

HS2

Notice of road closures, Welsh Lane and Helmdon Road, Greatworth

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?

In preparation for the construction of the Greatworth Green Tunnel, in late November, we will be installing some additional drainage pipes across Helmdon Road near Greatworth. This work will involve excavating the carriageway, installing the pipes and then restoring the road surface. For reasons of safety this section of road will be fully closed 24-hours a day until this work is complete. Some weekend working may be required in order to re-open the road as guickly as possible.

In addition to the above works, in early November we will be carrying out some vegetation removal along B4525 Welsh Lane near Greatworth. We are aware that road closures on this section of road can increase traffic within local villages. We have therefore planned these works using traffic lights to reduce local disruption.

Some future closures of the B4525 will be required for our construction activities and surveys. We will notify residents in advance and plan our traffic management, including closure signage, to reduce impacts wherever possible.

When will these works take place?

Traffic lights on a section of the B4525 Welsh Lane, from 8.00am -6.00pm Monday 7 November to Friday 18 November 2022.

A full closure 24-hours a day of Helmdon Road, Greatworth, from Monday 21 November to Sunday 27 November 2022.

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

Notification



Duration of works

B4525 Welsh Lane Monday 7 November to Friday 18 November 2022.

Helmdon Road, full 24-7 road closure

Monday 21 November to Sunday 27 November 2022.

Working hours: Monday to Friday: 8.00am - 6.00pm Saturday & Sunday: 8.00am - 6.00pm

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

What to expect

Daytime traffic lights on the B4525 Welsh Lane for 5 days.

Full road closures, 24hours a day, on Helmdon Road for 1 week.

What we will do

Manage any environmental impacts, such as traffic and noise.

Respond promptly to any complaints and take appropriate action.

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B4525 Welsh Lane traffic light area

The map below shows where the traffic lights will be located on a section of B4525 Welsh Lane, from 8.00am – 6.00pm Monday 7 November to Friday 18 November 2022. The length of the traffic light area will vary, depending on the location and progress of the vegetation removal.

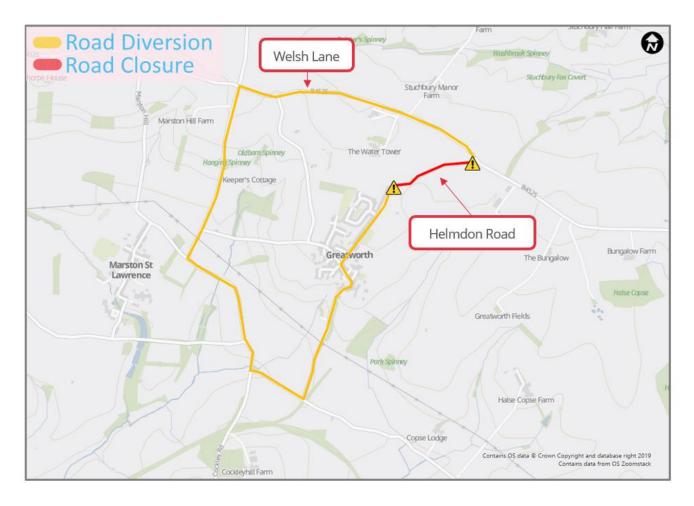


Notice of road closures near Greatworth and Thorpe Mandeville



Helmdon Road closure area and diversion map

The map below shows the closure on Helmdon Road and local diversion. This section of road will be fully closed 24-hours a day, from Monday 21 November to Sunday 27 November 2022. We will re-open the road earlier wherever possible depending on construction progress.



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:

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HS2 Community Engagement

Website www.hs2.org.uk

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