



Notice of road closure, Wardington Road, Edgcote, Nr Chipping Warden

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High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain. If you have any questions about these works, please contact our Helpdesk to find out more. You can sign up for regular updates in your local area at www.hs2innorthants.co.uk.

What are we doing?

A section of Wardington Road in Edgcote, which is the lane from Trafford Bridge to Wardington Village, near Chipping Warden, will be closed for approximately one month from 5 February 2024.

As part of the Edgcote Viaduct construction, a section of Wardington Road will be re-graded. This involves changing the height of the road under the viaduct. The first phase of the work will include installing crash barriers. These are required for the safety, as the road passes close to our viaduct construction area.

We will also be reinforcing some of our earthworks near Wardington Road using a support method called sheet piling. This involves driving interlocking metal sheets into the ground to create a strong retaining wall. A small increase in noise may be experienced while this work is carried out, however we are using piling methods that reduce the noise impacts wherever possible.

Construction of the Edgcote viaduct is already underway and will continue throughout 2024. We will maintain access along Wardington Road wherever possible, however further road closures will be required later in 2024. We will be in touch with further updates and details as the construction continues.

When will these works take place?

A section of Wardington Road will be fully closed 24-hours a day from, Monday 5 February to 3 March 2024.

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

Works will take place from Monday 5 February 2024 to Sunday 3 March 2024.

24-hours a day.

Normal working hours:

Mondays to Fridays

8am – 6pm

Saturdays

8am - 1pm

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

Weekend working may be required.

What to expect

Varied activities with both quiet and busier periods.

Noise from plant and equipment used for the works.

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.

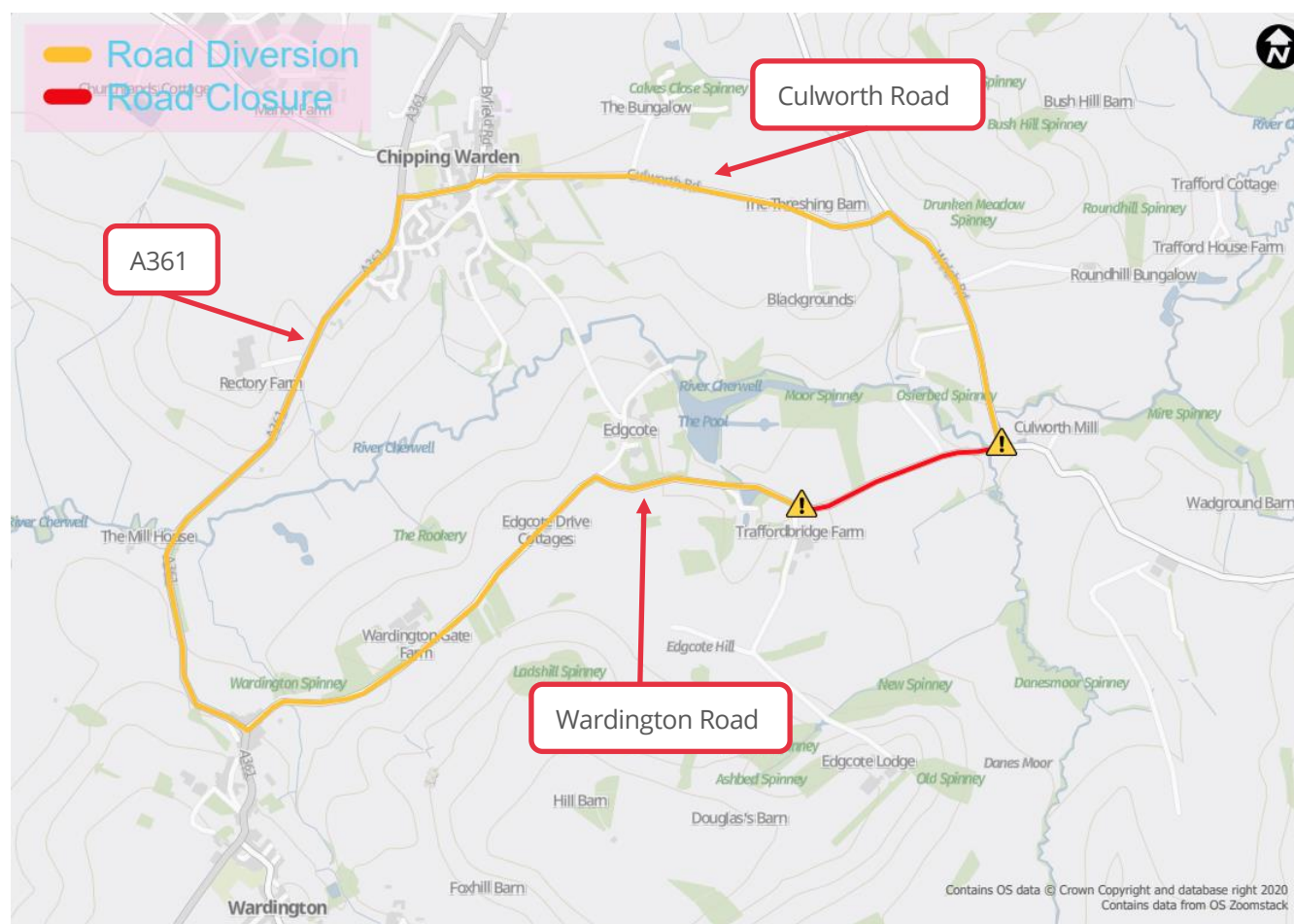
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Where will the works take place?

The map below, shows the section of Wardington Road that will be closed and local diversion.



Wardington Road and Culworth Road closures in 2024

Culworth Road and Wardington Road are two small country lanes located to the south of Chipping Warden. They are both used as local access routes to travel to other villages in the area, such as Culworth and Wardington. As well as popular cycling and horse riding routes for local residents. To avoid disruption, we will avoid closing both roads at the same time.

Further closure dates are still being confirmed and subject to local authority approval. When our plans are finalised, we will provide further information and liaise closely with local land owners and businesses.

To keep up to date, please sign up to receive our works notice directly to your inbox via www.hs2inyourarea.co.uk



Wardington Road

February 2024

Wardington Road passes under the viaduct near Trafford Bridge. This works notice gives further information about the 4 week closure in February. The road will re-open once work is complete and access will be available for the planned equestrian events at The Edgcote Estate.

Summer 2024

In early summer, we plan to close Wardington Road for a period of approximately 5 months. During this closure we will alter the gradient of the road so that the road surface is at the correct height where it passes under the viaduct. We will also install the concrete beams for the viaduct deck, which go over the road.

Culworth Road

March 2024

Culworth Road will be closed for approximately 4 weeks in March while we build a new entrance to Blackgrounds Farm. The road will then remain open during the spring and summer.

Winter 2024

Towards the end of the year the road will close for approximately 8 weeks while we divert utilities.

In line with the HS2 design, where the railway passes through Culworth Road, a section of the road will be permanently closed in early 2025.

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**

 Email **hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk**

Write to:

FREEPOST

HS2 Community Engagement

Website **www.hs2.co.uk**

To keep up to date with what is happening in your local area, visit:
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