

## Notification



# Gas main trial hole surveys on Drummond Street

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## Gas main trial hole surveys on Drummond Street in September/ October 2022

We wrote to you in March 2022 (HS2-MW-MD-Ph1-Eu-St-S3-Site-11-28/01/2022) to let you know that we will be carrying out utilities works to the west of Euston station. As part of this, we will be carrying out gas trial hole surveys on Drummond Street in **September/ October 2022**.

This is required to ascertain the condition of the existing gas main at the point where a future new permanent gas main will be connected.

Trial hole surveys are located to the south and north side of Drummond Street and will be carried out in succession, i.e., south trial hole survey followed by north trial hole survey. It is anticipated that each trial hole survey will take approximately 1-2 weeks. Drummond Street will continue to remain open. For details on works locations and traffic management details, please turn overleaf.

**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](mailto:hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk)**

### Duration of works

September/ October 2022

### What to expect:

1 parking/ 5 loading bay suspensions on south side of Drummond Street

Noise and vibration during works surface area cutting, break out and excavation, and trial hole backfilling and compacting

### What we will do:

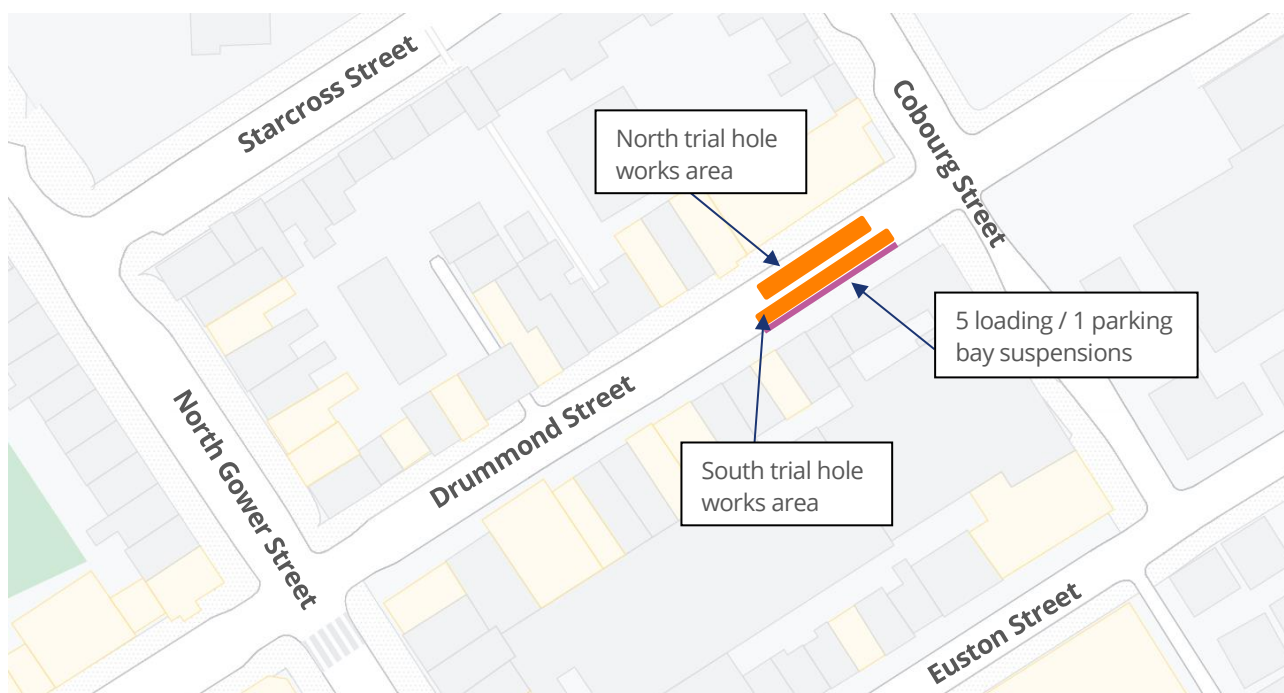
Aim to reduce noise and vibration as reasonably practicable

Keep all sites safe and secure

Will use 2.0m high Heras fence panels with acoustically absorbent blankets around immediate work areas

Dust suppression using water spray.

Call our HS2 Helpdesk team on **08081 434 434**



*Above: Map to show works location and traffic management*

**Please note, the works will be carried out in succession, i.e., south side first then north side.**

## What to expect

We recognise that construction work can be disruptive to those living or working nearby. The nature of our work often means some disturbance is unavoidable, but please be assured that every effort is made to minimise any unnecessary noise. Please note that changes to the programme may occur and if these changes are likely to cause any disturbance, we will write to you again.

### Works will include:

- Use of hand tools
- Works surface area to be cut, broken out and excavated to the required depth using petrol powered floor saw, hydraulic breaker and vacuum excavator
- Trial holes to be backfilled and compacted using a trench rammer. The surface will be reinstated and compacted using a vibratory roller.
- Localised 2m Heras fencing fitted with acoustic blankets will be utilised when the breaker and/or vacuum excavator are in use, where practicable
- Dust suppression by spraying water onto any works producing dust
- We expect our works to be noisy at times however we will work to minimise disruption wherever possible.

### Working hours

- 8am to 6pm weekdays (excluding bank holidays)
- 8am to 1pm Saturdays
- On occasions it may be necessary to work 8am to 6pm Saturday and Sundays
- We will start-up and close-down activities up to one hour before and up to one hour after normal working hours above
- Intermittent delivery of materials to site before 7am and after 7pm for materials not permitted on London roads during the day.

# 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](http://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](mailto: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](mailto: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](http://www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-property)

Find out if you can claim compensation at:

[www.gov.uk/claim-compensation-if-affected-by-hs2](http://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/](http://www.hs2.org.uk/in-your-area/contact-us/how-to-complain/)

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**HS2 Community Engagement**

Website **[www.hs2.org.uk](http://www.hs2.org.uk)**

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