

# Warwickshire

**Summer 2022** 

3-month construction look ahead



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This forward look covers HS2 associated work in Warwickshire.

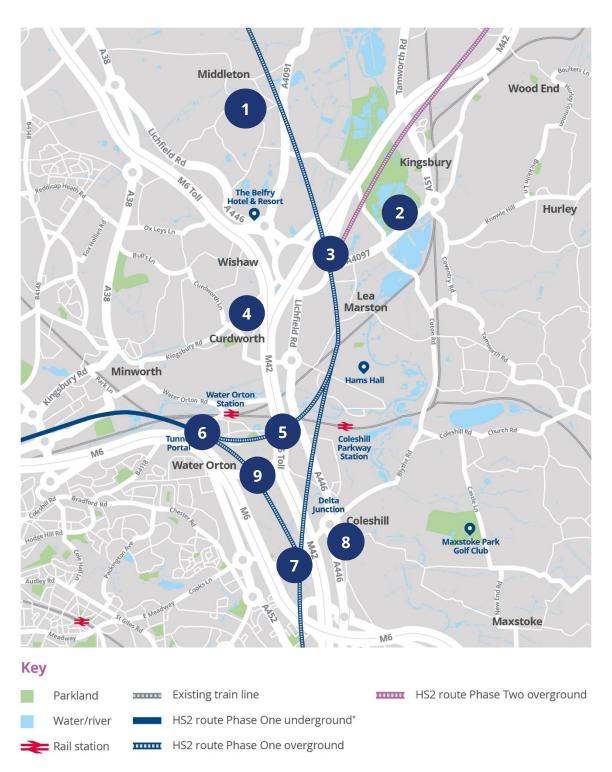
The document is a forward look of construction activities planned in the next three months.

The dates and information included in the forward look are subject to change as the programme develops. These will be updated in the next edition of the forward look.

The maps included are for illustrative purposes only.

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### Map 1 - North Warwickshire



<sup>\*</sup>Final plans for tunnel being developed.

Location of works	Proposed duration	Description of works
Location 1	Ongoing throughout 2022	To enable us to progress earthworks in your area, our working hours for this work will be extended until Friday 30 September.  From Monday to Friday, our working hours will be from 7.00 am to 8.00 pm and 7.00 am to 4.00 pm on Saturdays. All other works in the area are subject to our core working hours unless stated otherwise.  • Establishing a worksite, including setting up a site compound, creating accesses, and constructing internal haul roads  • Archaeological investigation work on land just off Church Lane in Middleton will continue into summer  • We will continue with corridor preparation works, such as vegetation clearance.
Location 2	Ongoing until	Construction of a main compound off Kingsbury Road,
	end of Summer 2022	<ul> <li>including car parking, offices, and welfare units that will be used by staff during construction. We will:         <ul> <li>Install lane closures along Kingsbury Road to allow us to divert and protect utility pipes and commence construction of a roundabout which will be the permanent access to the compound</li> <li>Complete surveys, drainage works, internal access roads and utility works</li> <li>Install telecommunications and utilities connections</li> <li>Divert / close footpaths / bridleways that are located in our working area.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Location 3	Ongoing throughout 2022	<ul> <li>Undertake ground investigations and ecology surveys on and around Marston Lane</li> <li>Works on a section of the Marston Lane overbridge to stabilise it for our future construction activity</li> </ul>

		<ul> <li>Erection of two tower cranes, which we will use to construct the bridge that will cross the M42 motorway</li> <li>We will be undertaking further corridor preparation works, such as vegetation clearance.</li> </ul>
Location 4	Summer 2022	<ul> <li>Construction of a haul road between the A4097 Kingsbury Road and Faraday Avenue</li> <li>Creation of an access point for the haul road at Hams Lane</li> <li>Piling works to the north of the existing railway for the Curdworth Box to commence in June</li> <li>Commence construction of Curdworth Cutting using access off the A4097 Kingsbury Road</li> <li>Utility and earthworks to the south of the railway.</li> </ul>
Location 5	Ongoing throughout 2022	<ul> <li>Installing utilities</li> <li>Earthworks movements will continue to and from the site</li> <li>Construction of Bentonite (clay) plant</li> <li>Temporary welfare facilities and office space will be constructed throughout Autumn.</li> <li>Watton Lane compound:         <ul> <li>Development of the compound infrastructure including welfare facilities, office space, and storage</li> <li>Subject to consent, survey works to be complete on the A446 near Watton Lane. Overnight closures are to be in place throughout these works</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

