



Notice of Public Rights of Way closures, Culworth and Edgcote

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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. The health and safety of our workforce and the communities we work within is our priority. You can sign up for regular updates in your local area at www.hs2innorthants.co.uk.

What are we doing?

As we progress our works, we will need to close some footpaths in the areas between Culworth and Edgcote. This is to allow for our earthworks, as well as viaduct and bridge construction to commence.

In preparation for the construction of the Edgcote Viaduct, we will be closing a section of footpath AN5. Once our construction of the Edgcote Viaduct is complete, this footpath will reopen and pass under the viaduct. Due to the location of this footpath, which is close to where the viaduct piers will be constructed, a diversion route is not possible and it will be fully closed, 24 hours a day until the viaduct is complete.

We will be closing Bridleway AG10, in an area between Lower Thorpe and Edgcote. Approximately 300 metres of this bridleway intersects with our construction area where significant earthworks will soon be commencing. We have maintained access for as long as possible, but for the safety of users, this section of bridleway will be closed 24 hours a day until the AG10 bridge is completed. We will be maintaining access to a nearby bridleway, AG9, which also crosses the HS2 route. Bridleway AG9 provides users with an alternative route to travel from Culworth to Edgcote. A map of these closure areas is included on the following pages.

When will these works take place?

The footpath known as AN5 will be closed from Monday 11 July 2022 for the duration of our works and until the permanent realignments are completed in 2024.

The bridleway known as AG10 will be closed from Monday 25 July 2022 for the duration of our works and until the permanent realignments are completed in 2024.

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

Footpath AN5, near Edgcote, will be fully closed from Monday 11 July 2022.

Bridleway AG10, between Lower Thorpe and Edgcote, will be full closed from Monday 25 July 2022.

Our contractors may be on site for one hour's start-up and shutdown either side of these times.

What to expect

Closure and diversion of footpaths and bridleways, including signage and closure barriers.

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 the community.

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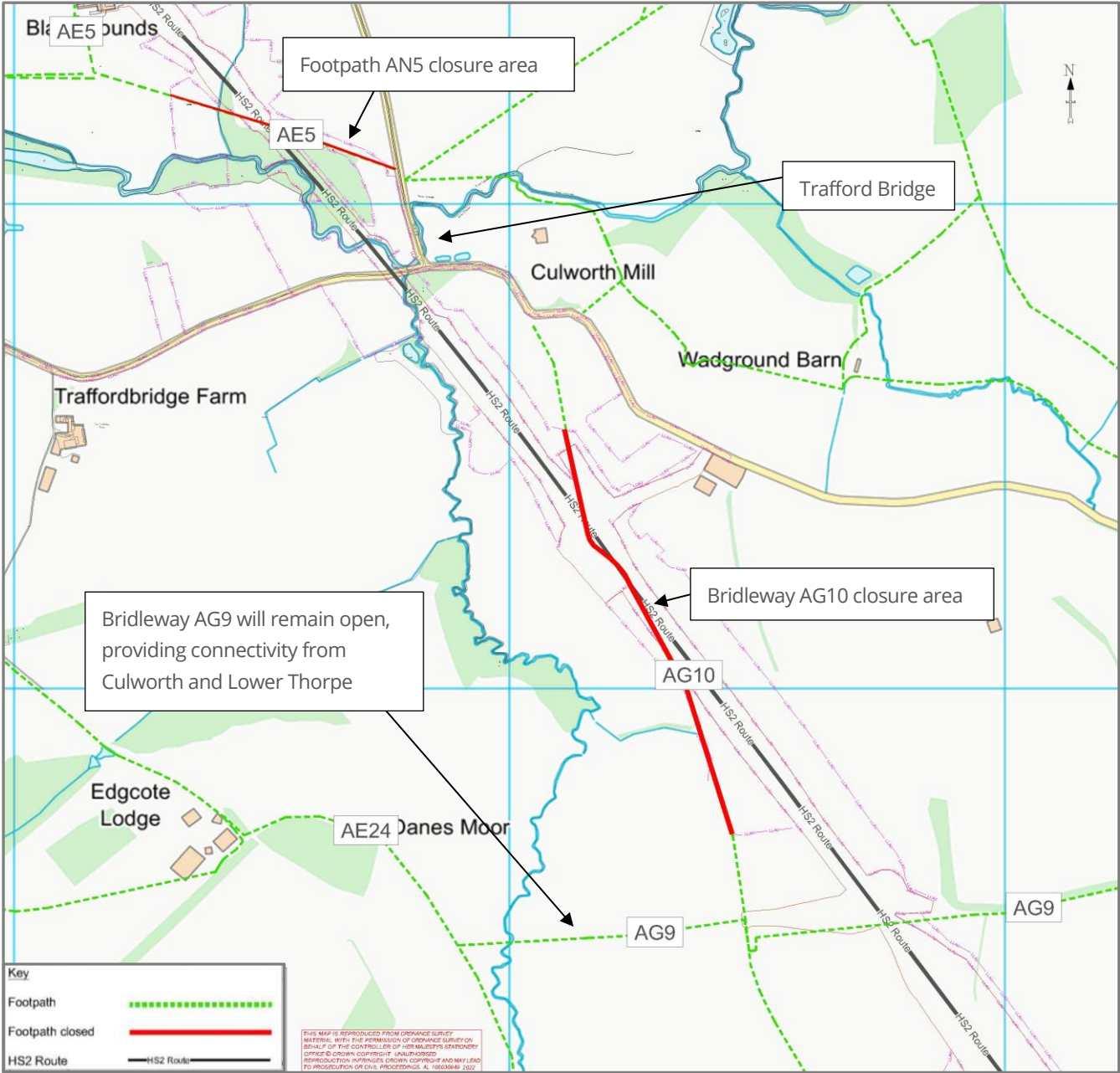
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Where will the works take place?

Footpath AN5 is located north of Trafford Bridge near Welsh Road. A section of footpath AN5 will be closed while we construct the Edgcote Viaduct. Bridleway AG10 is located between Lower Thorpe and Edgcote. A 300m section of the Bridleway is in the same location as our construction area and so it will be closed for the safety of users until the AG10 bridge is completed.

The map below shows the sections of the Public Rights of Way that will be closed.



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:

 Freephone **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.hs2inyourarea.co.uk

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