

# HS2

## Warwickshire

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3-month construction look ahead



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This forward look covers HS2 associated work in Warwickshire.

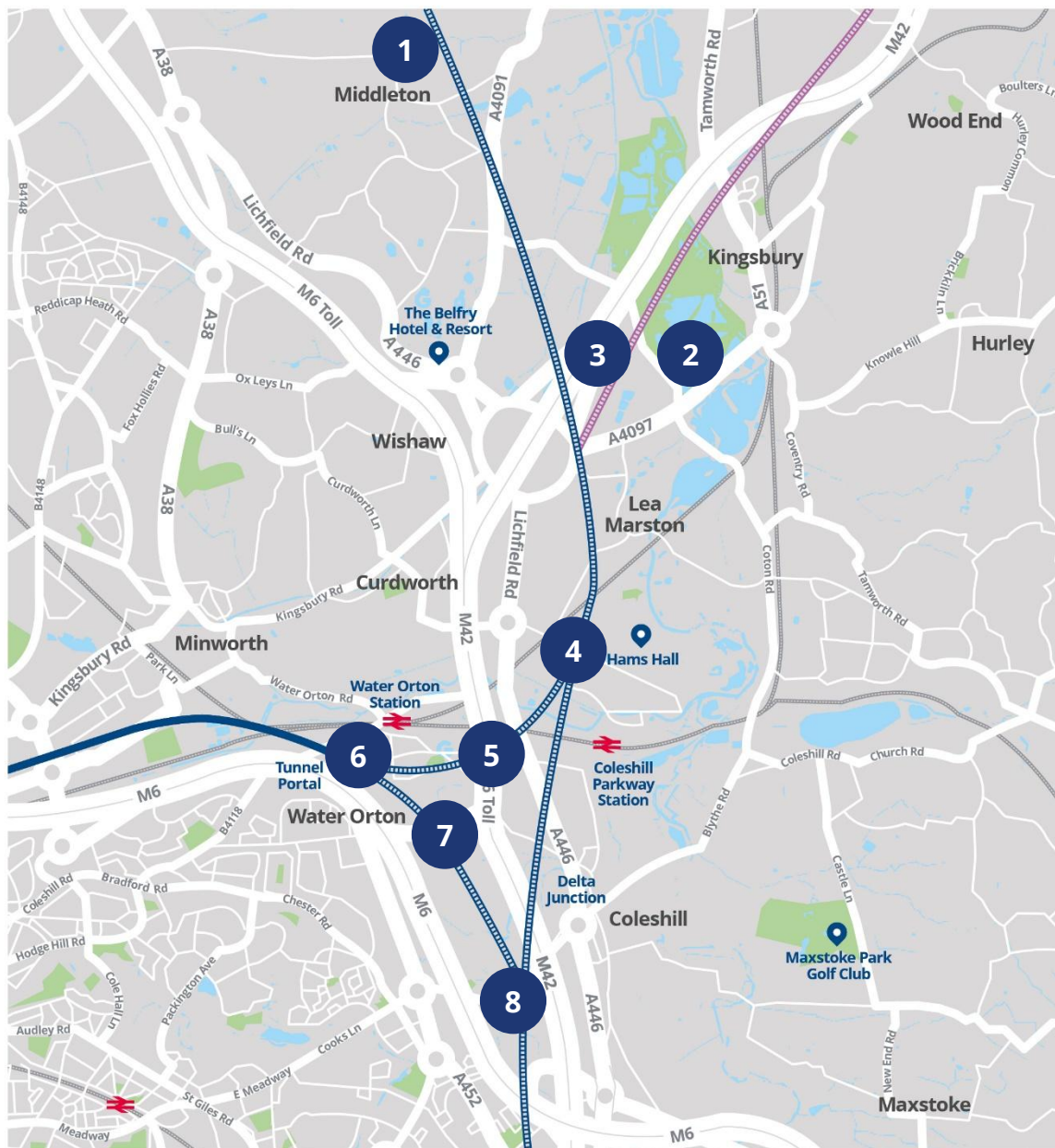
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# Map 1 – North Warwickshire



## Key

	Parkland		Existing train line		HS2 route Phase Two overground
	Water/river		HS2 route Phase One underground*		Rail station
			HS2 route Phase One overground		

\*Final plans for tunnel being developed.

