

# Notice of overnight road closure of M42 northbound

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

## The work we will be doing

As we prepare for construction of the new M42 Tripple Box Bridge across the M42 motorway, we will be carrying out overnight works to complete maintenance works, such as removal of fencing of the safety barriers.

There will be a full road closure of the M42 northbound carriageway from junction 7 to junction 8. This will also include the slip road from M42 northbound at junction 7 to M6 southbound and finally the M6 Toll Road connector northbound, from M6 junction 3a to M42 northbound.

# When the work will take place

To ensure the safety of our workforce, we will be installing overnight road closures on Friday 21 February and Monday 24 February. The closures will be in place from 8pm each night and will be removed at 5am each morning.

This work is subject to consent with National Highways.

### Where will the work take place

Please be aware other work affecting the M42/M6 link road, M6 Toll and M42 is ongoing, details can be found at www.hs2.org.uk/warwickshire

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

# **Subject to consent Duration of works**

Overnight road closure on M42 northbound on Friday 21 February and Monday 24 February, from 9pm to 5am each night.

### What to expect

Clearly signed diversion route

#### What we will do

Inform you of any changes in advance

Keep you informed of updates via: hs2.org.uk/warwicksh

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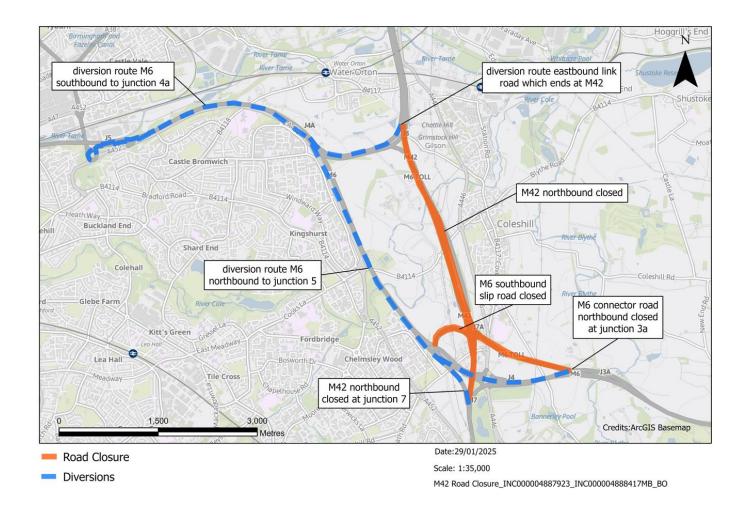
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## Map of closure and diversion route

This map shows where the road closures will be in place on the M42.

A full road of the M42 northbound carriageway from J7 to J8 as well as the slip road from M42 northbound at J7 to M6 southbound and the northbound connector road from M6 northbound at J3a to M42 northbound at J7a.

A diversion road will be in place from M6 northbound to J5. At J5 traffic is to U turn and join the M6 southbound to M6 J4a, eastbound link road to M42 where the diversion ends.



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To make HS2 possible in the West Midlands, it is necessary to construct multiple assets within what is known as Delta Junction. This area is located from Green Lane in Coleshill up to Water Orton Village. These assets will support the construction of the HS2 line of route, ensuring the future operation of HS2 is possible.

Delta Junction is situated in the borough of North Warwickshire and consists of several large construction assets that BBV are responsible for delivering. Delta Junction incorporates the main line running North to South and the line running in and out of Birmingham known as the Birmingham Spur / North Chord.

Balfour Beatty VINCI (BBV) has 3 main interfaces with the National Highways strategic network within Delta Junction. The structures that interface with the network are M42/M6 East and West viaducts, M42 Coleshill box structure, Water Orton 1 & 2 viaducts.

The M42/M6 link road works are key to the earthwork's haulage strategy as the east viaduct will be used temporarily by dump trucks to transport material over the link road, reducing the number of lorries going onto the strategic road network. The site accesses which were built in July 2021 are now used regularly by BBV to facilitate the construction of structures, earthworks and tunnels.

Each viaduct will be built and incrementally launched in two phases using a push-pull jacking system. Once the launch is complete, various activities will follow including parapet installation and deck construction. To complete this work, there will be different phases of traffic management implemented onto the M42/M6 link road, to ensure that the work is completed safely and risk to the road user is minimised.



# **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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