

## **Interim Taxi Facilities**

Concept Design Euston Square Gardens February 2017

## Construction Phase – AP<sub>3</sub> Adopted Interim Taxi Schemes

- The Bill scheme identified the following locations for temporary taxi facilities:
  - Euston Square Gardens (2018 2022) move needed due to closure of the basement facility and utilities works on Eversholt Street (sewer diversion) Q2 2017 to Q1 2020
  - Eversholt Street (2023 2026) move due to London Underground works Euston Road/ Gordon Street
  - New Cobourg Street (2026 2033) move due to station completion and the need for a larger facility closer to the HS2 platforms

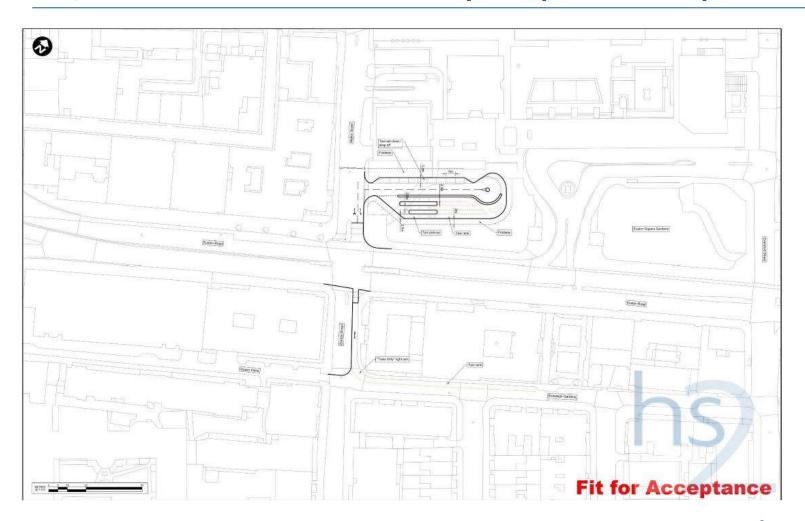


# Temporary taxi facility at Euston Square Gardens (2018 – 2022)

- Existing taxi facilities to be closed by mid-2018 when the temporary taxi facilities will begin operating in the Euston Square Gardens (west)
- Secondary rank located on Endsleigh Gardens and Gordon Street for access to the taxi facility
- 6 taxi pick-up bays with provision for shared-taxi use
- Taxi set-down comprising of 9 bays
- Option uses broadly similar routing by taxis to and from the existing Melton Street/Cardington Street taxi facility at Euston station
- Additional set-down facilities located on Eversholt Street

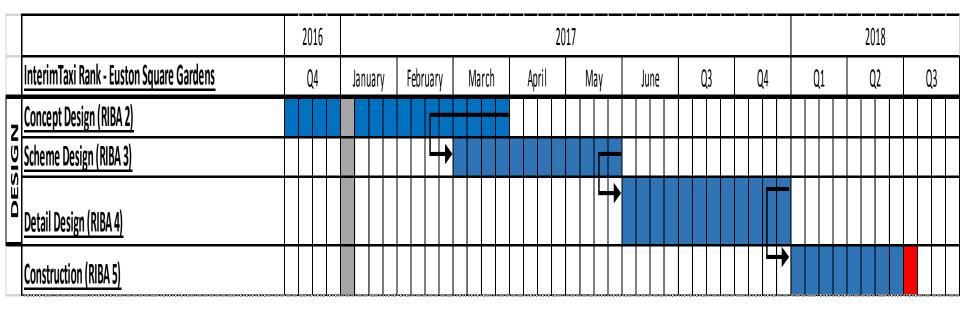


#### AP3 Euston Gardens (west) temporary taxi facility





## **Programme for Interim Taxi Facilities**



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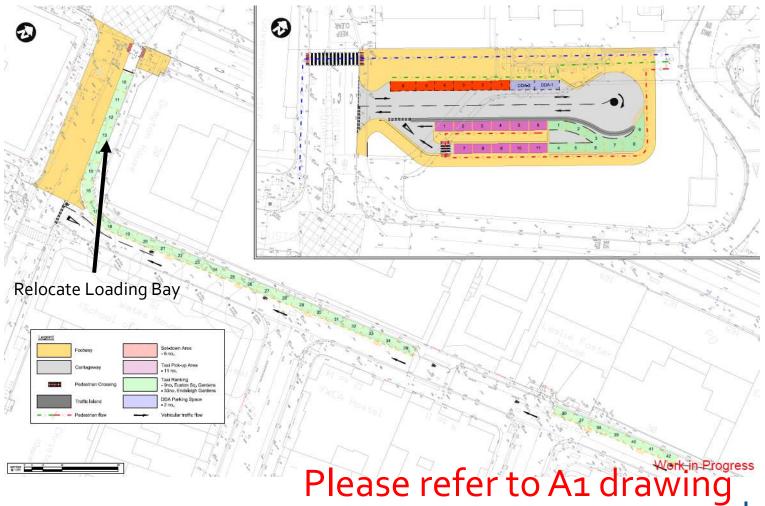


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- Three options based on the Bill Interim Taxi Facility in Euston Square Gardens have been developed for engagement
- The plans will be available for viewing and comment at HS2iE from 22/02/2017 – 04/03/2017
  - HS2iE will be open 10-2pm on Saturday 4 March for people to drop in.
  - There will be a presentation on the options at 1.30pm
  - The plans will also be presented at the Camden Community Traffic Working Group w/c 6 March 2017
- HS2 will review comments provided to inform the conceptual design development