		<ul> <li>Works to begin in areas to the east of the A446, north of Gorsey Lane. Increase in movements on small areas of Gorsey Lane to access works site</li> <li>Demolition of Watton House and building for the Old Salt Stallions Rugby Club.</li> </ul>
Location 6	Ongoing throughout 2022	<ul> <li>Continued creation of welfare facilities including completion of site entrance construction and footbridge for the construction team over the B4118</li> <li>The creation of internal haul roads will continue. This will link M6/M42 access point to the compound for use from Autumn</li> <li>The diaphragm wall construction for the Bromford Tunnel East Portal will continue throughout 2022</li> <li>Assembly of the slurry treatment plant to begin once foundations are in place</li> <li>Construction of a compound to begin near Attleboro Lane. The compound will include two single-story buildings for offices and welfare facilities, a car park will also be on site. The works will include earthworks, tarmacking, concreting, and lifting operations</li> <li>Works to create the Water Orton cutting will continue throughout 2022.</li> </ul>
Location 7	Ongoing throughout 2022	<ul> <li>Complete work to set up a compound to the south of the B4114. Initially, this will include the construction of haul roads and earthworks, followed by the creation of the compound area</li> <li>Widening of existing construction access and creation of new access to be completed on the B4114 Birmingham Road</li> </ul>

		<ul> <li>Ongoing archaeological investigations at Coleshill Manor and to the south of Birmingham Road during the Summer</li> <li>Deconstruction of buildings off Birmingham Road and associated traffic management throughout the Summer</li> <li>Construction of a temporary compound for test piling works off Birmingham Road.</li> </ul>
Location 8	Ongoing throughout Summer 2022	Work on land off the A446 to create a utility bridge, including some traffic management measures.
Location 9	Spring 2022 until Summer 2023	<ul> <li>Continuation of long-term single lane traffic management system on the M42/M6 link road westbound to enable our works for the M42/M6 link viaduct</li> <li>Subject to consent, some overnight closures will take place in early March and April. This will be to facilitate central reservation works. The single-lane traffic management will be in place until Summer 2023</li> </ul>
	Ongoing throughout 2022	<ul> <li>We will be undertaking further corridor preparation works, such as vegetation clearance</li> <li>We will also be completing further ecological mitigation works by creating two new ponds off Attleboro Lane and Vicarage Lane in Water Orton</li> <li>Main works pilling to commence in July 2022</li> <li>Continued creation of accesses and haul roads for the Green Lane embankment and M42 box structure works</li> <li>Works to create the pilling platforms for the Green Lane embankment to begin</li> </ul>

		<ul> <li>Set up satellite compounds for the M42 box structure and Green Lane embankment</li> <li>Ongoing archaeological work off Attleboro Lane, Water Orton.</li> </ul>
Area-wide	Ongoing throughout 2022	<ul> <li>Excavating 'trial holes'</li> <li>Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR) surveys to identify existing utilities</li> <li>Surveys to check existing ground levels</li> <li>Surveys of water bodies</li> <li>Ecology surveys</li> <li>We will also undertake general site preparation including the removal of some existing vegetation</li> <li>Archaeological surveys and ecological surveys, as well as site preparations, including the removal of some existing vegetation</li> <li>Removal of the minimum number of trees and vegetation needed to safely build the railway and prepare sites for construction</li> <li>Ongoing seasonal maintenance tasks at ecological mitigation sites.</li> </ul>

