

## Notice of temporary road closures update, Mixbury

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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. If you have any questions about this, please contact our Helpdesk to find out more. You can sign up for regular updates in your local area at [www.hs2inbucksandbox.co.uk](http://www.hs2inbucksandbox.co.uk).

### What are we doing?

As part of our continued works for the new permanent realignment of Featherbed Lane and the Featherbed Lane Overbridge we will be carrying out a variety of works throughout February.

Our works will include:

- Utility works;
- The pulling through of a low voltage SSE cable;
- Construction of tie ins for the new temporary diversion of Featherbed Lane;
- Installation of a precast concrete slab to support a utility kiosk; and
- Installation of utility monitors and final onsite testing of the utilities.

For reasons of safety and due to the nature of the utility diversion works, which will include open trenches across the road, these works will require full 24-7 road closures. Access to all residential and business properties within the closure area will be maintained.

### When will these works take place?

A section of **Church Lane** will be fully closed Monday-Friday on the following dates:

- Thursday 9 February – Wednesday 15 February 2023, 24 hours a day.

The **junction of Church Lane and Featherbed Lane**, also known as Fulwell Lane, will be fully closed 24 hours a day on the following dates:

- Friday 17 February – Thursday 16 March 2023, including weekends; these works are subject to consents.

**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)**

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### Duration of works

**Church Lane** will be closed Monday-Friday from:

9 February – 15 February

**The junction of Church Lane and Featherbed Lane/Lane through Fulwell** will be fully closed:

17 February – 16 March

24-hour full road closures

### What to expect

Varied activities with both quiet and busier periods.

Road closures of Church Lane in early February.

Full 24-7 closure of the junction of Featherbed Lane with Church Lane from the middle of February.

The temporary diversion of Featherbed Lane is expected to be operational this spring 2023.

Access to all residential and business properties will be maintained.

### 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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## Where will the works take place?

The map below, shows the 24-7 closure, Monday to Friday, on Church Lane and the local diversion via the A421.



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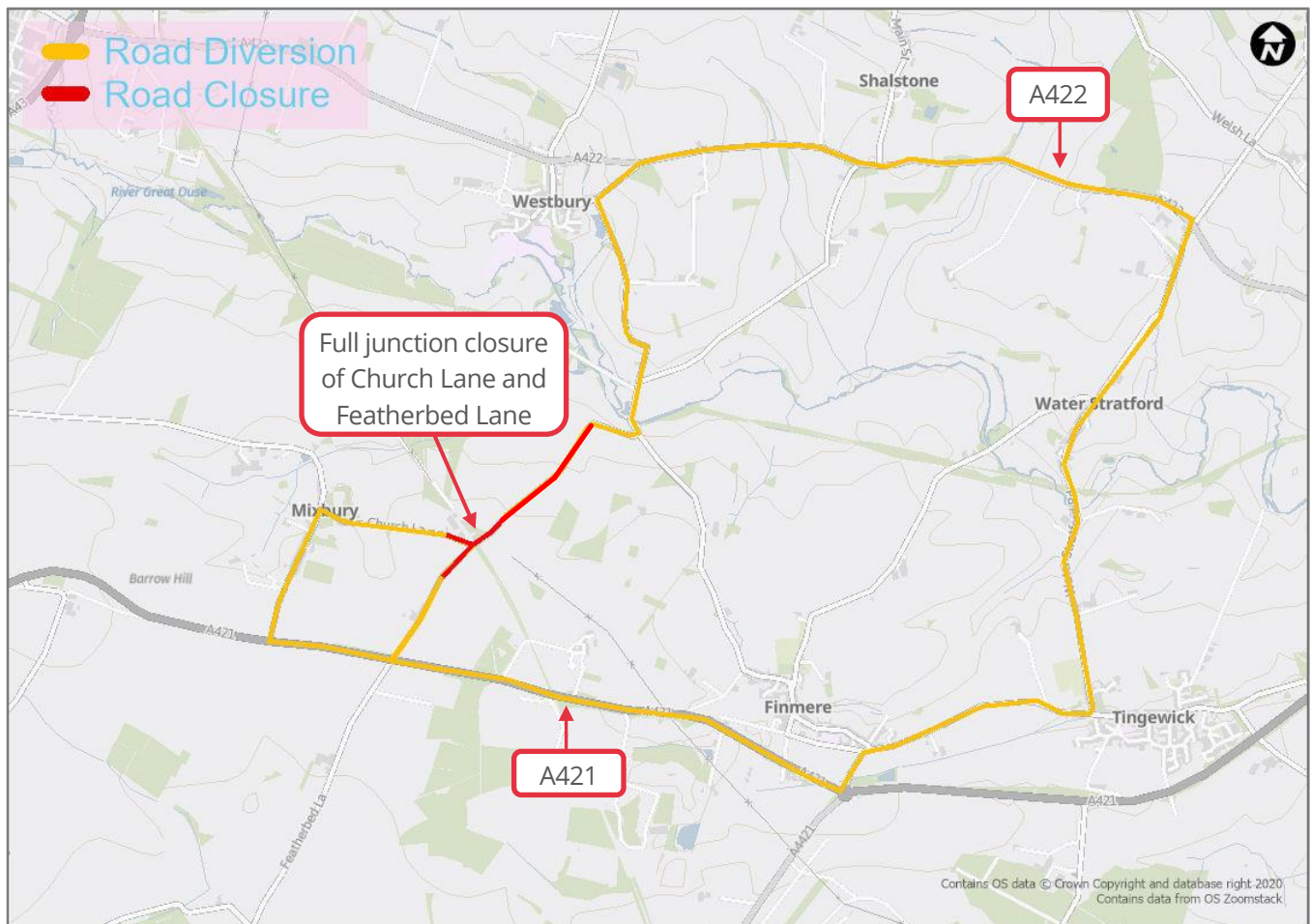
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## Where will the works take place?

