

Cable install from Lidlington Place to Varndell Street

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

As we reintroduce face to face engagement, which is in addition to the ongoing virtual engagement, we will continue to follow government guidance on reducing the spread of Covid-19. The health and safety of our workforce and the communities we work within is our priority. Please contact the Helpdesk if you have any further questions relating to our response to the Covid-19 pandemic.

New cable route to be installed from Lidlington Place to Varndell Street - starting 6 June

We have been diverting utility services on and next to Hampstead Road, to clear our working area before we begin works to extend Hampstead Road bridge.

Starting in June, we will install a new cable route from Lidlington Place to Varndell Street via Granby Terrace, to replace the existing route next to Hampstead Road. We expect this work to take about 2 years to complete.

We will carry out this work in stages

- Stage 1: install the new cable pipes (ducts) within the footway and carriageway on Lidlington Place, Harrington Square, Hampstead Road, Stanhope Street and Varndell Street
- Stage 2: pull the cable through the pipes
- Stage 3: connect the cables

See next page for details of works on Lidlington Place, Harrington Square and Varndell Street we will issue updates about the traffic management for the next phases of stage 1 as works progress.

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

Stage 1: 6 June to Spring 2023

Lane and footway closure on Lidlington Place: 6 June to mid-August

Road closure on Varndell Street: 6 June to November

What to expect

Lane and footway closures on Lidlington Place, Harrington Square and Hampstead Road

Road closure on Varndell Street

Periods of increased noise as we breakout road and excavate

What we will do

Coordinate works with other contractors to reduce impact

Take measures to reduce noise including acoustic blankets

Provide update on further stages in due courses

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Stage 1: install cable ducts (6 June 2022 to Spring 2023)

We will work in two teams to install the cable route, one team will start at the northern end on Lidlington Place and one team will start at the southern end of the route on Varndell Street. We will begin works at both locations on 6 June.

We will clear any obstructions from our working area, before using an excavator and vacuum excavator to dig a trench within the footway or carriageway. We will then lay the cable ducts within the trench before filling in the hole and reinstating the road. We will hang acoustic blankets around our working area to limit noise, but there will be periods of increased noise as we breakout the road and dig the trench. We are sorry for the disruption.

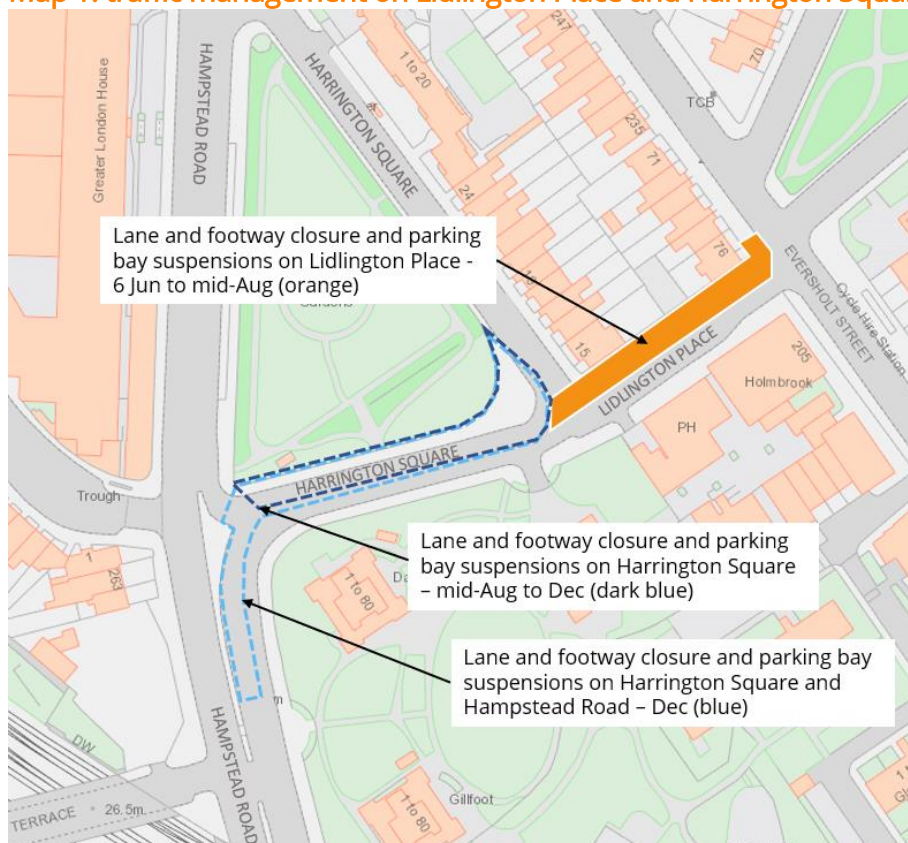
Lidlington Place

From **6 June to late August**, we will close a section of the carriageway and northern footway on **Lidlington Place** between Eversholt Street and Harrington Square. We will also suspend the cycle lane next to our working area, to make way for vehicles to pass.

We will provide a signposted pedestrian diversion and property access will be maintained at all times.

We will **then move on to Harrington Square and Hampstead Road**, as shown on the map below. We will provide more information about these phases as our works progress.

