



# Notice of closure of the M42, hard shoulder

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High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain. Balfour Beatty VINCI (BBV) is working in partnership with HS2 Ltd to build the new high speed railway in your area.

## The work we are doing

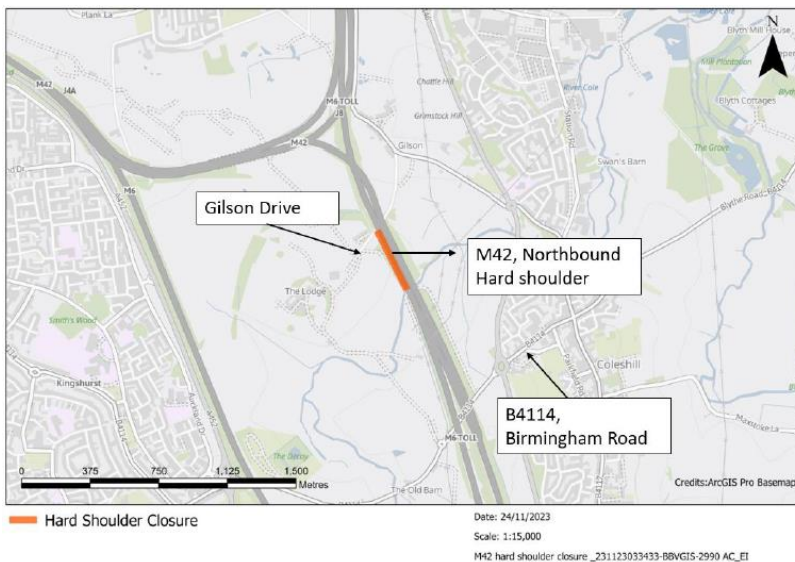
To continue our works in the area, we need to close a 300m section of the M42 northbound carriageway hard shoulder. Closing the hard shoulder enables us to remove the current embankment to build one of the walls in preparation for the Coleshill Triple Box structure.

## When we will be working

To complete the works safely, we will install two lane closures of the M42 northbound carriage way from 9pm Monday 25 March to 5am Tuesday 26 March. This closure is to install barriers. Once the barriers are in place, the hard shoulder will remain closed until the end of April.

## Where we are working

See the below map showing the closure



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)

## Duration of works

Temporary lane closures of the M42, northbound carriageway

9pm Monday 25 March to 5am Tuesday 26 March

Temporary closure of the M42, hard shoulder until the end of April 24/7

Our workforce may be on-site up to one hour before and after to set up and secure our equipment

## What to expect

Low-level of noise from our machinery

## What we will do

Inform you of any changes in advance

Keep you informed of updates via:  
[hs2.org.uk/warwickshire](http://hs2.org.uk/warwickshire)

# 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](https://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](mailto: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](mailto: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](https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-property)

Find out if you can claim compensation at:

[www.gov.uk/claim-compensation-if-affected-by-hs2](https://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/](https://www.hs2.org.uk/in-your-area/contact-us/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.org.uk](https://www.hs2.org.uk)**

To keep up to date with what is happening in your local area, visit: **[www.HS2inyourarea.co.uk](https://www.HS2inyourarea.co.uk)**

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