The map below, shows the full 24-7 closure of the junction of Church Lane and Featherbed Lane, also known as Fulwell Lane, and the diversion via the A421 and A422.

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## What will the temporary diversion look like?

The image on the right, Figure 1, shows the location of the temporary diversion that we will be in place while we construct the new permanent realignment of Featherbed Lane and the Featherbed Lane Overbridge.

To reduce our impact on the local area, the temporary diversion will be constructed offline. Once the tie ins are completed in February, including the installation of signage and road markings, a safety audit will be completed by the Local Authority before the road is open to the public. The temporary diversion will be in place until late 2025.

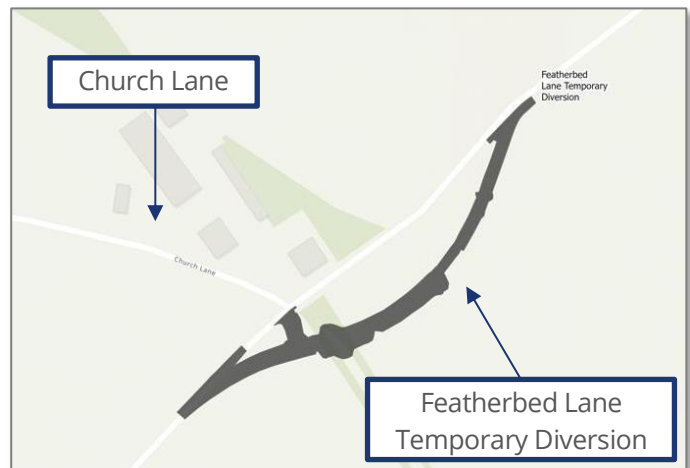


Figure 1: The image above details the location of the temporary diversion that will be in place while we build the new permanent realignment of Featherbed Lane and the Featherbed Lane Overbridge.

## What will the new permanent road realignment look like?

On the right, Figure 2 shows the road design and location of the Featherbed Overbridge and new permanent realignment.

Once the temporary diversion of Featherbed Lane is operational, we will carry out further preparatory works that will allow us to begin works on the foundations of the new overbridge later this year. The new bridge will carry traffic over the HS2 railway line.

The overbridge and permanent realignment are expected to be operational and open to traffic in late 2025.

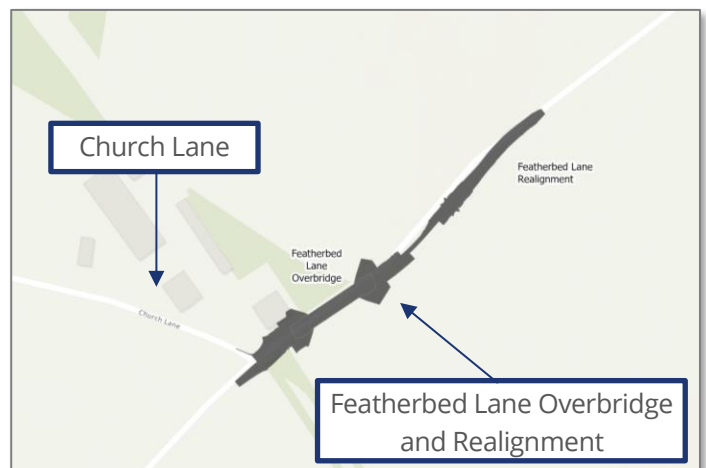


Figure 2: The image above details the location of the new permanent realignment of Featherbed Lane and the Featherbed Lane Overbridge.

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# What else is happening in your area?

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## Contact our HS2 Helpdesk team

Our team is here to listen and respond to your enquiry, complaint or feedback to help us be a good neighbour.

You can contact our Helpdesk team all day, every day of the year on:

Freephone: **08081 434 434**

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Email: [hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk](mailto:hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk)

## Keep up-to-date with your local community website

To find out more about what's happening in your area and receive regular email updates, you can sign up to our local community websites at: [www.hs2inyourarea.co.uk](http://www.hs2inyourarea.co.uk).

## About our Community and Business Funds

We are offering two funds that are available to local communities and businesses between the West Midlands and London, to help with the disruption caused by our construction work. These are the Community and Environment Fund (CEF) and the Business and Local Economy Fund (BLEF).

The CEF is designed to give communities the opportunity to share in the benefits of HS2. It is an allocated fund that communities are able to apply for, to help to support local projects that aim to improve their local area.

The BLEF is designed to support local economies that may be disrupted by the construction of HS2. BLEF grants are for local business support organisations and local authorities to help maintain business activity in local communities.

For more information about each of these funds, including how to apply, please visit: <https://www.groundwork.org.uk/hs2funds>





# 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](http://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](http://www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-ltd-residents-commissioner)

You can contact the Commissioner at:  
[residentscommissioner@hs2.org.uk](mailto: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](mailto: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](http://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](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 our HS2 Helpdesk team. For more details on our complaints process, please visit our website:  
[www.hs2.org.uk/how-to-complain](http://www.hs2.org.uk/how-to-complain)

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