



Railway Neighbour

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Helpline (24/7): 03457 11 41 41

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Dear neighbour,

Railway improvement work - Wokingham area track replacement

I'm writing to let you know that we need to carry out a track renewal near your property to improve the reliability of the railway in the Wokingham area. **The work will take place from 07 February to 06 May 2022.**

We will be replacing rails, sleepers and ballast with the main works being undertaken from Friday 11 February to Monday 14 February. From Monday 31 January until Friday 25 February 2022, we will be using an area of Wokingham station car park to store our site cabins and staff welfare facilities. During this period there will be fewer parking spaces available for public use and we apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

Larch Avenue residents - Our minibus will need to drop off staff at the top of Larch Avenue on Saturday 12 and Sunday 13 February where there is an access point to the railway, it may need to wait for a short period of time but will not block the road to residents.

Work will take place as follows:

Date	Time	Work to be carried out
Saturday 5 February to Sunday 6 February 2022	22:00 to 08:00	Preparation work - there will be machinery and teams on track using hand tools.
Monday 7 February to Friday 11 February 2022	22:00 to 06:00	
Friday 11 February to Monday 14 February 2022	22:00 to 06:00 Continuous working	Track renewal with heavy machinery and engineering trains throughout. This work will be noisy.



Monday 14 February to Friday 18 February 2022	22:00 to 06:00	Follow-up work there will be machinery and teams on track using hand tools. Tamping machine in use.
Monday 21 February to Friday 25 February 2022	22:00 to 06:00	
Monday 21 March to Friday 25 March 2022	22:00 to 06:00	
Tuesday 3 May to Wednesday 4 May 2022	22:00 to 06:00	

While the line is closed passengers should check before they travel at www.nationalrail.co.uk for details of revised services and replacement buses.

I hope this is useful, if you would like more information, please visit www.networkrail.co.uk or telephone our **24hr helpline on 03457 11 41 41** quoting "Information request - Track replacement, Wokingham"

Yours sincerely
Community relations, Wessex