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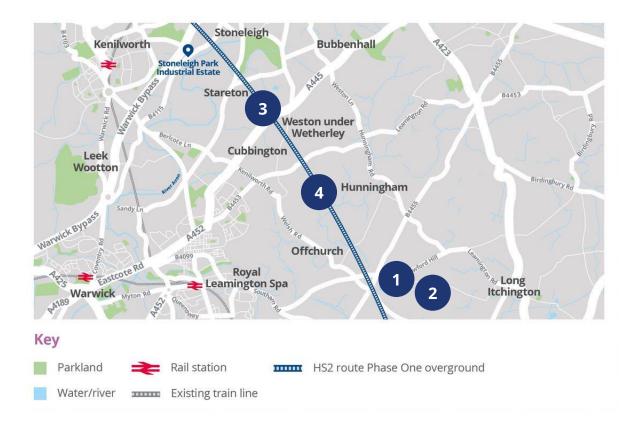
### Map 2 - Burton Green to Stoneleigh



Location of works	Proposed duration	Description of works
Locations 1, 2 & 4	Ongoing throughout 2022	<ul> <li>Use of haul route on Waste Lane</li> <li>Commissioning of Bentonite (clay) batching plant</li> <li>Utility diversion works on Cromwell Lane work include the completion of the crossing points over Waste Lane in Berkswell, as well as Hob Lane and Red Lane in Burton Green.</li> </ul>
Location 3	Ongoing until end of Summer 2022	<ul> <li>Construction of diaphragm walls to form part of the future Burton Green tunnel</li> <li>Western Power Distribution to divert 132Kv power cable</li> <li>Carry out a ground clearance in preparation for improved green space</li> <li>Key Design Element (KDE) update:         <ul> <li>https://www.hs2.org.uk/building-hs2/tunnels/green-tunnels/burton-green-tunnel/</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Location 4	Ongoing throughout 2022	Bockendon Cutting, ongoing earthworks.
Location 5	Ongoing until end of Summer 2022	<ul> <li>Construction of a haul road at Rough Knowles and Crackley Woods</li> <li>Creation of new woodlands, wetlands, and wildlife habitats as part of a 'green corridor' alongside the future railway.</li> </ul>
Location 6	Ongoing throughout 2022	<ul> <li>Archaeological investigations, ground investigation surveys, and site preparations including the removal of some existing vegetation</li> <li>Excavation and earthworks as well as the creation of a haul road and small compound.</li> </ul>

Location 7	Ongoing throughout 2022	<ul> <li>Use of a compound off the A46, including car parking areas, offices, and welfare units, which will be used by our staff during construction</li> <li>Minor works to the A46 in preparation for the box jack structure at the end of 2023/24</li> <li>B4115 - Ashow Road. Ongoing construction works of a new overbridge and some carriageway improvements.</li> </ul>
Location 8	Ongoing throughout 2022	Plant crossing across Stareton Road which will be used throughout 2022.
Area-wide	Ongoing throughout 2022	Removal of the minimum number of trees and vegetation needed to safely build the railway and prepare sites for construction.

