

By email

20 December 2024

Dear Residents

Thank you for contacting us. We understand that there has been some communication and discussion within the community about the consideration of HS2 Ltd's contract partner, EKFB, using Dobbins Lane in the Spring of 2025.

In May 2024, EKFB held a public information event and drop-in at the Tennis Club on Dobbins Lane. They explained that we need to install a spring chamber, which will enable ground water levels and flows in the watercourses, local to Wendover, to be maintained.

In order to access the site to build the spring chamber, we need to upgrade an existing track across farmland, the entrance to which is off Dobbins Lane/Bridleways.

We understand that this is a residential area, which is why we have been in regular discussion with Buckinghamshire Council throughout 2024 about our proposals, as well as separate discussions with the Parish Council.

At this time, we are in the process of preparing a planning application for the spring chamber for submission to Buckinghamshire Council. EKFB will be holding another event early in 2025. We will be providing further information about this proposed event through your letterbox, nearer to the time. We will also share details on our events page which can be found here: [Events - HS2](#).

We have received a number of complaints, including yours, where residents are sharing their concerns regarding the perceived impacts of using Dobbins Lane for access to this small site. We understand these concerns were based on the information that had been shared within the community, and we wanted to provide some clarity.

We have considered your views of the consequences of HGVs using Dobbins Lane. We have listened to the feedback from you, and your neighbours, and we have used this to prepare the attached Frequently Asked Question (FAQ) sheet to provide clarification regarding the proposed use of Dobbins Lane.

As we have explained, we have received a number of emails from both you and your neighbours, expressing similar concerns. Therefore, we are sending the same response to ensure that everyone receives the same information; however, we do want to confirm that *your individual* concerns have been considered.

If you have any further questions, please contact us through our Helpdesk, which is available 24 hours a day, every day of the year, on freephone 08081 434 434, minicom 08081 456 472 or by email at [HS2Enquiries@hs2.org.uk](mailto:HS2Enquiries@hs2.org.uk).

You may find it helpful to register for updates on what is happening in your area; to do so, please visit: [HS2 in your area - HS2](#).

We trust this reply, along with the attached FAQs and the planned drop-in event, shows that we have listened to your community's views and reassures you that we are continuing to work with Buckinghamshire Council to ensure the safety of your community.

Yours sincerely

Louise

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