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HS2

Notification



Notice of temporary closure of Ridgeway Lane

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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.

Works planned near the Grand Union Canal

Over the coming months, we'll be working near the Grand Union Canal to construct an ecological mitigation site at Longhole. This part of works to provide new habitats for wildlife along the length of HS2 contributing to creating a 'green corridor'. We will also be improving the road surface along Ridgeway Lane, including filling in pot holes.

Whats involved?

LM will be temporarily closing a section of Ridgeway Lane to vehicle traffic in order to construct this ecological mitigation site and road repair work. This will also help to create a safe working area for our workers.

The closure will be in place 24 hours a day, seven days a week for around three weeks (subject to site and weather conditions) in the area shown in the map on the next page. While this section of road is closed, a diversion route will be in operation along Welsh Lane, Fosse Way and the A425.

Pedestrians, cyclists and horse riders will still be able to use the roadway while the closure is in effect. Traffic Marshalls will escort non-motorised users safely through the works if required.

Why we're doing this work?

We need to prepare as much of the route as possible between October 2019 and March 2020. 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

Duration of works

From the week commencing 27th January for three weeks, subject to site and weather conditions.

What to expect

You might experience longer journey times during the temporary closure.

You might see us working on site during the day.

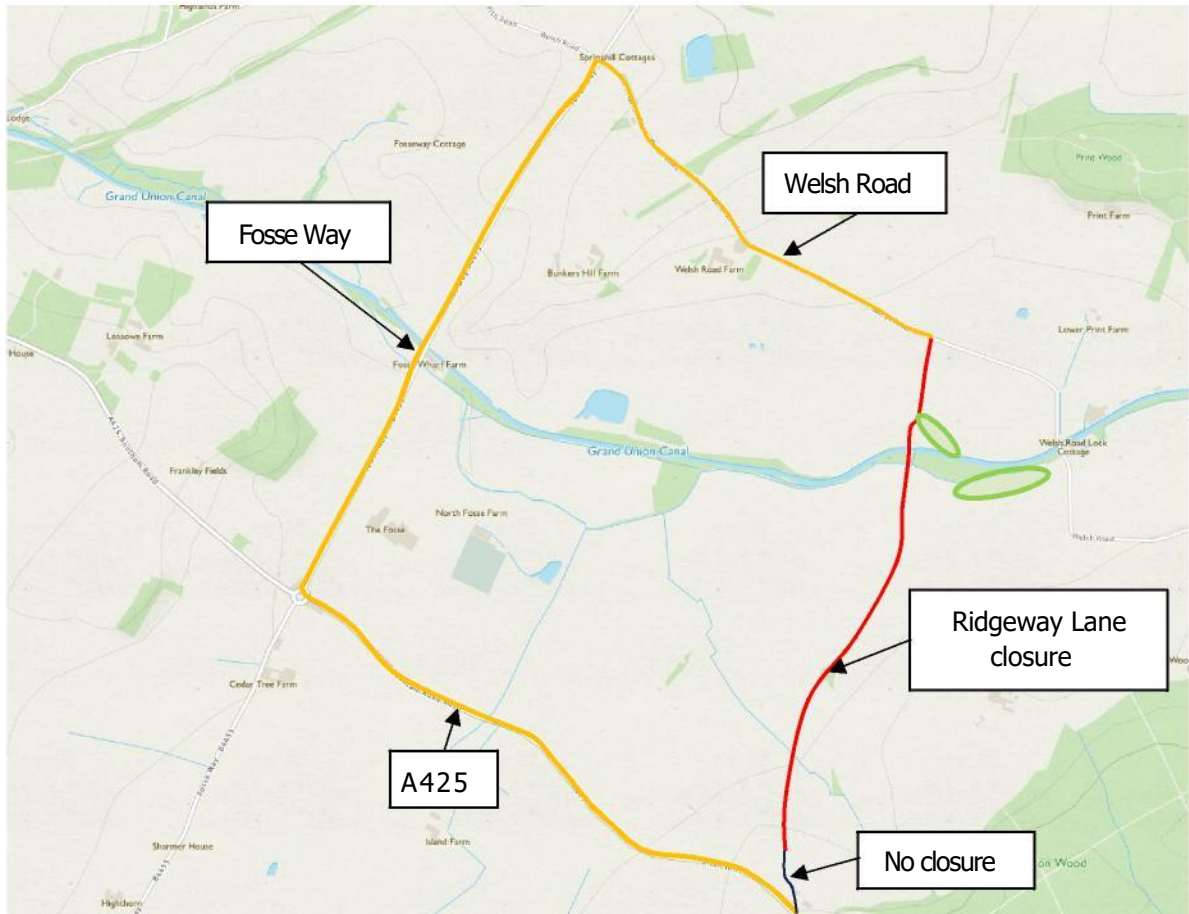
What we will do

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




Ensure road closure and diversion routes are clearly marked.

Sign up for regular updates at hs2inwarwickshire.co.uk

Diversion route for motorised vehicles.



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-  Road closure to vehicle traffic
-  Vehicle traffic diversion route
-  Ecological mitigation sites

Road closure will be in operation 24 hours a day from the week commencing 27th January for three weeks, subject to site and weather conditions.

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Our working hours will be between 8.00am and 6.00pm from Monday to Friday, and between 8.00am and 1.00pm on Saturdays. We might be on site for up to one hour before or after to set up or pack up.

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

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 any 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

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 to keep you 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.co.uk

On 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.



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.hs2inwarwickshire.co.uk

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