

Update: Notice of survey work on Manor Road and the junction of Bar Hill A525

High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain. Working on behalf of HS2 Ltd, Kier is carrying out surveys and investigating ground conditions along the Phase 2a route.

What we are doing

We will be carrying out ground penetrating surveys to help us identify the location of buried utility services, such as gas, electric or water. These surveys are non-intrusive, we will use a machine that transmits an electromagnetic pulse into the ground. These pulses reflect off features in the ground, allowing us to collect data and to understand the depth of the buried utility services.

Along with ground penetrating surveys, we will carry out several other surveys. For the safety of both our workforce and motorists, we need to close a small section of the A525 overnight.

When the work will take place

This will take place from **Monday 7 March** to **Friday 11 March 2022**. Please note that all our planned roadworks may be subject to change due to weather conditions or unforeseen circumstances.

Covid-19

We are working in line with Government and Public Health England (PHE) advice on working safely during the pandemic. For all events and engagement, we will carry out a risk assessment and put in place control measures to manage the risk of Covid-19 to the public and our staff. If you have any questions about this, please contact our Helpdesk to find out more. The health and safety of our workforce and the communities we affect is our key priority.

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

Monday 7 March to Friday 11 March 2022 between 9pm and 5am (excluding weekends)

Please note that the time and date in this notification **may** be subject to change.

What to expect

Road closure on Bar Hill A525 between **9pm** and **6am**

Diversion route

Some delays

Low levels of noise

What we will do

Use interactive communication boards to maintain access to businesses and properties within the closure

Notify you in advance of any changes

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How this will affect your journey

We have now completed our work on Manor Road, however, please accept our apologies for the short notice in the change of traffic management set up. For safety reasons, we are unable to carry out the survey work under temporary traffic light on the A525, as per our original notification.

From **Monday 7 March** to **Friday 11 March** from **9pm to 5am** we need to close a small section on the A525. Motorists have been notified advance by installing warning signs, and a signed diversion route. Please allow additional time for your journey during this time.

How we will minimise disruption

We will be carrying out this work overnight, with access maintained to all properties within the traffic management set up. In addition to our operatives manning the closure to allow access, we will install several interactive talk boards for instant communications with residents and businesses to our workforce. The nature of the work is non-intrusive and should not affect nearby properties.

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Where we will be working

Notification

What else is happening in your area?

www.hs2.org.uk

Contact our HS2 Helpdesk team

Our team is here to listen and respond to your enquiry, complaint or feedback to help us be a good neighbour.

You can contact our Helpdesk team all day, every day of the year on:

Freephone: 08081 434 434

Minicom: 08081 456 472

Email: hs2enquiries@hs2.org.uk

Keep up-to-date with your local community website

To find out more about what's happening in your area and receive regular email updates, you can sign up to our local community websites at: www.hs2inyourarea.co.uk.

About our Community and Business Funds

Two funds are now open for applications from local communities and businesses affected by the construction of HS2. They are the Community and Environment Fund (CEF) and the Business and Local Economy Fund (BLEF). £5 million has been allocated to the funds for phase 2a of the railway.

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: https://www.groundwork.org.uk/hs2funds





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 you.

The Residents' Commissioner

The independent Residents' Commissioner oversees and monitors our commitments to you.

The commissioner's reports and our responses can be found at www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-ltd-residents-commissioner

The Residents' Commissioner makes sure we fulfil the commitments in the HS2 Community Engagement Strategy (https://bit.ly/3oOA25j).

The Residents' Commissioner can be contacted on: residentscommissioner@hs2.org.uk

Construction Commissioner

The independent Construction Commissioner regularly meets our Chief Executive Officer to raise any concerns or emerging trends across HS2.

The Construction Commissioner's role has been developed to monitor the way we manage and respond to construction complaints.

The commissioner mediates on disputes about construction, involving individuals and organisations, that we can't resolve. The commissioner advises members of the public about how to make a complaint about construction.

The Construction Commissioner can be contacted on: complaints@hs2-cc.org.uk

Property and compensation

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

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

Find out if you can claim 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 the HS2 Helpdesk. For more details on our complaints process, please visit: www.hs2.org.uk/in-your-area/contact-us/how-tocomplain/

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