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Dear Neighbour,

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Crossrail – Taplow station works

As part of our Railway Upgrade Plan, Network Rail is undertaking works in your area on behalf of Crossrail, the new railway linking Reading and Heathrow Airport in the west to Shenfield and Abbey Wood in the east, via new tunnels under central London.

Between now and 31 December 2016, some platform excavation works, which include ducting, trial holes, and installing earthing and bonding cables and foundation bases along the platforms, will need to be carried out at Taplow station. Mobile screens/barriers or enclosures will be placed around the breaking equipment and other noisy hand-held tools, where practical to do so. Some of this work must occur at night when no trains are running to provide a safe working area for our engineers.

Details of the work are set out below.

Working Times	Activity	Expected Impact
Various hours day and night until 31 December 2016	Installation of earthing and bonding cables along the temporary footbridge	Activities should not cause much disturbance
	Excavation and installation of ducting and chambers, foundation bases and trial holes	Noisy work at times – created by the use of pneumatic drills breaking any concrete obstructions
	Delivery and removal of materials, and site surveys	Activity should not cause much disturbance. Vehicle reversing alarms may be heard

Our contractor has worked closely with South Bucks District Council to secure appropriate consents for the works to proceed. We apologise for any disruption this work may cause and will endeavour to minimise the impact on local residents and users of the station. Those working on site will be briefed on their obligations to work considerately.

If you have any queries, please email <u>CRcrossrail@networkrail.co.uk</u> or call our dedicated 24-hour National Helpline on 03457 11 41 41. To sign-up for email updates about works in your area or to learn more about Crossrail, please visit <u>www.crossrail.co.uk</u>.

Yours faithfully,

Nicholas Holloway Community Relations Executive (Crossrail)