Location of works	Proposed duration	Description of works
<b>Location 1</b>	Ongoing until 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>We are currently mobilising a crane at Church Lane and starting steel fixing works. We will begin the construction of the Overbridge from April onwards. And around July install the bridge deck</li> </ul>
<b>Location 2</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Building segments for viaducts and transporting materials to and from Kingsbury Main Compound ongoing throughout 2025</li> <li>Continuing the transportation of precast concrete segments from Kingsbury to Water Orton</li> </ul>
<b>Location 3</b>	Summer 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Construction of Marston Box has now been completed. To construct the new carriage way surface a full weekend closure of the M42 between junction 9 and junction 10 is required. The closure will take place from Friday 5 September (9pm) – Monday 8 September (5am) subject to consents</li> </ul>
<b>Location 4</b>	Summer 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Completing maintenance of the new Faraday Avenue alignment. This will include road signage and street lighting</li> </ul>
<b>Location 5</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Construction of the Chattle Hill Bridge Structure over the A446. Our works will continue throughout 2025 and 2026 when the road will be returned to its original alignment.</li> <li>Construction of piers for the Water Orton and Watton House Viaducts throughout 2025</li> <li>Installation of Beams and deck construction.</li> <li>Continuing earthworks movements to and from site throughout 2025 and embankment construction.</li> <li>Tie-in works for the realignment of Gilson Road</li> <li>Continuing earthworks movements to and from site throughout 2025</li> <li>Ongoing construction of piers for the Water Orton Viaducts throughout 2025</li> </ul>
<b>Location 6</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tunnelling 24 hours a day until October 2025. We are depositing spoil from the tunnel and transporting it using internal haul roads</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tie-in and traffic turn for Attleboro Lane Overbridge which diverted a section of the existing road over the tunnel portal. Our tie-in works were completed in April 2025 when the road was opened (only for local residents) – while maintaining pedestrian access</li> <li>• Construction of the Attleboro Lane flyover to enable the railway to travel on the north chord and Birmingham spur. Secant piles and reinforcement work is ongoing. Our works will continue throughout 2025</li> </ul>
<b>Location 7</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The abutments and piers for the M42/M6 link viaduct have been built and installation of all four decks for the viaduct (M42/M6 link) now complete</li> <li>• Piling works to prepare for M42 Triple box structure are complete and construction of walls continue</li> <li>• Delivering the Green Lane Embankment, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Installing drainage</li> <li>○ Building piling platforms</li> <li>○ Transporting materials to site</li> <li>○ Ground improvement work</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Utility work on Gilson Road ongoing in preparation for the phased road realignment.</li> <li>• Construction of retaining walls ongoing</li> </ul>
<b>Location 8</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• B4114 temporarily re-opened on original alignment in May 2025, to enable the Coleshill Viaducts to pass over the road. New roundabout is now in place.</li> <li>• Installation of the precast segments for the Coleshill Viaducts will continue throughout 2025</li> <li>• The phased reopening the B4114 will be complete after the Coleshill Viaduct segments are installed by end-Summer 2025</li> </ul>
<b>Area-wide</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025	<p>We will be delivering ground investigation and environmental surveys including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Excavating 'trial holes'</li> <li>• Using Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR) surveys to identify existing utilities</li> <li>• Surveying existing ground levels</li> <li>• Surveying water bodies</li> <li>• Surveying ecology</li> <li>• Delivering earthworks</li> <li>• Delivering archaeological and ecological surveys</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Removing the minimum number of trees and vegetation needed to safely build the railway and prepare sites for construction</li> <li>• Carrying out seasonal maintenance tasks at ecological mitigation sites</li> </ul>
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## Map 2 - Burton Green to Stoneleigh



## Key

 Parkland
  Rail station
  Existing train line

 Water/river
  HS2 green tunnel
  HS2 route Phase One overground

Location of works	Proposed duration	Description of works
<b>Locations 1, 2 and 3</b>	Ongoing throughout Summer 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cromwell Lane is now open on the temporary alignment while we build the Burton Green Tunnel and permanent Cromwell Lane realignment</li> </ul>

