



Railway Neighbour

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Dear Neighbour

**IMPROVEMENT WORKS – Station Road, Sutton Bonington.**

I am writing to inform you that Network Rail needs to undertake essential improvement works near your property. These improvements are a vital aspect of our strategy to deliver a better railway for Britain.

**This work will involve** the demolition and reconstruction of the railway bridge on Station Road, including the renewal of the approaching road safety barriers. This is to allow for the future electrification of the Midland Main Line.

**To undertake this work** a full road closure will be in place from **Thursday 08 September 2016 – 03 April 2017**. A copy of the diversion route as agreed with Nottinghamshire County Council is enclosed with this letter. A temporary walkway will be available for pedestrians only. However for safety reasons, this will be closed during the demolition period and for short periods during crane operations.

The equipment we use means some disturbance is unavoidable, but we will make every effort to minimise any unnecessary noise. Furthermore, those working on site are briefed on working responsibly in the local community.

Our key dates are:

**22 August 2016** – Compound set up and road preparation works

**08 September 2016** – Full road closure implemented

**12 & 13 November 2016** – Demolition of existing bridge

**03 April 2017** – Road reopens

We will make every effort to achieve these dates; however the nature of the work can sometimes lead to unforeseen delays. We will endeavour to keep you informed of any changes to this plan.

**Our normal working hours will be:** 07:30 – 17:30 Monday – Friday

In addition we will also be working overnight on the following dates:

03/04 September 2016 22:00 – 11:00  
10/11 September 2016 22:00 – 08:00  
17/18 September 2016 22:00 – 06:00  
24/25 September 2016 22:00 – 12:00

01/02 October 2016 22:00 – 12:00  
08/09 October 2016 22:00 – 12:00  
15/16 October 2016 22:00 – 12:00  
22/23 October 2016 22:00 – 12:00  
29/30 October 2016 22:00 – 08:00

05/06 November 2016 22:00 – 14:00  
12-14 November 2016 21:00 – 05:00  
19/20 November 2016 22:00 – 12:00  
26/27 November 2016 22:00 – 12:00


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Safety is our number one priority and for this reason work of this type must be carried out while trains are not running. Under our licence conditions we are contractually obliged to work, whenever possible, at times that cause the least disruption to train services. Unfortunately, this means carrying out a lot of our improvements during the night and at weekends.

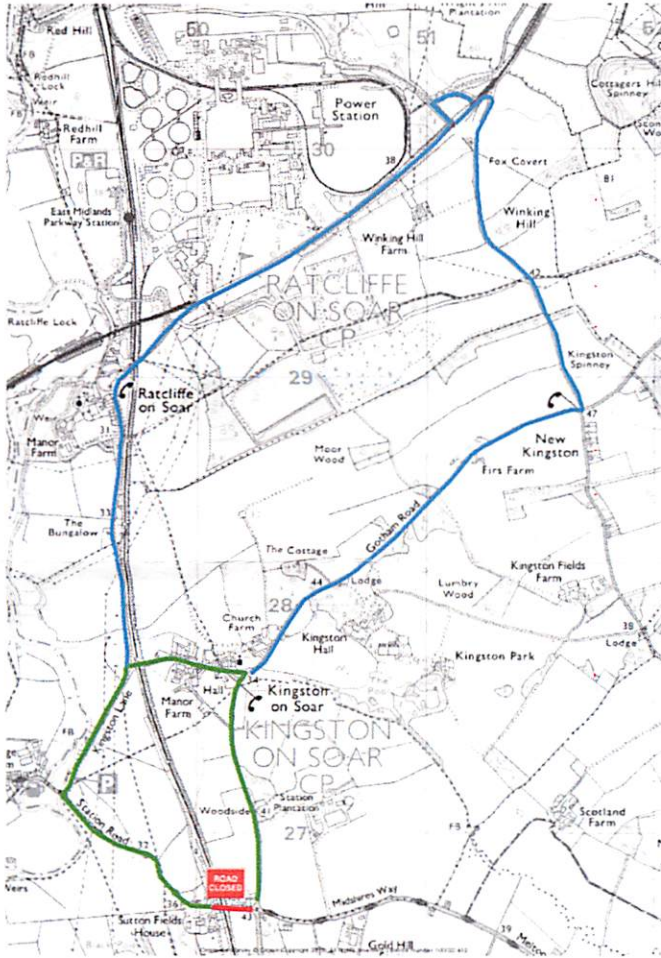
We will be holding a **public information event** to show the plans for the bridge to the public and to answer any questions. This will be held at Normanton-on-Soar Village Hall, 83 Main St, LE12 5HB on Wednesday **3 August 15:30-19:30**. Everyone is welcome to attend.

I hope this information is helpful and we apologise in advance for any inconvenience these essential works may cause. However, if you have any additional questions or concerns, please visit [www.networkrail.co.uk](http://www.networkrail.co.uk) or telephone our **24-Hour National Helpline on 03457 11 41 41**.

Yours faithfully



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Road Closure —

Diversion for LOW sided Vehicles —

Diversion for HIGH sided vehicles —

