



Notice of borehole works on Albert Road, Kilburn

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High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain.

What we are doing

On **Saturday 27 September** we will decommission a borehole on Albert Road ahead of future tunnelling works in the area. A borehole is a narrow, deep hole drilled into the ground to access subsurface for information on underground conditions. The borehole is within a parking bay outside no.18. The location is shown on the map below. We will return on **Saturday 4 October** in case any additional work is required.

We will place barriers around the borehole. We'll unblock the borehole, if necessary, then refill it with grout and tarmac over it to reinstate the surface. This will take up to three hours, but the barriers will stay in place until the grout and tarmac are dry.

How might this affect you

We will narrow the lane near the worksite. This work may be noisy. We will use noise reducing barriers where possible.

We apologise for any inconvenience this work may cause.



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

27 September and

4 October

8am to 1pm

We may be on site for an hour before the start and/or at the end of each shift

What to expect

Narrowed lane

Some noise

Welfare vehicle parked nearby

What we will do

Use noise reducing barriers where possible

The dates for this work may change. We'll provide updates at www.hs2.org.uk/brent-and-ealing

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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Write to:

FREEPOST

HS2 Community Engagement

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

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www.HS2inyourarea.co.uk

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