	Ongoing throughout 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To enable the permanent realignment of Cromwell Lane, we will carry out multiple utility diversion works with a series of closures from summer 2025</li> <li>• Planned Burton Green Tunnel works that will be carried out over the next 18 months are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Installation of the tunnel roof slab: This will involve shuttering, steel fixing and pouring of concrete to form the roof slab</li> <li>○ Tunnel excavation: This activity will involve the transportation of approximately 30,000m<sup>3</sup> of earth materials that will be removed through the designated HS2 haul route</li> <li>○ Installation of the new Cromwell Lane Embankment: and all associated roadworks</li> <li>○ Installation of the stitch between the newly constructed tunnel and the existing South Portal Building</li> <li>○ Backfill of existing South Portal Building and extension of the earthwork bund. This will require the transportation of approximately 100,000m<sup>3</sup> of earth materials that will be moved from the south section of the Sublot and will be delivered through the designated HS2 haul route</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>Location 4</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025/26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Constructing Broadwell Woods Embankment and Cutting</li> <li>• Earthworks throughout 2025 to complete the tunnel portal area ready for landscaping</li> <li>• Dig &amp; Replace Earthworks which involve excavation of existing ground up to 2-meter depth and reinstatement with stabilised fill material</li> <li>• Installation of High-Speed Embankment Approximately 45,000m<sup>3</sup> of earth material is required for this task and that will be moved through the designated HS2 haul route</li> </ul>



		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Track Drainage Installation which will include pipes, chambers, and any other drainage apparatus</li> <li>• West &amp; East Landscape Bunds installation and resoling Hydroseeding of these landscape bunds will also be a part of this activity. Both East &amp; West Landscape bunds have been partially completed. A total of 50,000m<sup>3</sup> of earth material is required for the construction of these bunds and that will be transported through the designated HS2 haul route</li> <li>• Installation of W168 Underpass Structure and New W168 Footpath. All associated roadworks that are required will also be part of this activity</li> </ul>
<b>Location 5</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Creating new woodlands, wetlands, and wildlife habitats as part of a 'green corridor' alongside the future railway</li> </ul>
<b>Location 6</b>	Ongoing until early 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New alignment and overbridge of Crackley Lane</li> <li>• Building Crackley Wood Embankment</li> <li>• Preparing Installing permanent drainage</li> </ul>
<b>Location 7</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To build Canley Brook Viaduct. Completion expected in Summer 2025</li> </ul>
<b>Location 8</b>	Ongoing until 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A number of full closures of A429 Kenilworth Road to facilitate tie-in works ahead of road realignment, including constructing a permanent section of a new carriageway, temporary ramping back to existing A429 and temporary footpath to existing A429</li> </ul>
<b>Location 9</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025/26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Moving soil from Glasshouse Wood Cutting to Kenilworth Cutting</li> <li>• Multiple utility works in advance of the construction of the new Dalehouse Lane Overbridge</li> <li>• Construction of Dalehouse Overbridge to start in Autumn 2025</li> </ul>

<b>Location 10</b>	Ongoing until Summer 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The A46 box jack structure adjacent to the Bypass is now complete</li> <li>Completing the B4115 Ashow Road Overbridge and associated carriageway improvements opening early Autumn 2025</li> </ul>
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## Map 3 – Stoneleigh to Southam