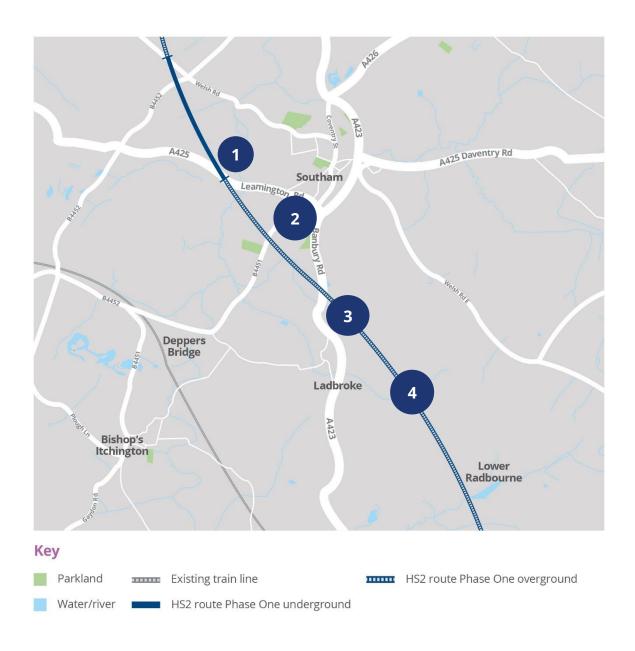
## Map 3 – Stoneleigh to Offchurch



Location of works	Proposed duration	Description of works
Location 1	Ongoing until end of Summer 2022	<ul> <li>Site preparations for future construction of the Welsh Road Underbridge</li> <li>The next phases of work will continue along the B4455 Fosse Way to finish constructing the second roundabout at the junction with Long Itchington Road. Work will also take place to complete all associated tie-in works</li> <li>Traffic management for the scheme will include temporary road closures and/or single lane traffic along local roads for utility diversions and highway improvements.</li> </ul>
Location 2	Ongoing throughout 2022	<ul> <li>Continuing work at the Northern Portal for a future tunnel under Long Itchington Wood</li> <li>The tunnel boring machine will be assembled on location, ahead of future tunnelling work later in the year.</li> </ul>
Location 3	Ongoing throughout 2022	<ul> <li>Creation of a crossing point for construction machinery and the diversion of an existing gas main by Cadent Gas</li> <li>A new diverted footpath will be available for public use to compensate for the closure of W129d and W130 over the next three years.</li> </ul>
Location 4	Ongoing throughout 2022	Earthworks for railway construction will continue.
Area-wide	Ongoing throughout 2022	Ongoing traffic management programme will be carried out in the area

• Ongoing seasonal maintenance tasks at ecological mitigation sites.

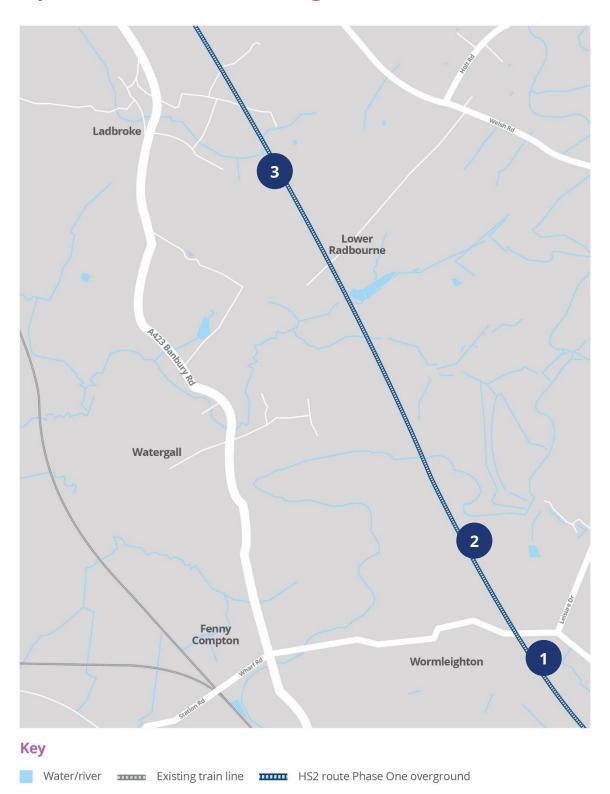
### Map 4 - Southam to Ladbroke



Location of works	Proposed duration	Description of works
Location 1 A425 Leamington Road	Ongoing until end of Summer 2022	<ul> <li>Completion of all the works at the TBM Reception Box in preparation for the TBM breakthrough and removal (base slab and headwall, temporary works, crane access, and platforms)</li> <li>Construction of the first two sections of the roof slab</li> <li>Two-way temporary traffic lights are planned to be in operation along sections of A425 Leamington Road, as shown on the location plan above, from Monday 13 June 2022 until Friday 29 July 2022, 24 hours a day, each day, including weekends. This is to allow us to carry out utility diversions</li> <li>Further works along the same stretch of the road network are planned to be carried out later this year – dates yet to be confirmed. (We are looking at dates in November). These works relate to the introduction of a new temporary diversion road which will allow the main works contractor to complete the construction of the 'cut-and-cover' section of the tunnel that will sit under the A425</li> <li>Two-way temporary traffic lights are scheduled to be in operation along sections of the A425 Leamington Road to allow our team of ecologists and specialists to carry out bat surveys. These are planned for: Wednesday, 25th May 2022 from 20:00 hrs until 00:00 hrs (midnight); Friday, 10th June 2022 from 03:00 hrs –</li> </ul>
		07:00 hrs.
Location 2 Kineton	Summer 2022	Construction of site access roads, temporary settlement ponds, and earth bunds
Road to Banbury Road		Completion of perimeter fencing installation for safety and security; and

