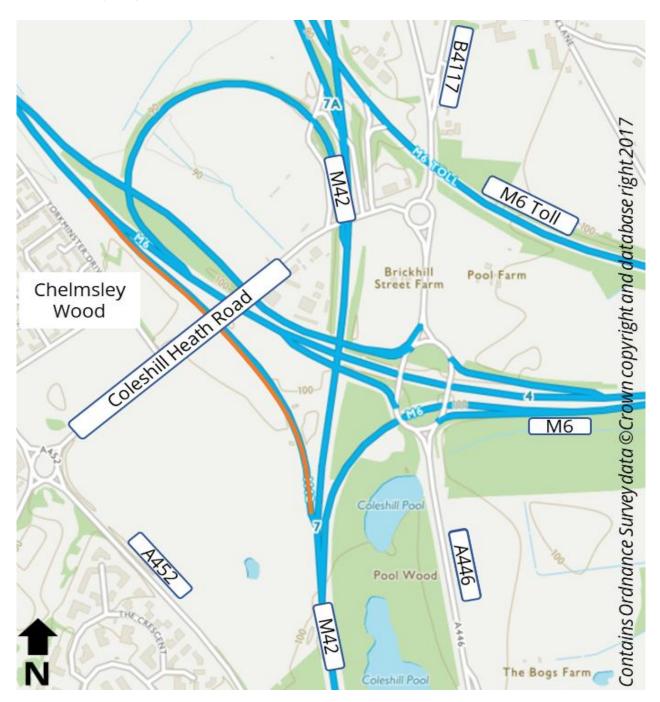
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#### Location of overnight M42 hard shoulder closure in March

The map below outlines the location of a temporary overnight hard shoulder closure along a short section of the M42 northbound, leading into a lane closure on the M42 J7 and M6 link road, from 10pm on Wednesday 2 March to 6am on Thursday 3 March.

#### Key:

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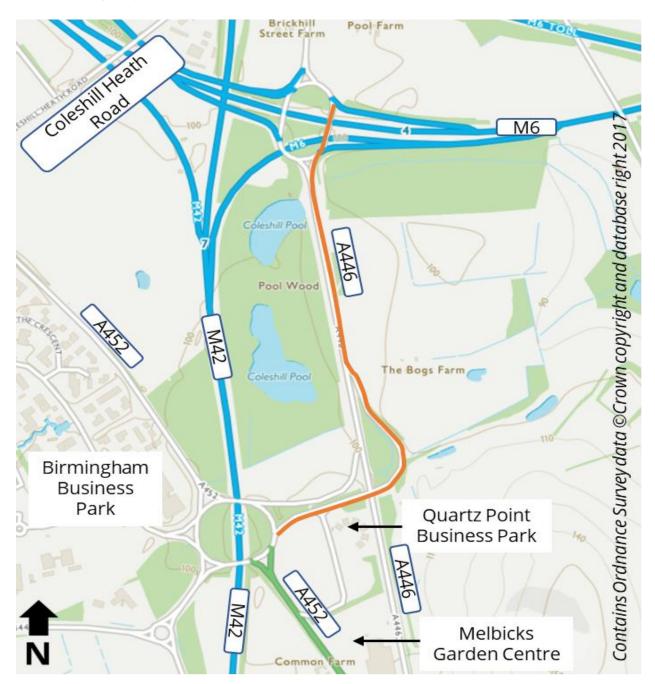


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## **Keeping you informed**

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

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

#### **Contact Us**

Contact our HS2 Helpdesk team all day, every day of the year on:

Treephone **08081 434 434** 

Minicom 08081 456 472

@ Email hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk

Write to:

FREEPOST
HS2 Community Engagement

Website www.hs2.org.uk

To keep up to date with what is happening in your local area, visit: www.hs2insolihull.co.uk

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