Balfour Beatty VINCI Working in partnership with HS2

Notification

Notice of demolition works on Attleboro Lane

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High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain. Balfour Beatty VINCI is working in partnership with HS2 Ltd to build the new high speed railway in your area.

What work will we be doing?

Demolition works are to take place of existing buildings on the section of Attleboro Lane to be crossed by the HS2 line. Throughout the summer we have been completing surveys and in October we will be begin demolition works to this group of houses.

To facilitate access of the demolition machinery, vegetation removal will take place in the existing front and rear gardens of the houses and along the frontage of Attleboro Lane, using chainsaws and hand tools.

An excavator will be used to scrape the topsoil away at the base and enable any stumps to be removed. Chipped material will be sprayed from the chipper directly into a tipper truck and transported off site.

All plant and machinery used will access the working site from the current BBV site situated off the B4118 Birmingham Road.

Controlling noise, vibration, and dust

In carrying out the works, BBV and its contractors will adhere to the principles set out in the High Speed Rail (London-West Midlands) Environmental Minimum Requirements. Furthermore, all reasonable steps will be implemented so that noise and vibration from the construction does not exceed the maximum levels permitted.

Dust suppression will be completed in the form of surface wetting.

Our environmental team will be on site on a regular basis to monitor aspects throughout the demolition works being completed.

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 are scheduled to start 4 October
- Works will take around 7 weeks to complete
- Our working hours will be 8:00am until 6:00pm.
- Our workforce can be on site 1 hour before and after to set up and take down our work equipment.

What to expect

- Demolition of houses
- Machinery on site completing demolition works

What we will do

- Keep hs2inwarwickshire.co.uk up-to-date with any changes
- Keep all sites safe and secure.

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Where will the demolitions be taking place?

HS2 during the COVID-19 pandemic

We are continually reviewing the works on our construction sites in line with the Government and Public Heath England (PHE) advice on dealing with coronavirus. The Government's current coronavirus strategy makes clear that construction activity can continue as long as it complies with this guidance. The health and safety of our workforce and the communities we affect is out key priority. Please be assured that those sites that are currently still working are doing so because they can operate within PHE and construction industry guidelines.

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

We are offering two funds that are available to local communities and businesses between the West Midlands and London, 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: 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.

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

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