## **Euston Square Gardens – Option 1A**



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## Option 1A

#### PROS:

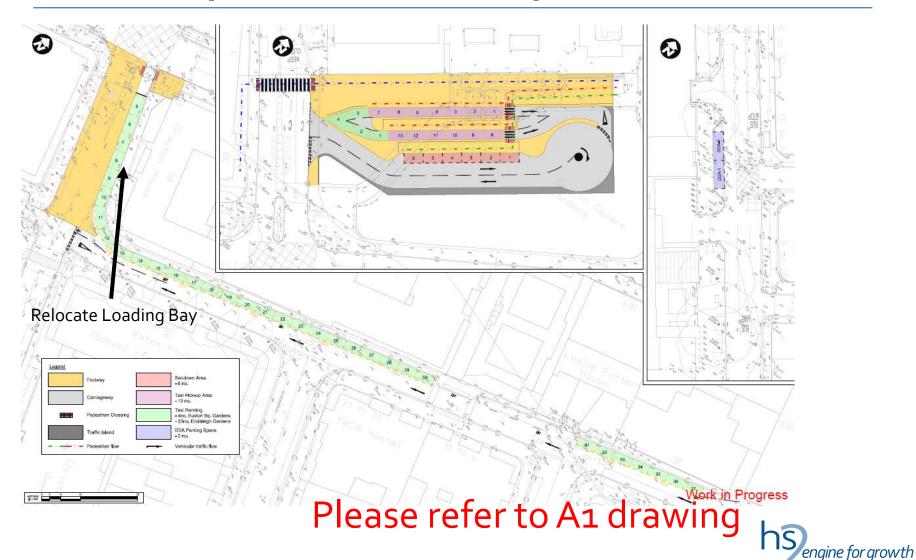
- Minimal change from existing taxi routing
- Approximately 42 ranking spaces and 11 pick-up bays
- Dedicated crossing that routes pedestrians north of the facility entrance across
  Melton Street
- Minimal junction/highway changes required
- Additional set-down spaces on A4200 Eversholt Street

#### CONS

- Mobility Assistance Reception (MAR) route to station from taxi facility
- Potential for re-circulation of set-down vehicles onto Euston Road
- Taxi passengers travel to/from the facility along a managed pedestrian route
- Servicing buildings on Endsleigh Gardens and Gordon Street



## **Euston Square Gardens – Option 1B**



### Option 1B

#### PROS:

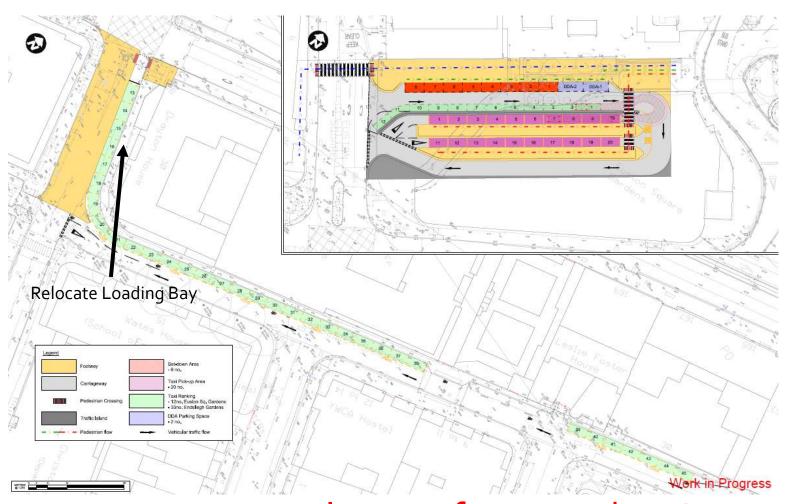
- Minimal change from existing taxi routing
- Approximately 37 ranking spaces and 13 pick-up bays
- Dedicated crossing that routes pedestrians north of the facility entrance across
  Melton Street
- Minimal junction/highway changes required
- Potential for additional set-down spaces on A4200 Eversholt Street

#### CONS

- MAR route to station from DDA bays on Eversholt Street
- Potential for re-circulation of set-down vehicles onto Euston Road
- Taxi passengers travel to/from the facility along a managed pedestrian route
- Servicing buildings on Endsleigh Gardens and Gordon Street



### **Euston Square Gardens – Option 1C**



Please refer to A1 drawing hsengine for growth



### Option 1C

#### PROS:

- Minimal change from existing taxi routing
- Approximately 45 ranking spaces and 20 pick-up bays (highest capacity)
- Dedicated crossing that routes pedestrians north of the facility entrance
- Minimal junction/highway changes required
- Potential for additional set-down spaces on A4200 Eversholt Street

#### CONS

- MAR route to station from taxi facility
- Potential for re-circulation of set-down vehicles onto Euston Road
- Taxi passengers travel to/from the facility along a managed pedestrian route
- Servicing buildings on Endsleigh Gardens and Gordon Street



#### Tree loss

- At ECRG 21/02/17 –
   Community
   representatives asked
   for information on the
   number of mature
   trees affected by the
   Hs2.
- The trees outlined in red will be removed due to the construction of HS2
- The trees in outlined in black are planned to be retained
- This is as assessed through the Bill.





## Tree replacement

- At ECRG 21/02/17 –
   Community
   representatives asked
   for information on the
   number of mature
   trees affected by the
   Hs2.
- The trees in yellow will be replaced once the High Speed platforms are completed
- The trees in dark green are planned to be retained



