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Update: Opening of Tilehouse Lane and public rights of way, West Hyde, Hertfordshire

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Location
Tilehouse Lane, from junction with A412 Denham Way, West Hyde, Hertfordshire.

Duration
Monday 2 November 2026

What we are doing
Re-opening Tilehouse Lane, near West Hyde, Hertfordshire to road users, and partially reopening public rights of way Ricks 004, DEN3/1 and new bridleways. Following a design review this notice has been updated and opening of public rights of way has been delayed to accommodate additional works. Tilehouse Lane will open as advertised however the opening of the associated public rights of way will be delayed as detailed on the map overleaf.

What to expect
Tilehouse Lane remains a single track lane with passing places. We advise all road users and pedestrians to use caution and care when using the public highway. For full details please see overleaf.

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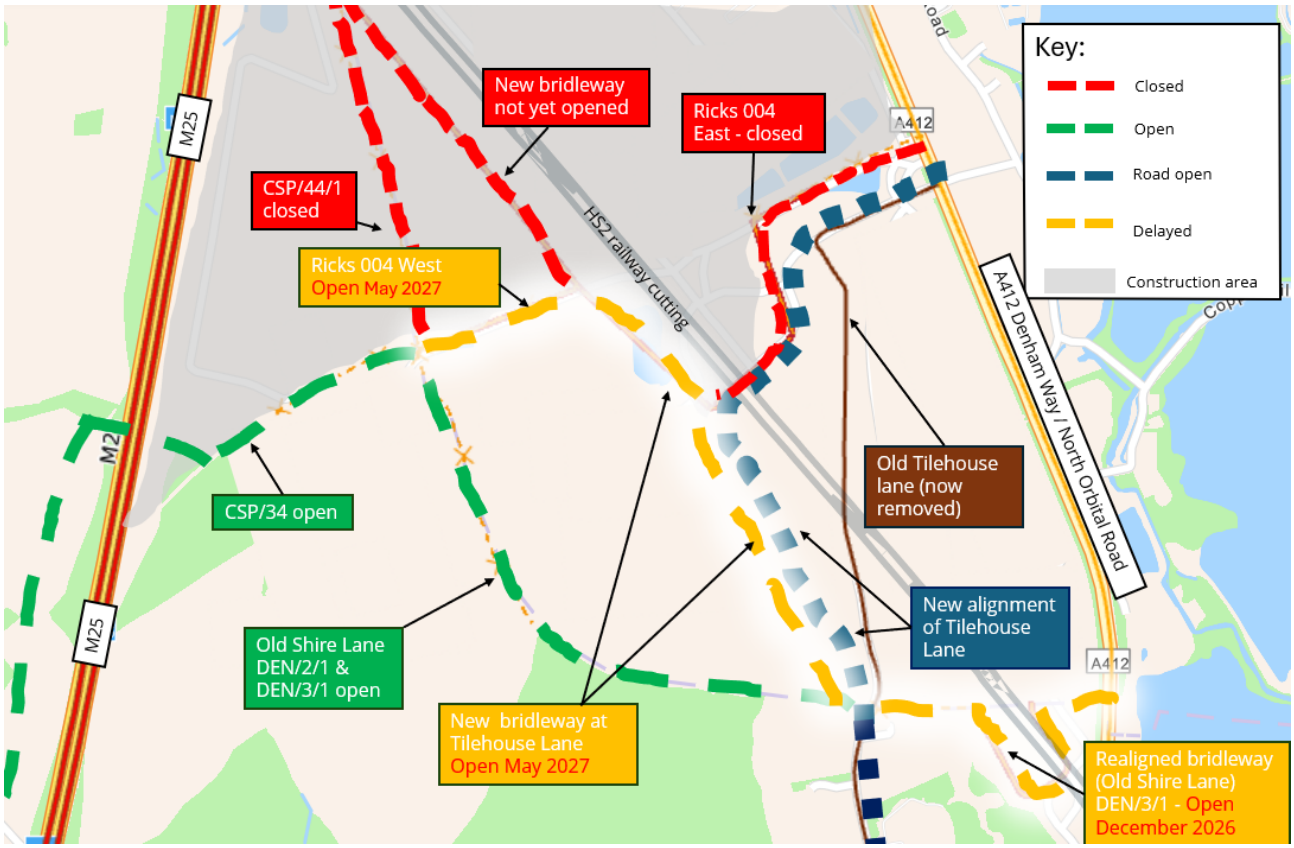
New road layout on Tilehouse Lane, Hertfordshire

The alignment of Tilehouse Lane has permanently changed to accommodate the new railway cutting, bridleway, and new bridge over the high-speed railway. Tilehouse Lane remains a narrow single-track road with limited passing space and shares a junction with an operational quarry. Road users are advised to take extra care when travelling through the area, especially for the first time, and to pay attention to traffic signs and directions.

Map of public rights of way with opening dates (Updated November 2026)



Additional planting and reseeding works along Tilehouse Lane

Hedgerow planting and reseeding along the verges of Tilehouse Lane will continue in November and December 2026. Traffic management and manually managed Stop/Go controls may be employed during the daytime to manage these works for the safety of road users and operatives. Please allow extra time for your journey and take care when using Tilehouse Lane as these works are progressed.

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