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# Update on construction at South Ruislip ventilation shaft site

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High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain.

We are following Government and Public Health England (PHE) advice on working safely during the pandemic. As we increase face to face engagement, in addition to virtual engagement, we will ensure all events and meetings adhere to the guidelines. The health and safety of our workforce and the communities we work within is our priority. If you have any questions about this, please contact our Helpdesk to find out more

You can sign up for regular updates in your local area at hs2inhillingdon.co.uk.

#### What we are doing

We wrote to you in January 2022, to update you on the construction of the ventilation shaft at South Ruislip.

From 4 April to 10 June 2022, we will be installing sheet piling, bored piling and capping beams as part of our work to reinforce the vent shafts and create the foundations for the headhouse.

Sheet piling will be installed between 8am and 6pm Monday to Friday.

The bored piling and capping beam work will occur 24 hours a day, Monday to Friday and 8am to 8pm Saturdays.

From 11 April to 23 May 2022 we will be demobilising the large cranes and excavators. You may notice these abnormal loads being removed from site during early mornings and late at night to avoid congestion on local roads.

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

## Duration of works From 4 April to 10 June 2022

Monday to Friday 24 hours a day and Saturday 8am to 8pm

#### What we will do

Sheet piling, piling and concrete install.

Abnormal loads will be entering and leaving site.

Noise and vibration monitored regularly

Provide updates at www.HS2inHillingdon.co.u k

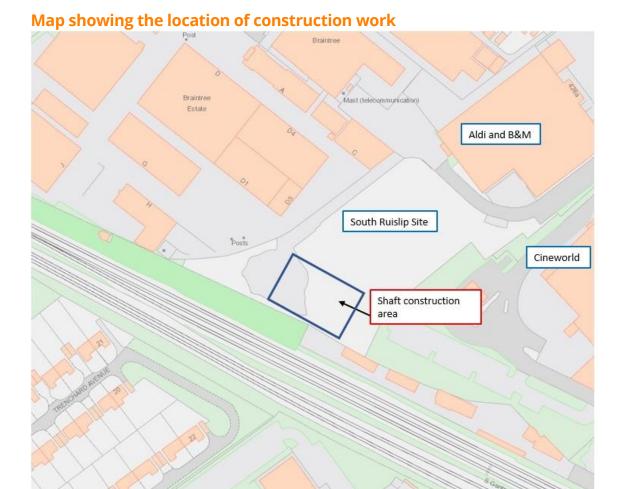
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#### How the work might affect you

You may experience a period of increased construction noise during this period. Noise and vibration monitoring will be in place throughout these works. We will use water sprays to reduce dust generated by construction activities.

We would like to apologise in advance for any disruption or inconvenience this may cause. Every effort is being taken to ensure that these works are carried out in the least impactful way. We will ensure that disruption is kept to a minimum.



# What else is happening in your area?

#### www.hs2.org.uk

#### Contact our new HS2 Helpdesk team

Our new Helpdesk team is based in our Head Office in Birmingham. This is so that we can provide you with the best service possible. 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



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**

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

🏗 Freephone **08081 434 434** 



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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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