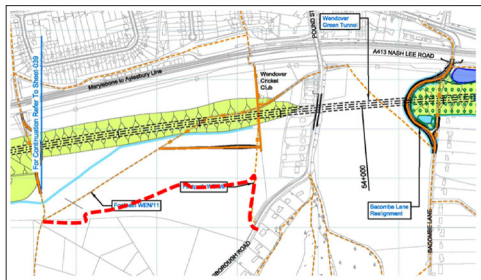


Some works progressing

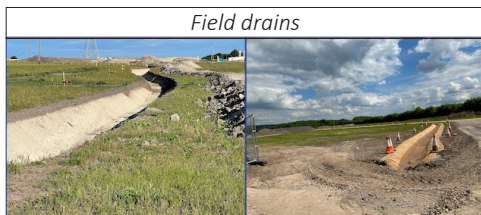
During June there has been some visible signs of progress by EKFB, notably the creation of a new path between Ellesborough Road and Wellwick Farm as a diversion for the Right of Way that crossed the field behind Wendover Station.



Map of new PRoW route (top)
Photos of Ellesborough Road (south) end, Wellwick (north) end, and Midpoint of path

The circuitous path follows the edge of the land allocated for use by HS2, and will be part of the eventual design once the Green Tunnel has been built.

Less obvious developments include the creation of miles of field drains to handle surface water



Field drains

around the works area and the creation of settlement ponds to allow clean water to flow into the existing brooks.

While the Environment Agency is understood to be withholding approval for any works that will affect the Aquifer in the Green Tunnel section, considerable excavation has been undertaken in the Small Dean section in preparation for the Viaduct. There is now a massive spoil dump at Small Dean Lane, which is estimated to grow to 150,000 tons of material before being moved north to form the embankment beside the Bypass and cover the Green Tunnel.



Small Dean spoil dump

This was delayed from last year due to bats roosting, but this should now be resolved with the warmer weather and removal of some roofing tiles.

Monitoring HS2 Lorries in Wendover

There was a recent spate of HS2 related HGV lorries carrying tarmac going through Wendover trying to find the works compound beside the bypass. This should not be happening, as the formal route explicitly avoids the village centre. You can report issues like this (or make any other complaints) to the HS2 Helpdesk which is available 24 hours a day on 08081 434 434.



An HS2 lorry in Wendover

Some expected works outstanding

Two significant works that are later than expected include the Installation of the conveyor bridge over the A413 at Small Dean, which was scheduled with overnight road closures between 14th and 16th June as we went to press. This was delayed from May to resolve some road safety considerations.

Also the long awaited demolition of the cottages in Ellesborough Road is now scheduled between 13th and 15th June with



Fundraising & ideas

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If you have ideas or suggestions that would mitigate the community impact, then get in touch at enquiries@whs2.org and we'll assist however we can.

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