

## Notice of utility diversion works near Common Lane, south of King's Bromley

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High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain. To allow for the construction of the new railway and to continue to ensure a safe and reliable gas supply, Cadent is moving an underground gas pipeline near Common Lane, south of King's Bromley. We expect all work to be completed by September 2022.

Since February, Cadent has been carrying out some preparation activities on land south of Common Lane. Cadent will be starting main work to move the pipeline on 19 April 2022.

#### What are we doing?

Cadent will be using the temporary works compound and site access we have created off Common Lane, south of King's Bromley, to carry out the diversion. Work will involve:

- Digging a trench for the new pipeline off Common Lane
- Welding the pipe together then installing it in the trench
- Connecting and testing the new pipe

Construction vehicles will be travelling up the A515 and on to Common Lane to reach our working area. They will not be travelling through King's Bromley.

There will be 24-hour security on site so we can maintain a safe working environment. Please note, there will be no on-site lodging.

#### How will this affect you?

So that construction vehicles can enter and exit the site safely, Common Lane will only be accessible to residents and not to through-traffic. Signage will be installed at the roadside to make people aware.

Standard construction vehicles and equipment will be used, and all work will take place inside usual working hours. There will not be any disruption to your utilities during the work. We will keep people updated as work progresses.

#### COVID-19

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 helpdesk on 08081 434 434 or email HS2enquiries@hs2.org.uk

#### Notification



#### **Duration**

- April 2022 until September 2022
- Our working hours will be 8am to 6pm (Mon-Fri) and 8.00am to 1.00pm (Saturdays)
- We will be on-site one hour either side of these times for set-up and close-down

#### What to expect

- Vehicles accessing the site from Common Lane, which will be residential access only
- No construction traffic travelling along Crawley Lane or through King's Bromley

#### What we will do

- Maintain a safe and secure working environment
- Inform people in advance of any changes

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#### **Location of Cadent pipeline diversion works**



# 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**

Two funds are now open for applications from local communities and businesses affected by the construction of HS2. They are the Community and Environment Fund (CEF) and the Business and Local Economy Fund (BLEF). £5 million has been allocated to the funds for phase 2a of the railway.

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-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 via the helpline. For more details on our complaints process, please visit our website: www.hs2.org.uk/how-to-complain

#### **Contact Us**

If you have any questions about this notification of works, please get in touch.



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