

Notice of utility diversion works - Saltley Viaduct, Birmingham

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High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain. To allow for the construction of the new railway and to continue to ensure a safe and reliable gas supply, Cadent needs to divert a gas pipeline in Saltley, Birmingham.

What we are doing

Cadent needs to move an existing gas pipeline underneath the B4114 in Saltley, Birmingham, to allow for the construction of a new raised viaduct for the railway.

Cadent will be working from the existing Balfour Beatty Vinci (BBV) JV works compound south of the B4114 from around **22 July 2024**, and expect all works to be completed by **end of March 2025**.

The work will involve:

- constructing two shafts on either side of the existing railway tracks that cross underneath the B4114.
- using a boring machine to dig a tunnel between the two shafts.
- installing a new section of pipe through the tunnel.
- connecting and testing the relocated pipeline.

How this will affect you

When the boring machine is operating, it may need to run 24 hours a day. However, because the tunnelling work is underground, we do not anticipate any additional noise or disruption for local people.

- Seven days a week of tunnelling will be between 15 August to 17 November 8am until 6pm Monday to Friday and 8am to 1pm at weekends
- Seven days of 24 hour tunnelling will start 14 October to 17 November.

We will also be carrying out work on the tunnel entrances. Monday to Sunday, between 8:00am to 6:00pm. There shouldn't be any disruption to your utilities during our works. We will keep people up to date as our work progresses.

If you have a question about HS2 or our works, please contact our helpdesk on 08081 434 434 or email HS2enquiries@hs2.org.uk

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Duration

- 22 July 2024 to 31 March 2025
- Our working hours will mainly be 8.00am to 6.00pm (Monday-Friday) and 8.00am to 1.00pm at weekends
- All tunnelling works will be 24 hours Monday – Sunday with work around the tunnel entrances being Monday through to Sunday 8am until 6pm

What to expect

- Utility works taking place at existing HS2 works compound south of B4114
- No disruption to utilities, maintaining safe working

What we will do

- Make sure all required construction vehicles use agreed routes
- Inform people in advance of any changes

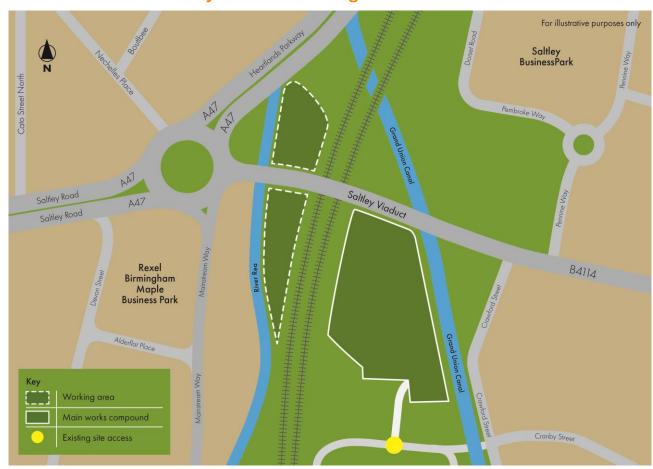
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Location of Cadent's utility diversion working area



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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



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.

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/hs2residents-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-ltdresidents-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/hs2property

Find out if you're eligible for compensation at: www.gov.uk/claim-compensation-if-affected-byhs2

Holding us to account

If you are unhappy for any reason you can make a complaint via the helpline. For more details on our complaints process, please visit our website: www.hs2.org.uk/how-to-complain

Contact Us

If you have any questions about this notification of works, please get in touch.



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Website www.hs2.org.uk

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