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## Notice of westbound lane closure on the A45 Coventry Road

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

During 2021, we have been working in your area to prepare the way for the future HS2 railway route and this work includes vegetation removal.

### We'll be installing a lane closure from Monday 6 December

To carry out our works safely, we'll install a temporary lane closure on the A45 Coventry Road slip road leading to the Bickenhill Household Waste and Recycling Centre (HWRC). Access to Bickenhill HWRC will be maintained at all times. More information can be found in the map on the next page.

This lane closure will be in place on weekdays from **Monday 6 December** until **Friday 17 December** between **09.30am until 3:30pm**. Our contractors may be on site for up to an hour before and after those times to set up and secure the site.

Access will be maintained for local businesses and journeys to local amenities and the public footpath will be marshalled to ensure pedestrians are safely escorted through the works. This work is subject to gaining the appropriate consents.

### HS2 and the COVID-19 outbreak

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 COVID-19 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 our 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.

**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

Weekdays on the A45 from Monday 6 December until Friday 17 December between 09:30am and 3:30pm.

This schedule is subject to change depending on site and weather conditions.

### What to expect

Temporary westbound lane closure on the A45.

### What we will do

Keep all sites safe and secure and clear signage is in place for drivers.

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

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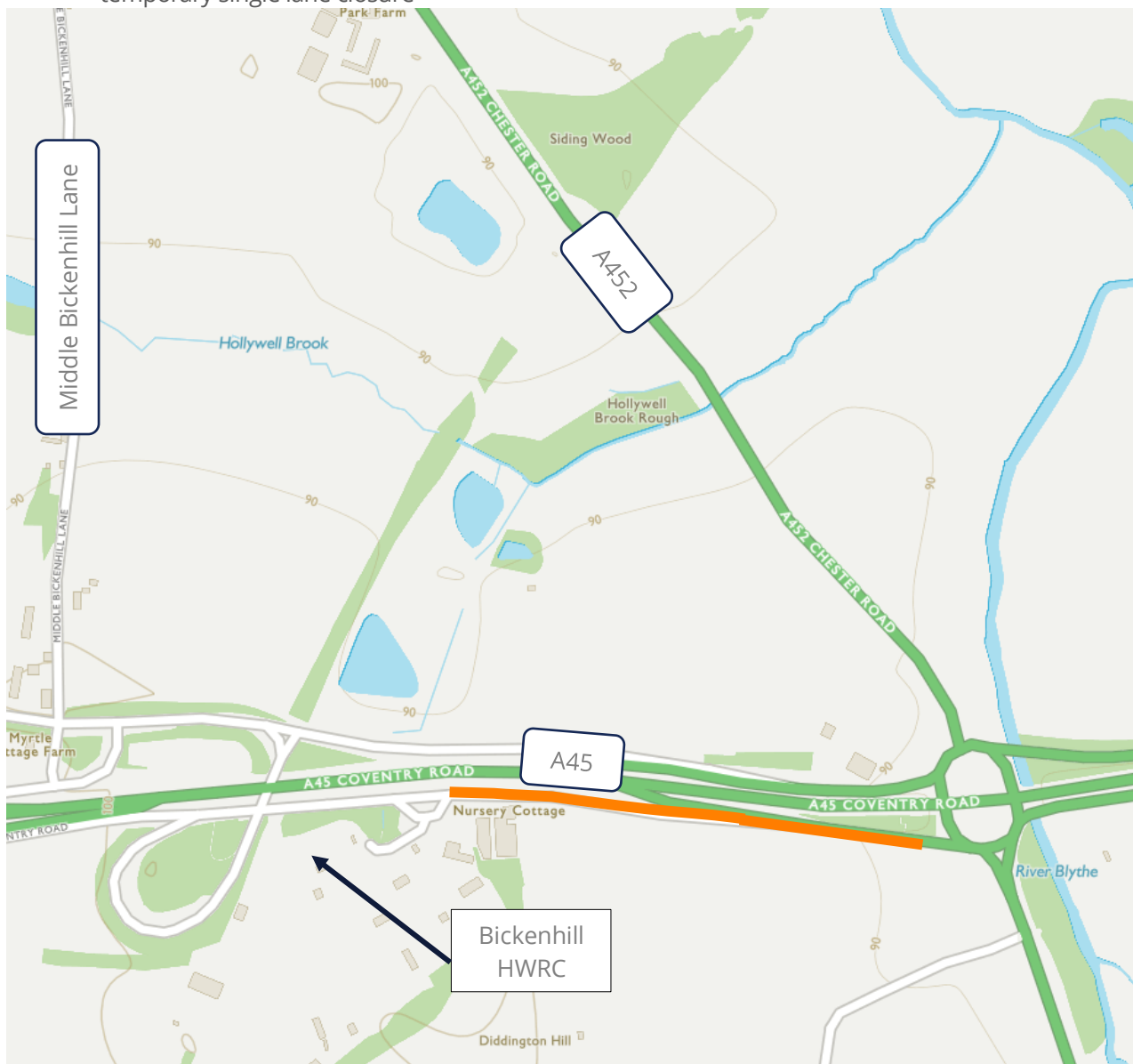
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## Location of daytime single lane closure on the A45 slip road

The map below outlines the location of our temporary single lane closure on the A45 westbound between 09:30am and 3:30pm on weekdays from Monday 6 December to Friday 17 December.

### Key

 = temporary single lane closure



This schedule is subject to change depending on site and weather conditions. We'll keep you informed of any adjustments at: [www.hs2insolihull.co.uk](http://www.hs2insolihull.co.uk)

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# What else is happening in your area?

## About our Community and Business Funds

We are offering 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 Community websites

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 community sites currently serve Birmingham, Solihull, Staffordshire and Warwickshire. To find your local community website, visit: [www.hs2.org.uk/in-your-area](http://www.hs2.org.uk/in-your-area)

For further information about Phase 2a and Phase 2b, visit:

[www.gov.uk/government/organisations/high-speed-two-limited](http://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/high-speed-two-limited)



# 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)**

To keep up to date with what is happening in your local area, visit: **[www.hs2insolihull.co.uk](http://www.hs2insolihull.co.uk)**

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