



Road closure and temporary traffic lights on B485 Chesham Road, Buckinghamshire.

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High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain. This is a notification to inform you of works by UK Power Networks, which require a road closure, followed by temporary traffic lights on Chesham Road, B485, Buckinghamshire.

What are we doing?

We previously wrote to you in May informing you of the planned electrical connection works at our Chesham Road site. The works were postponed due to difficulty in locating the required cable for the connection below ground. To locate and connect these cables safely, the highway will need to be closed for excavation.

How will this affect you?

The works have now been rescheduled. There will be a full road closure on Chesham Road, B485 at its junction with Hyde Lane from:

Monday 23 October to Monday 30 October

Please follow the signed traffic diversion that will redirect motorists via the A413, B4009, A41 and A416.

Note: HS2 traffic will continue to use the approved route which is via the A413.

Following the road closure there will be a single lane closure and twoway traffic lights on Chesham Road, B485, near the junction with Hyde Lane from:

Monday 30 October to Friday 4 November

For safety reasons the traffic management set-up will remain in place throughout this time, including outside working hours, as the connection is deep underground.

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

Road closure from Monday 23 to Monday 30 October. Two way traffic lights from Monday 30 October to Friday 3 November 24/7

What to expect

Additional communication for residents from UKPN

Road closure and traffic diversion and management all day, every day. Please allow additional time for your journeys.

Operatives visible and working in the area

What we will do

Liaise with the responsible utilities contractor, UKPN to minimise impacts and ensure roads are reopened as soon as possible

Keep you updated if plans change

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Who should you contact if you have any issues with your electrical supply or the road closure?

If you have any issues with your electrical supply or want more information about these works please contact UKPN directly on: https://www.ukpowernetworks.co.uk/help-and-contact or 0800 029 4285

Location of temporary traffic lights

For the second phase of works from Monday 30 October to Friday 4 November two way temporary traffic lights will be in place on Chesham Road. Please see map below.



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** 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

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 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-ltdresidents-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-tocomplain/

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HS2 Community Engagement

Website www.hs2.org.uk

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