

# Notice of road closure on the A446 Lichfield Road

**HS2-BBV-26-2412**

## Location

A446 Lichfield Road, near Coleshill  
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## Duration

A **full road closure** of the A446, Lichfield Road from:  
**8pm Thursday 10 September 2026**  
to  
**6am Monday 14 September 2026**

## Contingency overnight closures

Up to three contingency overnight closures, from 8pm to 6am on either Monday 14, Tuesday 15 and Wednesday 16 September 2026, may be required.

These contingency dates will only be required due to unavoidable delays to our works, such as to adverse weather conditions.

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. Should you have any questions or concerns about our works you can contact us by:



Freephone **08081 434 434**



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## What we are doing

Installing pre-casted concrete parapets via crane along the sides of Water Orton Viaducts 1 and 2, specifically over the carriageway and footway of the A446 Lichfield Road.

## What to expect

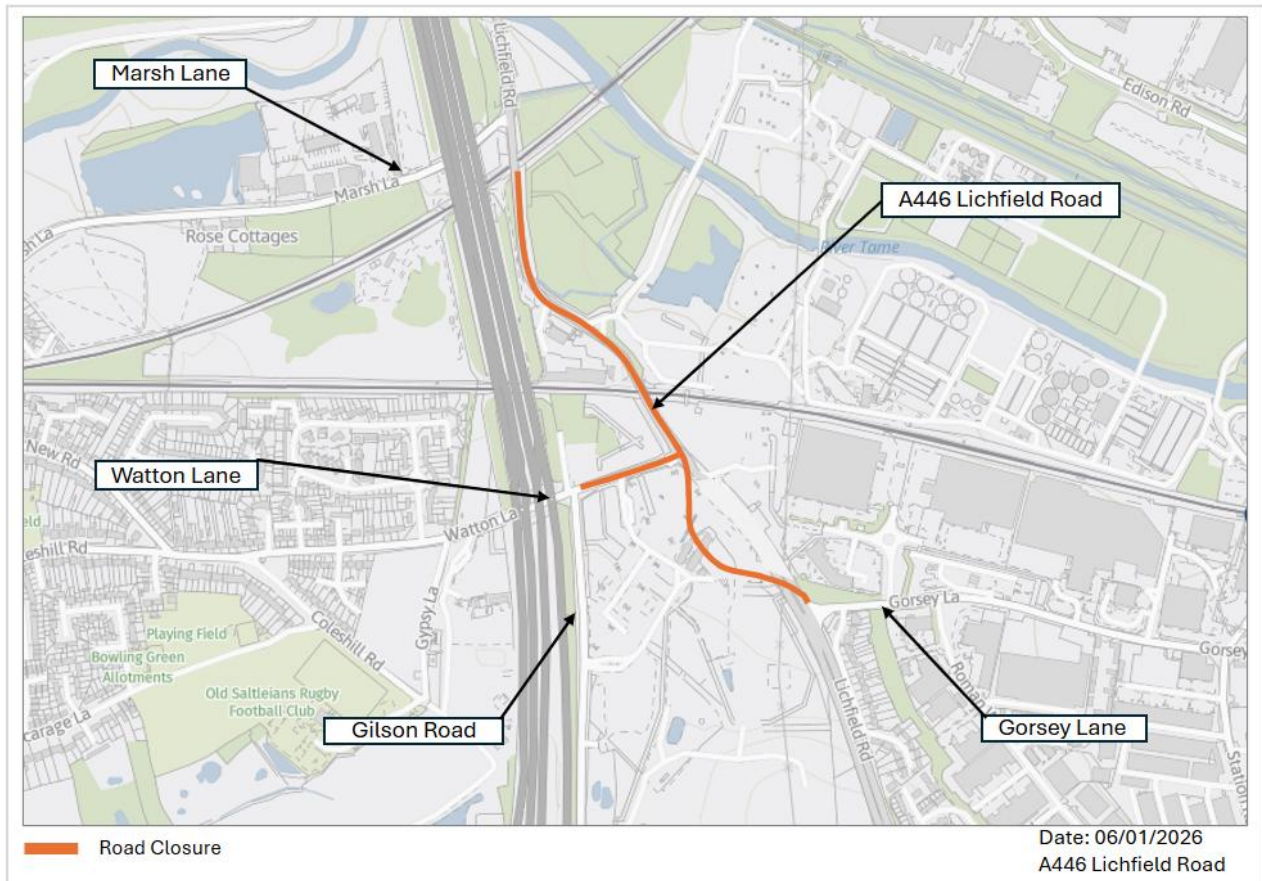
- Full road closure of the A446 Lichfield Road.
- The work will be carried out in continuous day and night shifts, operating 24/7 during the closure period, to ensure completion in the shortest possible time.
- Three subsequent overnight closures, as detailed above.
- Access for pedestrians and cyclists will remain in place throughout the road closure.
- Access to businesses and residents will also remain throughout the road closure.
- Bus routes will be diverted accordingly; check bus company websites for more information (Link provided on Page 3).
- Updates on any changes will be communicated in advance.