	June to July 2022	Highway surveys to be completed to enhance the design of the overbridges. There may be a need for overnight traffic management in the area.
Location 3 A423 Banbury Road	Ongoing until end of Summer 2022	<ul> <li>Construction of an A423 Compound entry and exit junction and plant crossing area; and</li> <li>Preparation works for the construction of the A423 Banbury Road overbridge. This will include highway surveys to be completed to enhance the design of the overbridges. There may be a need for overnight traffic management in the area.</li> </ul>
Location 4 Ladbroke	Ongoing until end of Summer 2022	<ul> <li>Further excavation of the Ladbroke Cutting; and</li> <li>Re-aligned accommodation access road to Windmill Hill to be completed. This will also act as a diversion for the Harry Green Way.</li> </ul>
Area-wide	Ongoing throughout 2022	<ul> <li>Removal of the minimum number of trees and vegetation needed to safely build the railway and prepare sites for main construction work; and</li> <li>Installation of construction area boundary fencing.</li> </ul>

Map 5 - Ladbroke to Wormleighton



Location of works	Proposed duration	Description of works
Location 1 Wormleighton Road	Ongoing until end of Summer 2022	<ul> <li>Continued construction of the site access and haul road, which will reduce the traffic on nearby highways; and</li> <li>Preparation works, including piling, for the construction of the Banbury Road overbridge.</li> </ul>
Location 2 Wormleighton/ Priors Hardwick	June 2022 until Autumn 2024	PRoW diversion of SM116 in the area north of the Oxford Canal during construction.
Location 3 Radbourne/ Ladbroke	Ongoing until end of Summer 2022	<ul> <li>Further localised vegetation clearance</li> <li>Earthwork movements near Ladbroke Hill, which will include the excavation of Ladbroke cutting. This will also act as a diversion for the Harry Green Way</li> <li>Construction of a new accommodation access road at Windmill Hill; and</li> <li>Completion and demobilisation of the archaeology mitigation site.</li> </ul>

# **Our Community Commitment**

Our aspiration is to be a good neighbour every single day, by respecting the people and communities we impact and being sensitive to their needs, earning our social licence to operate.

In order to build the railway, we must earn the trust and credibility to do so. We need to demonstrate that we understand local concerns, and that we have taken all reasonable steps to address issues that have been raised, whilst continually looking to lessen the impacts of the project.

Through our Community Engagement Strategy and Residents' Charter we have identified ten Community Commitments which we will use as the basis for measuring our success, and that of our suppliers, in how we deliver the new railway.

#### We will:

- 1. Continue to build respectful, long-term relationships with communities and actively encourage our workforce to listen to local concerns and be considerate and accountable for their actions at all times.
- **2.** Work with communities to develop local two-way engagement and communication programmes, ensuring they are accessible and tailored to local needs.
- **3.** Make sure communities are made aware in advance of any activities taking place in their area.
- **4.** Operate a Freephone Community Helpline 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.
- **5.** Make health and safety a priority for communities and our workforce.
- **6.** Respect the wellbeing of communities, minimising disruption to their lives with local mitigation plans and activities, ensuring we meet the standards set out in the Code of Construction Practice.
- 7. Leave a positive and sustainable legacy for the communities in which we operate.
- **8.** Respond to questions and complaints quickly and efficiently, with an acknowledgement within two working days, and responding within a maximum of 20 working days if we cannot answer the query straight away.
- **9.** Promote awareness of all our property schemes so that anyone who may be eligible has all the information they need and is aware of the support available to them.
- **10.** Display the Residents' Commissioner and Construction Commissioner's contact details on all relevant materials, along with the HS2 Helpline information and complaints procedure.

The Code of Construction Practice forms part of the Secretary of State's Environmental Minimum Requirements for the construction of the railway from London to the West Midlands. It sets out the standards and responsibilities to protect communities and the environment during construction. A copy of the Code can be found online here: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment\_data/file/593592/Code\_of\_Construction\_Practice.pdf">www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment\_data/file/593592/Code\_of\_Construction\_Practice.pdf</a>

# **Keeping you informed**

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#### **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-residentscharter

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:

https://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

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