Notice of utilities surveys at Heartlands Parkway

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High Speed Two (HS2) is the new high speed railway for Britain. Early works for HS2 Limited are carried out by LM – a joint venture between Laing O’Rourke and J. Murphy & Sons.

Work starting soon on Heartlands Parkway

LM will be carrying out surveys on Heartlands Parkway and nearby roads, to identify the location of utilities like gas, water and electricity cables, which may need to be diverted as part of construction of the railway.

Where we’ll be working

To carry out these surveys safely, we may need to manage traffic in the area. This means temporarily closing lanes on some local roads (highlighted on the map on the next page), including

- Watson Road
- Cuckoo Road
- A47 Heartlands Parkway
- Bromford Lane
- Wolseley Drive

We do not plan to fully close any roads, and expect to keep traffic moving in both directions at all times using lane closures and/or traffic lights. Some footpaths may also be affected. Appropriate signage will be in place to explain the changes to road users and pedestrians.

If you have a question about HS2 or our works, please contact our helpdesk on 08081 434 434 or email HS2enquiries@hs2.org.uk

Duration of work

We will carry out the surveys from week starting 8 October 2018, until early March 2019.

Our working hours will be from 9:30am-3:30pm, with people on site one hour before and after those times.

What to expect

The roads highlighted on the map on the next page will have lane and footpath closures at different points, as the works progress through the highlighted area. Some journeys through this area could be a little longer than usual.

What we will do

We will

- Keep disruption to a minimum
- Work in one area at a time
- Maintain traffic flow in both directions at all times.

All traffic management will be clearly signposted to help with your journey.
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Map showing roads affected by lane closures

Come and meet us at one of our drop-in sessions

We have community information sessions coming up in your local area.

These sessions give you the opportunity to meet our team and ask any questions you may have about works in Lawford Close, or any future works, including our demolition programme.

Our next drop-in sessions are:

- Tuesday 25 September, 11:00 am to 2:00 pm, Saltley Methodist Church, 140 Alum Rock Rd, Birmingham, B8 1HU

- Tuesday 25 September, 1:00 pm to 7:00 pm, St Martin (Bull Ring), Edgbaston Street, Birmingham, B5 5BB

- Thursday 15 November, 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm, Heartlands Resource Centre, 6 Inkerman Street, Birmingham, B7 4SB

For more information about these events, or to hear about future sessions, visit: www.hs2inbirmingham.commonplace.is
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

Contact us
If you have any questions about this notification of works, please get in touch.

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