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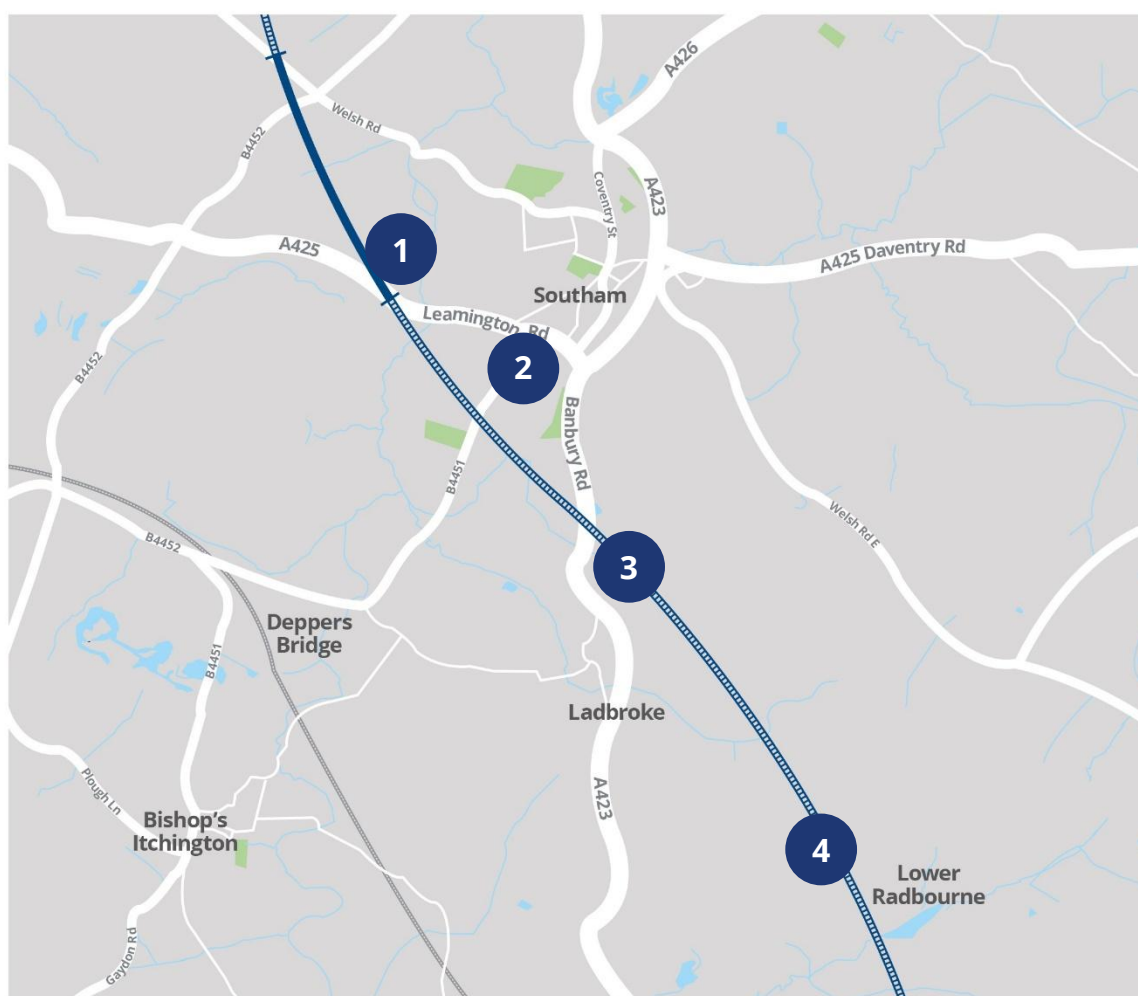
Parkland	Rail station	HS2 route Phase One overground
Water/river	Existing train line	

Location of works	Proposed duration	Description of works
<b>Location 1</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025- 2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintaining the diverted public footpath to compensate for the closure of W129d and W130</li> <li>Rugby road Overbridge has been substantially completed. A number of full</li> </ul>

		<p>closures will be needed to complete realignment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New plant crossing to be opened at Rugby Road - March</li> <li>• Construction of Leicester Lane overbridge, including installation of pre-cast beams and delivery of parapets</li> <li>• Construction of Coventry Road overbridge, including delivery of pre-cast beams and parapets.</li> </ul>
<b>Location 2</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Completing piling works to start on the River Leam viaduct.</li> <li>• Dewatering system now started at River Leam and being monitored. Pile-caps are backfilled.</li> <li>• Delivering precast beams, earthworks, parapets for River Leam Viaduct throughout 2025</li> </ul>
<b>Location 3</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Delivering realignment of Hunningham Road throughout the year including moving electricity pylons to the north of Hunningham and divert existing gas, water and telecom utilities across the new bridge.</li> <li>• Completing earthworks to build the River Leam Embankment on the south side of the river throughout 2025</li> <li>• Construction of footbridge for footpath W129y (north of Hunningham Rd)</li> <li>• Commence Ash beds culvert to realign existing watercourse beneath River Leam Embankment</li> </ul>
<b>Location 4</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Completion of the Offchurch Greenway Green Overbridge structure throughout 2025 and complete earthworks fill to allow public access over and across the existing public right of way.</li> <li>• Complete realignment of Fosse Way including diversions of multiple utilities on completion of the Overbridge.</li> <li>• Commence bulk earthworks dig once the redundant section of Fosse Way and Long</li> </ul>

		Itchington Rd have been removed. Commence construction of the new steel Cycle Bridge across Fosse way B4455
<b>Location 5</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Delivering earthworks for Welsh Road Embankment and Grand Union Canal Embankment, including launching the platform for Longhole Viaduct until July 2026</li> </ul>
<b>Area-wide</b>	Ongoing throughout 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Completing seasonal tree planting</li> </ul>