Map 1: traffic management on Lidlington Place and Harrington Square



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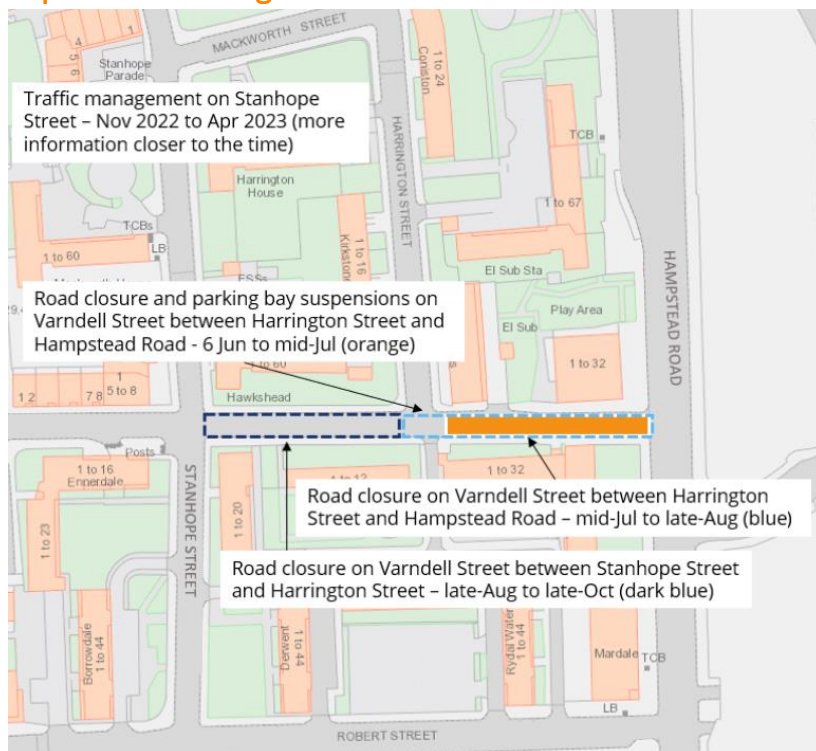
Stage 1: excavation and installation of cable ducts (6 June 2022 to Spring 2023)

Varndell Street

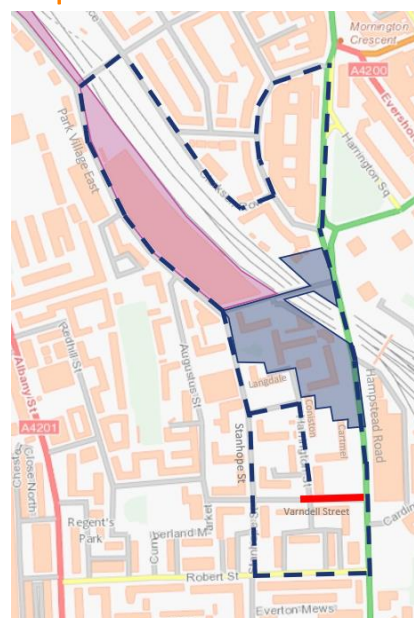
From 6 June to late-October, we will close sections of Varndell Street between Stanhope Street and Hampstead Road, to install cable ducts within the road. See Map 2 for details of the traffic phases. We will close the road and suspend parking bays. The footway will remain open and access to properties will be maintained.

Traffic will be diverted via Robert Street, or via Hampstead Road, Mornington Crescent, Mornington Place, Mornington Street, Park Village East and Stanhope Street (Map 3).

Map 2: traffic management on Varndell Street



Map 3: diversion route



Where to find us for a chat

Our engagement team host pop-up sessions **every Wednesday** to answer your questions and talk about our works. You can find us on

- **Stanhope Street** from 9am to 10am (near the Stanhope Parade shops)
- **Mornington Street bridge** from 3.30pm to 4.30pm (corner of Mornington Street bridge and Mornington Terrace)

Our team will be wearing green hi-vis vests so we're easy to spot.

This month we will also host a drop-in session at the Surma Community Centre. Drop in anytime between 3pm and 7pm to speak with a member of our team, no need to pre-register.

- **Tuesday 24 May** from 3pm to 7pm, at the Surma Community Centre, Robert Street

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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 you.

The Residents' Commissioner

The independent Residents' Commissioner oversees and monitors our commitments to you.

The commissioner's reports and our responses can be found at www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-ltd-residents-commissioner

The Residents' Commissioner makes sure we fulfil the commitments in the HS2 Community Engagement Strategy (<https://bit.ly/3oOA25j>).

The Residents' Commissioner can be contacted on: residentscommissioner@hs2.org.uk

Construction Commissioner

The independent Construction Commissioner regularly meets our Chief Executive Officer to raise any concerns or emerging trends across HS2.

The Construction Commissioner's role has been developed to monitor the way we manage and respond to construction complaints.

The commissioner mediates on disputes about construction, involving individuals and organisations, that we can't resolve. The commissioner advises members of the public about how to make a complaint about construction.

The Construction Commissioner can be contacted on: complaints@hs2-cc.org.uk

Property and compensation

You can find out about HS2 and properties along the route by visiting: www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-property

Find out if you can claim 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 the HS2 Helpdesk. For more details on our complaints process, please visit:

www.hs2.org.uk/in-your-area/contact-us/how-to-complain/

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