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Early Works Notification Oxford Road Works

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High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain. We are continually reviewing the works on our construction sites in line with Government and Public Health England (PHE) advice on dealing with COVID-19. The Government's current strategy makes it clear that construction activity can continue as long as it complies with this guidance. Please be assured that only sites that can operate within the guidelines are operational. All sites will remain under constant review. You can sign up for regular updates in your local area at www.hs2inbucksandox.co.uk

What are we doing?

We are undertaking land survey work and a break from the highway in order to develop a site compound along the A418, Oxford Road, near Hartwell. There will also be tarmac work on the temporary entrance to allow for safe access.

As the survey work is being carried out on the carriageway and to minimise the impact, this work will be undertaken overnight. The road will be fully reopened each morning and the traffic management removed.

What to expect:

1. Lane closures and short duration traffic management
2. Ground investigations including surveys and trial holes
3. Localised clearance of vegetation and fencing
4. A temporary diversion of the footpath on the A418.

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

Works will commence in January 2021

Normal working hours:

Monday to Friday
8.00am – 6pm

Saturdays
8.00am – 1.00pm

Night time working hours:
Monday to Friday
7.00pm – 6.00am

Our contractors may be on site for one hour's start-up and shutdown either side of these times.

What to expect

Traffic management on some local roads, some additional length of journey time and a short footpath diversion.

What we will do

Manage any environmental impacts, such as traffic, noise and lighting.

Respond promptly to any complaints and take appropriate action.

Take care to respect the community.

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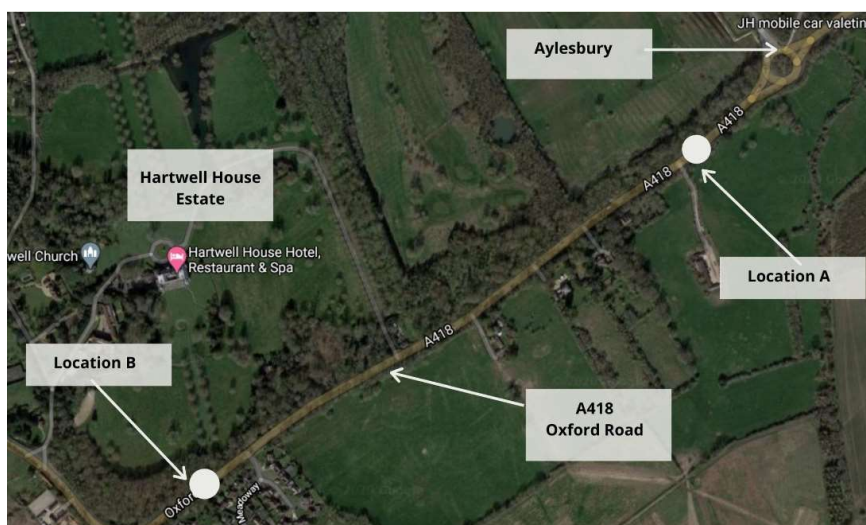
When will these works take place?

- The tarmac work for the current temporary site entrance will commence on **Friday 8th January 2021**. Traffic management will be in place from 10am to 3pm while the works are completed.
- We will be commencing the break in the highway work from **Monday 11th January 2021**. There will be traffic lights in the area intermittently for approximately three weeks from 9am – 3pm, outside of peak traffic times.
- There will also be a temporary diversion with trial hole work to be completed for the existing footpath around the site entrance for the duration of the works starting from the **4th January 2021**.
- The survey work involving traffic management will commence on **Monday 25th January** and complete them on the morning of **Wednesday 27th January 2021**. These works will be undertaken over night with rolling traffic lights to minimise disruption.

This activity measures the features and levels of the land and enables us to map the surface exactly. We will be using total stations and laser levels to carry out these activities which do not emit any noise. The traffic management will be removed, and the road will be fully opened by 6am each morning

Where will the works take place?

We will be working in the area off the A418, Oxford Road as illustrated on the map below. You can see from the map that all the activity takes place between and the roundabout on the A418 Coldharbour Way (location A) down to the junction of Portway Road (Location B).



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

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.

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

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:

www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-ltd-residents-commissioner

You can contact the Commissioner at:
residentscommissioner@hs2.org.uk

Construction Commissioner

The Construction Commissioner's role is to mediate and monitor the way in which HS2 Ltd manages and responds to construction complaints. You can contact the Construction Commissioner by emailing:
complaints@hs2-cc.org.uk

Property and compensation

You can find out all about HS2 and properties along the line of route by visiting:

www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-property

Find out if you're eligible for 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 our HS2 Helpdesk team. For more details on our complaints process, please visit our website:

www.hs2.org.uk/how-to-complain

Contact Us

Contact our HS2 Helpdesk team all day, every day of the year on:

 Freephone **08081 434 434**

 Minicom **08081 456 472**

 Email **hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk**

Write to:

FREEPOST

HS2 Community Engagement

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

To keep up to date with what is happening in your local area, visit:
www.hs2inyourarea.co.uk

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