## Map 4 - Southam

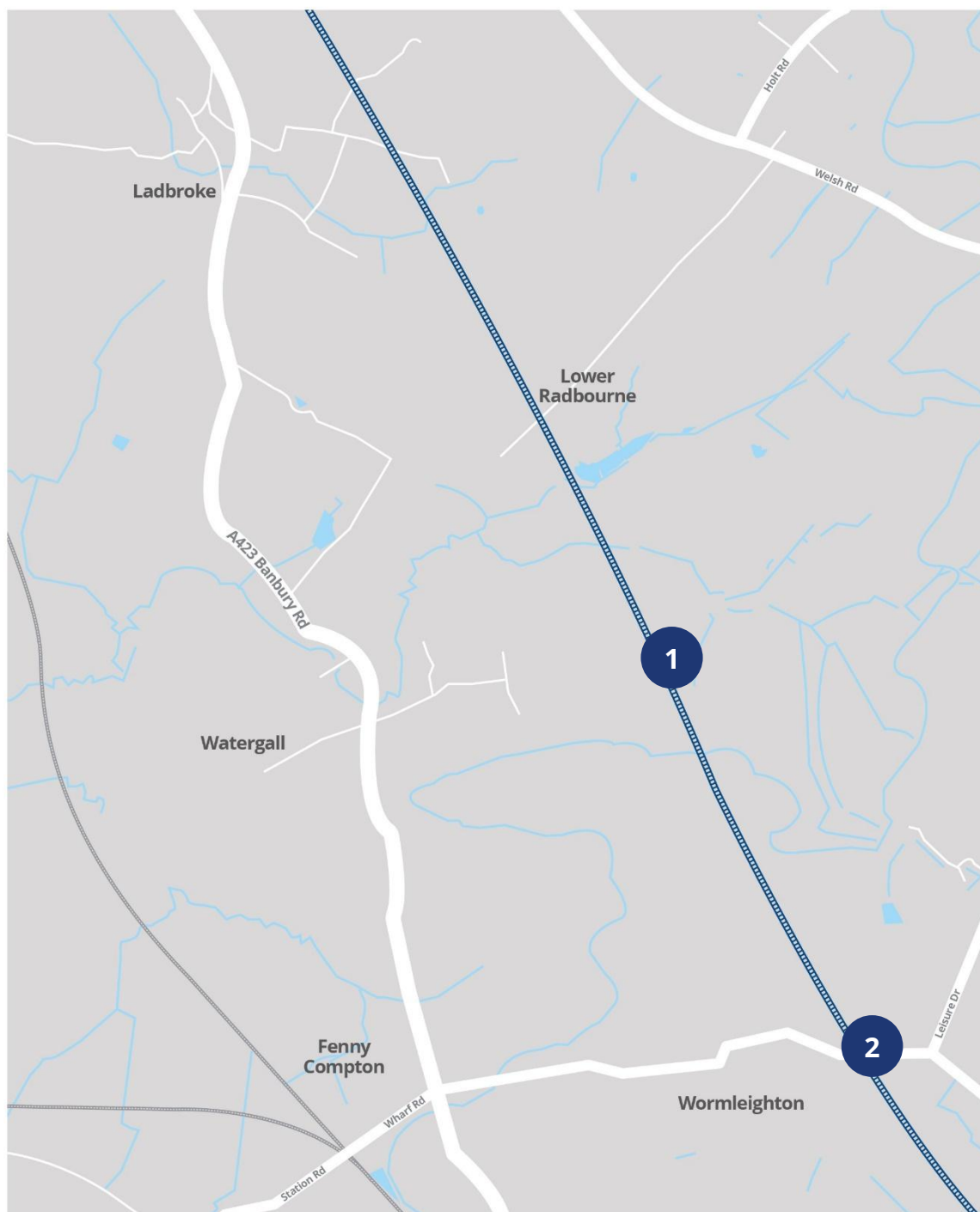


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<span style="color: green;">■</span> Parkland	<span style="color: grey;">▬▬▬▬▬</span> Existing train line	<span style="color: blue;">▬▬▬▬▬</span> HS2 route Phase One overground
<span style="color: lightblue;">■</span> Water/river	<span style="color: darkblue;">▬▬▬▬▬</span> HS2 route Phase One underground	

