



Update notice of environmental works on land off the A51, Swynnerton

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High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain. Balfour Beatty and its appointed subcontractors are working on behalf of HS2 Ltd to carry out early environmental works between Lichfield and Crewe.

What we are doing

As part of our early environmental works, we will establish critical environmental and species relocation sites creating new habitats for local wildlife before any main construction work starts.

We have been creating ecological mitigation ponds surrounded by grassland habitat creation on land off the A51 between Stab Lane and Tittensor Road. We will use the ponds to relocate any protected species, such as Great Crested Newts.

We are nearing the completion of work on this worksite, and now need to construct a permanent access track into it for maintenance and management.

In order to do this, we need to take deliveries such as concrete wagons, into and out of the site. To do this safely we need to install temporary two-way traffic lights, on the A51 between Stab Lane and Tittensor Road.

When the work take place?

We will put the traffic lights in place from **Monday 3 April to Friday 5 May 2023**, from 9am to 5pm.

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

Temporary traffic lights
Monday 3 April to
Friday 5 May 9am-5pm

(excluding weekends
and Bank Holidays)
Daytime working.

What we will do

Carry out the work in
compliance with the
Code of Construction
Practice.

Inform you in advance
of any changes to the
dates and working
times shown.

What to expect

Some low-level noise

Movement of vehicles
and plant on/off the
A51.

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lights on the A51
between Stab Lane
and Tittensor Road

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Notification

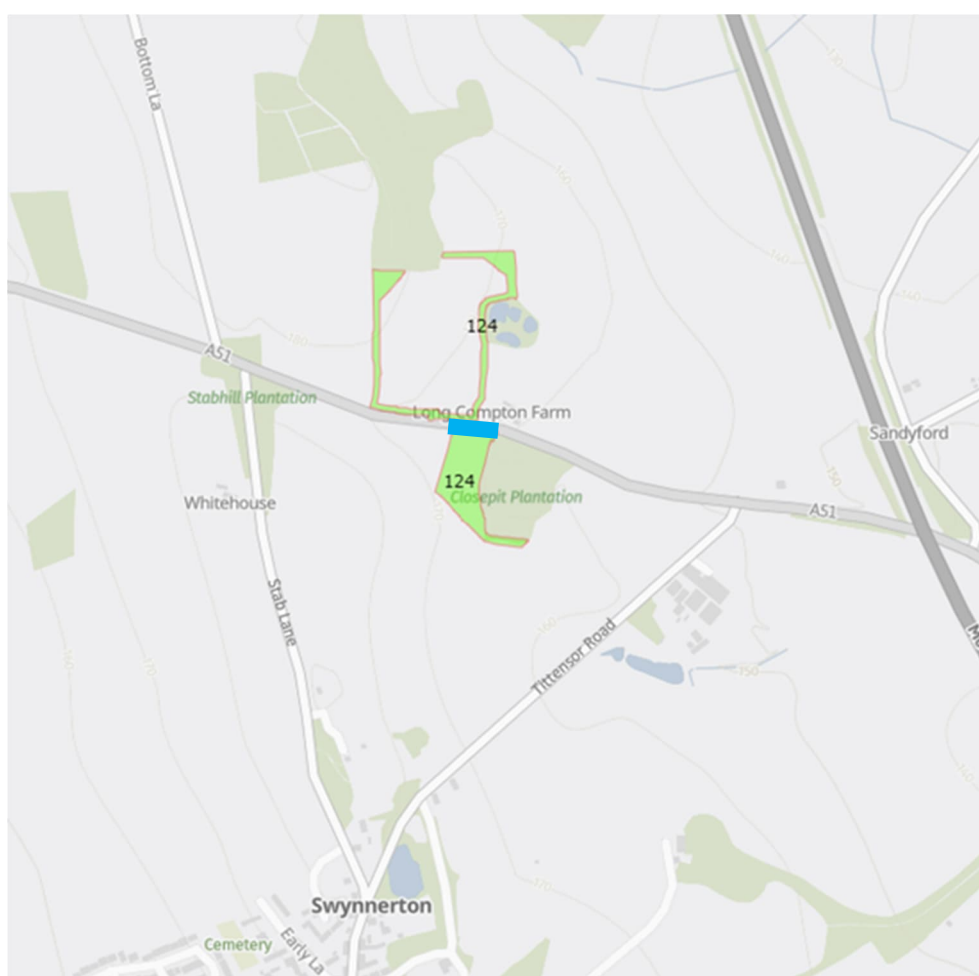


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What to expect

The equipment we use may generate some low-level noise, we will be switching off engines when not in use and working during the day to minimise disruption to local residents. We will use the current farm access to bring the machinery onto the land.

The blue shape on the map below shows where we will be installing temporary traffic lights



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

What else is happening in your area?

www.hs2.org.uk

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**

Minicom: **08081 456 472**

Email: 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.

About our Community and Business Funds

Two funds are now open for applications from local communities and businesses affected by the construction of HS2. They are the Community and Environment Fund (CEF) and the Business and Local Economy Fund (BLEF). £5 million has been allocated to the funds for phase 2a of the railway.

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 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

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

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

Property and compensation

You can find out about HS2 and properties along the route by visiting:

www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-property

Find out if you can claim 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 the HS2 Helpdesk. For more details on our complaints process, please visit: www.hs2.org.uk/in-your-area/contact-us/how-to-complain/

Contact us

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 Email **HS2enquiries@hs2.org.uk**

Write to:

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HS2 Community Engagement

Website **www.hs2.org.uk**

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