

**SECTION 48 PLANNING ACT 2008
REGULATION 4 OF THE INFRASTRUCTURE PLANNING
(APPLICATIONS: PRESCRIBED FORMS AND PROCEDURE)
REGULATIONS 2009
A46 NEWARK BYPASS
NOTICE PUBLICISING A PROPOSED APPLICATION FOR A
DEVELOPMENT CONSENT ORDER**

NATIONAL HIGHWAYS LIMITED of Bridge House, 1 Walnut Tree Close, Guildford, GU1 4LZ (“the Applicant”) proposes to make an application (“the Application”) under Section 37 of the Planning Act 2008 to the Secretary of State for Transport for a Development Consent Order.

The Application is for the proposed A46 Newark Bypass scheme and is located between Farndon village and Newark Showground, near Newark-on-Trent (Nottinghamshire) and is a Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project (NSIP) under Sections 14 and 22 of the Planning Act 2008.

The proposed scheme includes:

- Adding traffic signals to Farndon roundabout to improve traffic flows during peak hours
- A grade separated junction at Cattle Market with the A46 elevated to pass over the roundabout
- A short section of new dual carriageway over the A1, including slip roads to Brownhills roundabout and a new bridge to the north of the existing A46 bridge over the A1
- A new single lane carriageway between Friendly Farmer and Winthorpe roundabouts providing links to the A17, A1 and Newark-on-Trent
- Enlarging and adding traffic signals to Winthorpe roundabout with the mainline passing through the middle to form a through-about junction
- Diversion of utilities
- Environmental mitigation and floodplain compensation
- Application and/or disapplication of legislation relevant to the scheme
- Such ancillary, incidental and consequential provisions, permits or consents as necessary or convenient
- In addition any necessary rights and powers will be sought to ensure delivery of the scheme, including permanent and temporary compulsory acquisition (if required)

More details location and route plans can be found on the scheme webpage online at:

www.nationalhighways.co.uk/a46-newark-bypass

The scheme is an Environmental Impact Assessment development (“EIA development”), as defined by The Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017. An Environmental Statement will be submitted as part of the Application. Preliminary Environmental Information (“PEI”) forms part of the public consultation material.

Consultation on the proposals will take place from 26 October 2022 to 12 December 2022. Any person may comment on the proposals. When providing your response, please include your name and address or, if you would prefer your comments to be anonymous, your postcode only. Please also confirm the nature of your interest in the scheme.

Responses can be submitted by:

- Completing the consultation response form on the scheme webpage online at:
www.nationalhighways.co.uk/a46-newark-bypass
- Completing a copy of the printed consultation response form and posting it using the freepost address:
Freepost A46 NEWARK BYPASS
- Completing a printed copy of the consultation response form and giving it to a member of staff at one of the consultation events. Details of the consultation events are available on the scheme webpage online at:
www.nationalhighways.co.uk/a46-newark-bypass

Responses must be received between 26 October 2022 and 12 December 2022.

Printed copies of the consultation brochure and consultation response form will be available free of charge at deposit locations, listed in the table below, throughout the consultation period.

Copies of other consultation documents and plans will be available online and for inspection only at consultation events where you can also speak with the project team and share your views. Printed copies of consultation documents can be supplied on request, but there may be a charge applied in certain cases to cover the cost of printing and postage.

Deposit Locations		
Location	Opening hours	
	Day	Time
Newark Indoor Bowls Centre Newark Showground, Lincoln Road, Winthorpe, Newark-on-Trent, NG24 2NY	Monday to Friday: Saturday and Sunday:	09.45-21.30 09.30-14.30
The Lord Nelson Gainsborough Road, Winthorpe, Newark-on-Trent, NG24 2NN	Monday to Saturday: Sunday:	10.00-22.00 10.00-19.00
Bridge Community Centre Lincoln Road, Newark-on-Trent, NG24 2DQ	Monday to Sunday:	08.30-21.00
Newark and Sherwood District Council Castle House, Great North Road, Newark-on-Trent, NG24 1BY	Monday to Friday:	09.00-17.00
The Fox Inn Main Street, Newark-On-Trent, NG23 5QP	Monday to Thursday: Friday and Saturday: Sunday:	12.00-22.00 12.00-23.00 12.00-20.00
Newark Library Balderton Gate, Town Centre, Newark-on-Trent, NG24 1UW	Monday and Wednesday: Tuesday, Thursday and Friday: Saturday: Sunday:	9.00-18.30 9.00-18.00 9.00-16.00 Closed
The Lord Ted Farndon Road, Newark-on-Trent, NG24 4SW	Monday to Sunday:	11.00-23.00

The opening times of these deposit locations may be subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances. If in doubt, please contact location before visiting.

National Highways will consider and have regard to all responses when developing the Application for a Development Consent Order. Responses will form the basis of a Consultation Report that will be one of the factors taken into consideration by the Secretary of State when deciding whether the Application can be accepted for examination. Therefore, in providing any comment, it should be borne in mind that the substance of it may be communicated to others as part of the Consultation Report.

If you would like further information about this notice, the public consultation or the scheme, including requests for copies of consultation documents, the project team can be contacted using one of the following methods:

- **Email:** A46newarkbypass@nationalhighways.co.uk
- **Telephone:** 0300 123 5000
- **Postal address:** Freepost A46 NEWARK BYPASS