Location of works	Proposed duration	Description of works
<b>Location 1</b>	Ongoing to late 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Excavation of the cofferdam and construction on the Leamington Road (A425) cutting</li> <li>Continue secant piling works on the south of A425</li> <li>Excavation for remaining roof slabs</li> <li>Installation of the green tunnel base slabs</li> <li>Ongoing excavations, creation of the walkways and completion of the passageways in both South and North Portal until late 2025</li> </ul>
<b>Location 2 Kineton Road to Banbury Road</b>	Ongoing to Summer 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Construction of the Kineton Road overbridge; and</li> <li>Preparation work for the realignment of Kineton Road, requiring some short closures of Kineton Road</li> </ul>
	Spring to Autumn 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Realignment of Kineton Road, B4451</li> <li>Earthworks activities including highways embankments and stockpiles in the area</li> </ul>
<b>Location 3 A423 Banbury Road</b>	Ongoing throughout 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Banbury road overbridge deck construction;</li> <li>Soft verge work along the A423 in preparation for highway realignments, for safety reasons this is expected to require temporary traffic management or short periods of off-peak road closures; and</li> <li>Earthworks near to the A423 to build cuttings and embankments.</li> </ul>
<b>Location 4 Ladbroke to Radbourne</b>	Ongoing to 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Excavation of the Ladbroke cutting, including the stockpiling of material;</li> <li>Installation of viaduct beams followed by completion of the deck and structural works; and</li> <li>Construction of farm accommodation overbridges.</li> </ul>

## Map 5 - Radbourne to Wormleighton



### Key

■ Water/river    - - - Existing train line    - . . . HS2 route Phase One overground

Location of works	Proposed duration	Description of works
<b>Location 1</b> <b>Wormleighton/</b> <b>Priors</b> <b>Hardwick</b>	Ongoing to summer 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Earthworks for the construction of cuttings and embankments near Wormleighton.</li> <li>• Deck construction to Oxford canal viaduct</li> </ul>
<b>Location 2</b> <b>Wormleighton</b> <b>Road</b>	Spring to summer 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ongoing construction and earthworks near the Banbury road overbridge;</li> <li>• Connecting new sections of highway to the existing Wormleighton Road requiring a 4-week road closure; and</li> <li>• Closure of Stoneton Lane, Priors Hardwick to construct the Stoneton Lane green bridge, lasting 24 months.</li> </ul>



# Our Community Commitments

Our aspiration is to be a good neighbour every single day, by respecting the people and communities we impact and being sensitive to their needs, earning our social licence to operate.

In order to build the railway, we must earn the trust and credibility to do so. We need to demonstrate that we understand local concerns, and that we have taken all reasonable steps to address issues that have been raised, whilst continually looking to lessen the impacts of the project.

Through our Community Engagement Strategy and Residents' Charter we have identified ten Community Commitments which we will use as the basis for measuring our success, and that of our suppliers, in how we deliver the new railway.

## We will:

1. Continue to build respectful, long-term relationships with communities and actively encourage our workforce to listen to local concerns and be considerate and accountable for their actions at all times.
2. Work with communities to develop local two-way engagement and communication programmes, ensuring they are accessible and tailored to local needs.
3. Make sure communities are made aware in advance of any activities taking place in their area.
4. Operate a Freephone Community Helpline 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.
5. Make health and safety a priority for communities and our workforce.
6. Respect the wellbeing of communities, minimising disruption to their lives with local mitigation plans and activities, ensuring we meet the standards set out in the Code of Construction Practice.
7. Leave a positive and sustainable legacy for the communities in which we operate.
8. Respond to questions and complaints quickly and efficiently, with an acknowledgement within two working days, and responding within a maximum of 20 working days if we cannot answer the query straight away.
9. Promote awareness of all our property schemes so that anyone who may be eligible has all the information they need and is aware of the support available to them.
10. Display the Residents' Commissioner and Construction Commissioner's contact details on all relevant materials, along with the HS2 Helpline information and complaints procedure.



The Code of Construction Practice forms part of the Secretary of State's Environmental Minimum Requirements for the construction of the railway from London to the West Midlands. It sets out the standards and responsibilities to protect communities and the environment during construction. A copy of the Code can be found online here:

**[www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment\\_data/file/593592/Code\\_of\\_Construction\\_Practice.pdf](http://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/593592/Code_of_Construction_Practice.pdf)**

# Keeping you informed

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## 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](http://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:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-ltd-residents-commissioner>

You can contact the Commissioner at:  
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