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Notice of traffic management and temporary diversion on Bacombe Lane

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What are we doing?

We need to construct a plant crossing near the bottom of Bacombe Lane to prepare for the construction and earthworks around the Green Tunnel and the temporary Bacombe Lane link road. This will allow our vehicles to cross the lane safely and ensure local traffic access is maintained.

To construct the plant crossing we will need to temporarily divert Bacombe Lane to the north-east of the existing road. As this diversion will be a single lane, we will introduce traffic lights to enable vehicles to pass the plant crossing construction area safely.

The Bacombe Lane footpath has been temporarily diverted to its original alignment whilst we continue construction in the area, this will be realigned back to the previous diversion route in due course.

When finished, the plant crossing will be operational from July and will include a traffic light system. Traffic on Bacombe Lane will be held on red lights for short durations to enable our plant and vehicles to safely cross the road.

When will these works take place?

Plant crossing construction on Bacombe Lane with two-way traffic lights and temporary diversion:

Monday 12 June – Monday 17 July 2023

Operation of Bacombe Lane plant crossing:

Monday 17 July 2023 – December 2024

These dates may be subject to change due to circumstances outside of our control and were correct at time of distribution.

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

Traffic lights and temporary diversion will be in place from 08:00 from Monday 12 June – Monday 17 July.

Plant crossing will be operational from Monday 17 July 2023 – December 2024 operational during core hours.

What to expect

Various activities around the perimeter of the A413.

Operation of temporary traffic lights.

Plant crossing in operation.

What we will do

Respond promptly to any complaints we may receive and action accordingly.

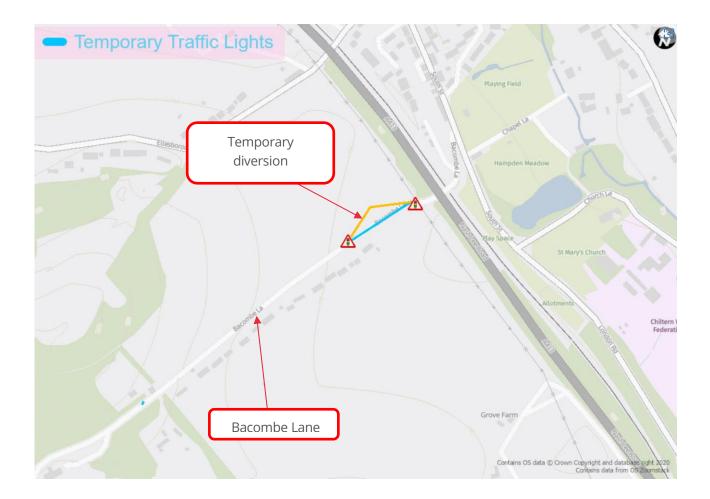
Manage any noise or traffic impacts.

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Where will the lane closure be?

The map below shows where two-way traffic lights will be installed on Bacombe Lane along with temporary diversion from Monday 12 June – Monday 17 July 2023.



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What will the Bacombe Lane diversion look like and when will it be open?

Bacombe Lane will be temporary diverted and accessed from the new Ellesborough Road alignment and the original access point from South Street and over the Wendover Bypass and rail line will be closed. There will be no through route from Ellesborough Road to South Street. Towards the end of the project Bacombe Lane will be reinstated to its original alignment with a slight deviation to take into account the Wendover Green Tunnel.

The diversion is due to be operational in late 2023.

What will the Bacombe Lane plant crossing look like?

The crossing point on Bacombe Lane will ensure local traffic are safely separated from construction traffic. By introducing this crossing, it enables us to keep plant and vehicles within the construction site and off the road network.

The crossing point will be signal controlled and to reduce disruption as much as possible, traffic lights will only be operational during our normal working hours, 8.00am to 6.00pm. They will be in use until the Bacombe Lane diversion can be completed.

The image below is indicative of what our access and haul road crossing points will look like.



Want more information?

We will be holding a drop in session at the Jefcoate Meeting Room in the Lindengate charity grounds (next to Dobbies Garden Centre) on Thursday 15 June between 3pm – 7pm.

This will be our second event in our series of 'Meet the Team' sessions where we bring specialists from our construction and community engagement teams to discuss any queries you may have about the project in your local area.

We will also be bringing our Mobile Visitor Centre to Manor Waste (outside Budgens, HP22 6EA) on Wednesday 12 July between 10am – 3pm.

Contact our HS2 Helpdesk team on 08081 434 434

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

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
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**

Minicom 08081 456 472

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Write to: FREEPOST

HS2 Community Engagement

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To keep up to date with what is happening in your local area, visit: www.hs2inyourarea.co.uk

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