## Location of works and diversion route

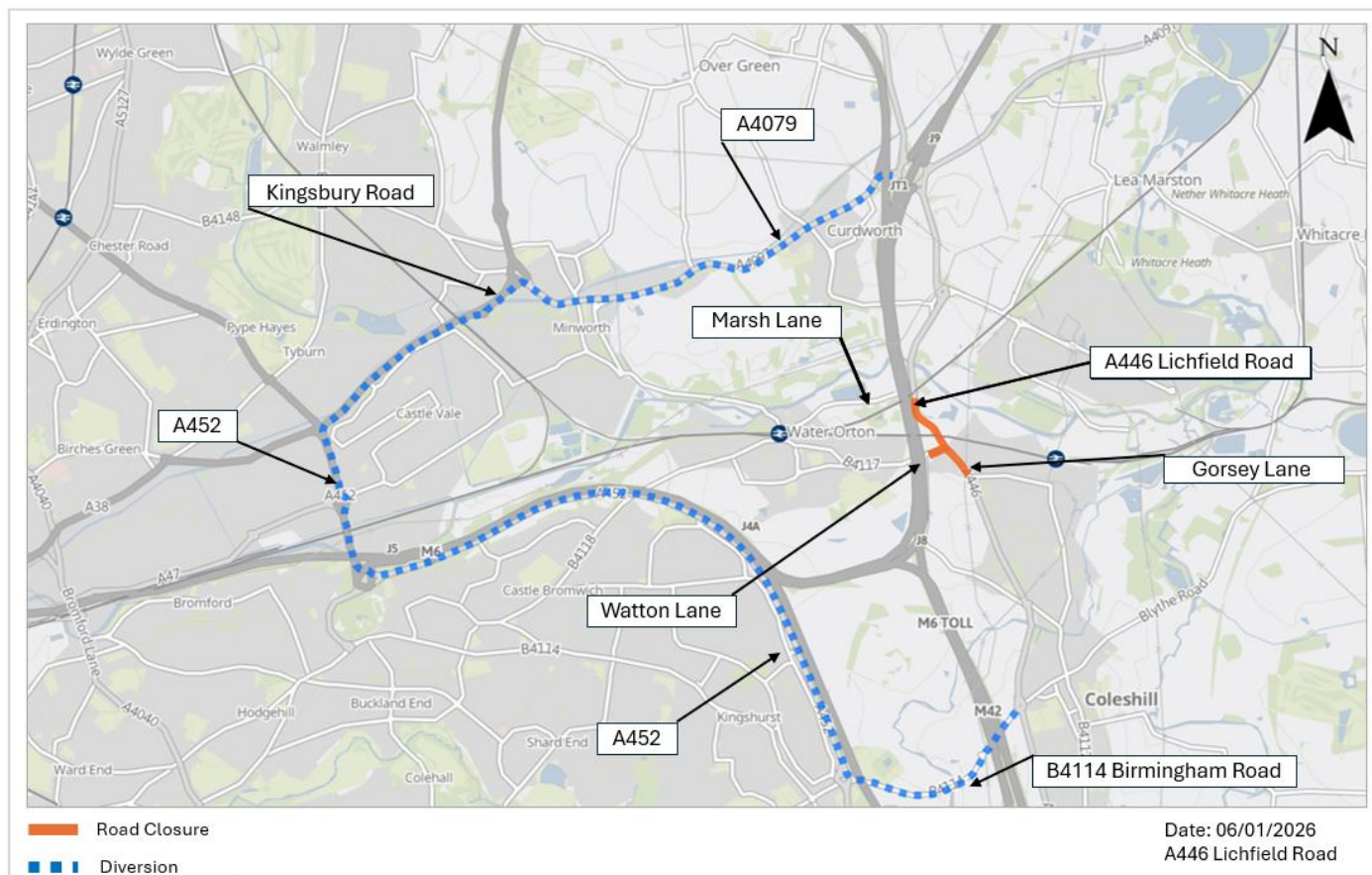
To complete this work safely, we will be implementing closures from the junction of Gorsey Lane to the junction with Marsh Lane, including Watton Lane.

Gorsey Lane and Marsh Lane will remain open during this closure. Gilson Road also remains open but under two-way lights. Watton Lane will be closed from the junction of Gilson Road to the junction of the A446 Lichfield Road.

Please see below a map showing the location of the closure:



Please see below a map showing the diversion route:



### Travelling north on the A446 Lichfield Road

Follow B4114 Birmingham Road to the A452/B4114 roundabout. Take the A42 Collector Road to Chester Road/Newport Road roundabout, then continue on A452 Chester Road via Spitfire Island to Tyburn House Island. Take the A38 Kingsbury Road to Minworth Island, then the A4097 Kingsbury Road to Dunton Island (A446/M42 J9), where the diversion ends.

### Travelling south on the A446 Lichfield Road

From Dunton Island (A446/M42 J9), follow A4097 Kingsbury Road to Minworth Island. Take the A38 to Tyburn House Island, then continue on A452 Chester Road via Spitfire Island to Chester Road/Newport Road roundabout. Follow A452 Collector Road to B4114 Birmingham Road roundabout, then continue on B4114 to rejoin the A446, where the diversion ends.

### Bus route diversions

All bus routes will be diverted accordingly and for more information please visit the websites below:

National Express: <https://nxbus.co.uk/coventry/service-updates>

Diamond Buses: <https://www.diamondbuses.com/service-updates/>

## Community Drop-ins and Webinar in your Area

Balfour Beatty Vinci would like to invite you to a drop in event to learn more about the upcoming works planned for the A446 Lichfield Road and the traffic management required.

These events provide an opportunity to speak directly with members of the project team, view plans, ask questions, and share your feedback. Whether you are a local resident, business owner or a regular user of the A446, your views are important to us.

### Our event details:

#### Water Orton Drop-in event

Thursday 27 August, 4pm to 6pm

The Pavilion,  
Openfield Croft,  
Water Orton,  
B46 1RE

#### Coleshill Pop-up event

Thursday 20 August, 10am to 12pm

Morrisons, Coleshill,  
Park Rd,  
Coleshill,  
B46 1AS



We look forward to welcoming you and discussing any queries you may have.

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