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# HS2

## Notice of traffic management on Birmingham Road

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High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain. Early works for HS2 are carried out by LM – a joint venture between Laing O'Rourke and J. Murphy & Sons.

### We have work planned near Coleshill

Over the coming weeks we'll be working near Coleshill to prepare the route of the new railway ahead of main works construction. This work includes vegetation and hedgerow clearance alongside constructing fencing.

### There will be temporary traffic management

To ensure a safe access to our clearance sites alongside Birmingham Road, near M6 Toll, we will be operating temporary traffic lights. These signals will be in operation between **9:30am and 3:30pm** from the week commencing **27<sup>th</sup> January** for four weeks, subject to site and weather conditions. Our teams will be on site one hour before and one hour after the works to set up and secure the site at the end of each day.

Access to properties and businesses will be maintained throughout the works.

### Why we're doing this work

We need to prepare as much of the route as possible over the coming months. This will ensure that our main construction work can commence on time. It is also important to complete this work during this time of year as it is outside of key periods in the ecological calendar and helps to minimise our impact on local wildlife.

**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](mailto:hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk)**

## Notification



### Duration of works

From the week commencing 27<sup>th</sup> January for four weeks.

Working hours will be Monday to Friday, 9:30am and 3:30pm.

### What to expect

Temporary traffic lights on Birmingham Road.

Possible disruption to journey time.

### What we will do



Keep all sites safe and secure, while keeping disruption to a minimum.

Ensure all traffic management is clearly signed.

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-  Traffic management zone
-  Working areas

*Temporary traffic lights with a single lane closure will be in operation between 9:30am and 3:30pm from the week commencing 27<sup>th</sup> January for four weeks, subject to consent. Traffic lights will be mobile, with locations within the traffic management area changing as required.*

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*Access to properties and businesses will be maintained during works.*

## Notification



### About our Community and Business Funds

HS2 offers two funds that are available to local communities and businesses in Birmingham and the West Midlands, to help with the disruption caused by our construction work. These are the Community and Environment Fund (CEF) and the Business and Local Economy Fund (BLEF).

The CEF is designed to give communities the opportunity to share in the benefits of HS2. It is an allocated fund that communities are able to apply for, to help to support local projects that aim to improve their local area.

The BLEF is designed to support local economies that may be disrupted by the construction of HS2. BLEF grants are for local business support organisations and local authorities to help maintain business activity in local communities.

**For more information about each of these funds, including how to apply, please visit: [www.groundwork.org.uk/hs2funds](http://www.groundwork.org.uk/hs2funds)**

### About our 'HS2 in Warwickshire' website

The planning and construction of HS2 is a huge operation – it is currently the largest infrastructure project in Europe.

It's important to us that you are kept up to date about the progress of the project and any work that may impact you or your community. We have a series of community-focused websites where you can find out what is happening in your local area and sign up for updates about our activities.

**Our dedicated website for the Warwickshire area is available at: [hs2inwarwickshire.commonplace.is](http://hs2inwarwickshire.commonplace.is)**

At this website, you can also sign up to receive regular news alerts of work happening in your area and see the list of upcoming events offering you the opportunity to meet with HS2.





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# 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](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: [www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-ltd-residents-commissioner](http://www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-ltd-residents-commissioner)

You can contact the Commissioner at: [residentscommissioner@hs2.org.uk](mailto: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](mailto: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](http://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](http://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](http://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](mailto:hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk)**

Write to:

**FREEPOST**

**HS2 Community Engagement**

Website **[www.hs2.org.uk](http://www.hs2.org.uk)**

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