



Temporary overnight lane closures on the M42 motorway between junction 6 and 7a (northbound) and junction 7 and 6 (southbound) – near the NEC

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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 will be doing

The new railway will pass over the M42 motorway on a box structure near the Birmingham Business Park and the NEC. The box structure, measuring 300 metres in length and 25 metres wide, will cover around 130 metres of the M42 motorway and is being constructed while the motorway is in operation.

As we progress with our construction activities, we will install temporary overnight lane closures on both northbound and southbound carriageways, to undertake some maintenance works that are not safe to be done around live traffic.

When we will complete the work

To complete our work, we will install lane closures as below:

Overnight lanes 2 and 3 closure on the M42 motorway between junction 6 and 7a (northbound) and junction 7 and 6 (southbound)

- from 9pm Wednesday 2 April to 5am Thursday 3 April 2025
- from 9pm Thursday 3 April to 5am Friday 4 April 2025
- from 9pm Friday 4 April to 5am Saturday 5 April 2025

Overnight lanes 2 and 3 closure on the M42 motorway between junction 6 and 7a (northbound)

- from 9pm Monday 7 April to 5am Tuesday 8 April 2025

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

M42 motorway temporary overnight lanes 2 and 3 closure between junction 6 and 7a (northbound) and junction 7 and 6 (southbound).

Each night from
Wednesday 2 April to Saturday 5 April 2025
between 9pm to 5am

M42 motorway overnight lanes 1 and 2 closure between junction 6 and 7a (northbound) from **9pm Monday 7 April to 5am Tuesday 8 April 2025**

What to expect

A short delay to journey times

Low level noise from our works

What we will do

Keep you up to date with any changes at

www.hs2insolihull.co.uk

Keep all sites safe and secure

These works are subject to consent

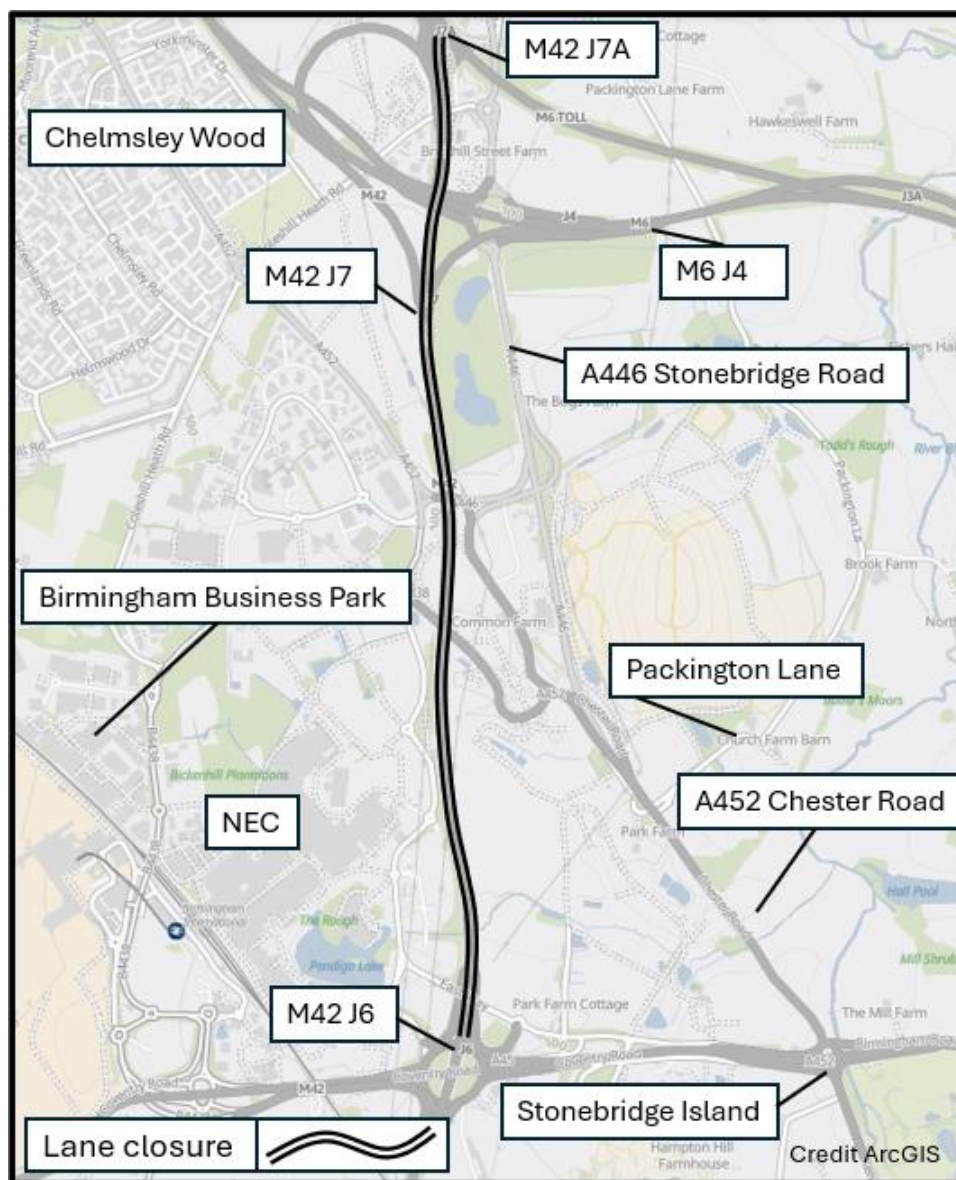
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Notification



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Map showing the location of the lane closures.



Contact our HS2 Helpdesk team on **08081 434 434**

What else is happening in your area?

www.hs2.org.uk

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.

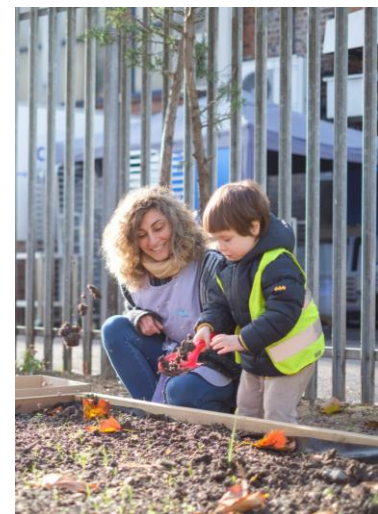
About our Community and Business Funds

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-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

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-to-complain/

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Contact us

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 Email **HS2enquiries@hs2.org.uk**

Write to:

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HS2 Community Engagement

Website **www.hs2.org.uk**

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