



# Notice of piling works near A446 Lichfield Road, Coleshill

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

## The work we will be doing

We will be starting piling works within our working areas, near the A446 Lichfield Road, Coleshill. These works are set to begin throughout November and December 2022, with the piling works set to be complete by June 2023. We will stop piling works from Friday 23 December 2022 and begin works again from Monday 3 January 2023.

We need to install bored piles to stabilise the ground whilst we build the Water Orton Viaducts and Chattle Hill Structure. The Water Orton Viaducts will carry the north chord of the HS2 trainline line over the M42, the existing Birmingham to Leicester trainline, the A446 and the River Tame. The Chattle Hill Structure also carries the railway over the A446, but as part of the HS2 mainline.

Bored piles are used to form a foundation that provides support for structures by distributing their weight evenly across the ground. To install the piles will use a piling machine to drill a vertical hole deep into the ground. We will then lower the reinforced steel into the hole using a crane before filling the hole with concrete and finally capping them at ground level with a beam. As we carry out this work you may notice deliveries of materials, construction equipment and machinery.

Noise and dust will be carefully managed throughout, with noise, dust and vibration monitoring in place throughout these works.

## Drop in event

We will be at Coleshill Town Hall on Tuesday 25 October, from 4pm until 7pm. This drop in event is an opportunity for you to find out more about HS2, what it means for your local area and have your questions answered. Further information can be found on the HS2 Events Page found at [www.hs2.org.uk/events/](http://www.hs2.org.uk/events/)

### Duration of works

November 2022 until June 2023

Working hours Monday – Friday 7.30am until 7.00pm

Piling works to stop from Friday 23 December until Monday 3 January

We may be on site up to an hour before the start and end of each shift.

### What to expect

Installation of bored piles within our sites

Large construction machinery in the area

### What we will do

Monitor our works to ensure that we are working to the required limits to reduce our impact on our neighbours

Keep you updated at [www.hs2inwarwickshire.co.uk](http://www.hs2inwarwickshire.co.uk)

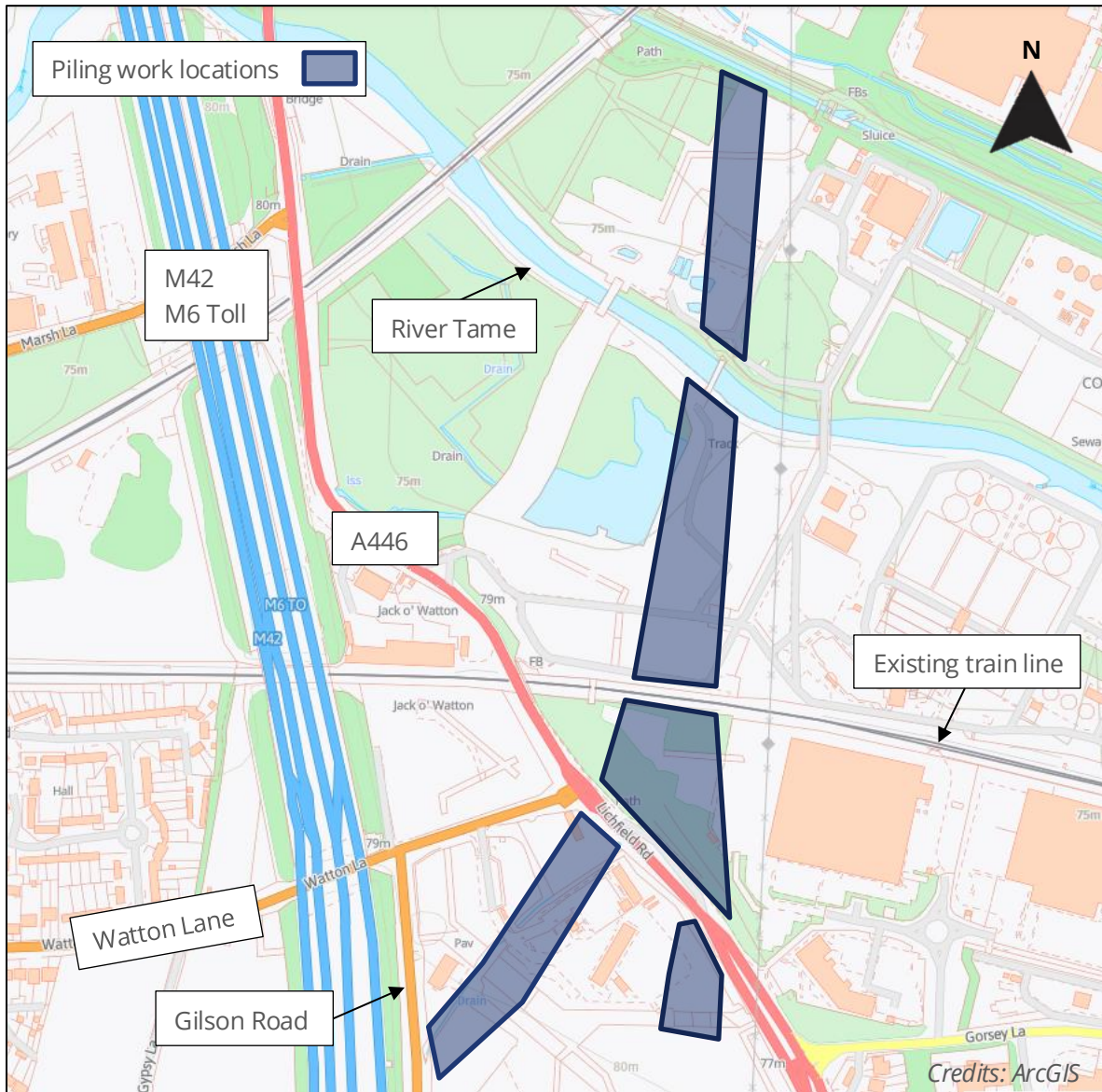
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Notification



Map showing work locations for piling within our sites



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

# What else is happening in your area?

[www.hs2.org.uk](http://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](mailto: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](http://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 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](http://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](mailto: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](mailto: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](http://www.gov.uk/government/collections/hs2-property)

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

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## Contact us

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 Email **[HS2enquiries@hs2.org.uk](mailto:HS2enquiries@hs2.org.uk)**

Write to:

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