

# M2 Junction 5 improvements scheme

Have your say

Questionnaire



## Contact information

Please read the consultation document before completing the questionnaire

The consultation will run from Wednesday 6 September – Tuesday 17 October 2017

- Please return your completed questionnaire to any of the public exhibitions or via our freepost address: FREEPOST M2 junction 5 by Tuesday 17 October 2017
- You can also complete the questionnaire online at [www.roads.highways.gov.uk/m2-junction-5-improvements](http://www.roads.highways.gov.uk/m2-junction-5-improvements) until 11:59pm on 17 October 2017.





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Please complete your contact details below. If you would prefer not to disclose this information, please provide your postcode only as this will be helpful during our analysis of response.

Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Property name/ number: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

If you would like to be kept informed of the progress of the scheme proposals please provide your email address below.

Email (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Organisation (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

The information you provide will be kept in a secure environment only accessible by Highways England and the specific contractor(s) working with us on this project. Your personal information will not be shared with any other individuals or organisations, beyond the provisions set out in the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and Environmental Information Regulations 2004. The information you submit will only be used in support of the purpose specified in the survey. Personal details are collected only to ensure entries are not duplicated and in order to contact respondents if necessary. All personal details will be deleted at the end of the survey analysis period.

Please tick appropriate box(es)

### 1. How concerned are you about the following issues relating to the M2 junction 5?

(Please tick one option in each row) ✓

Issue	Very concerned	Slightly concerned	Not concerned	Not applicable
Traffic congestion				
Journey times or journey reliability				
Road safety				
Accommodating extra traffic from future housing and employment growth				
The effects of the M2 junction 5 traffic on the environment				
Displacement of traffic onto local roads to avoid the M2 junction 5				
Connections to the wider transport network				
Connections to the coast and other parts of the country				

Please tick appropriate box(es) ✓

2. Do you think there is severe congestion around the M2 junction 5? *Please tick one option.*

Yes  No  Don't know

3. What specific local issues do you feel we should be aware of in developing our proposals for the M2 junction 5? *Please provide details and examples to illustrate your answers.*

4. What type of journeys do you use the M2 junction 5 for most often? *Please tick one.*

Local (up to 10 mile trips)  Longer distance (more than 10 mile trip)

5. How often do you currently use the M2 junction 5? *Please select one option in each row.*

	Every day	5-6 days /week	3-4 days / week	1-2 days / week	Once a fortnight	Once a month	Several times a year	Less often / never
Weekdays in the morning peak (0800-0900)								
Weekdays in the evening peak (1700-1800)								
Weekdays off-peak (all other times)								
Weekends (anytime)								

6. How much do you agree or disagree that improvements to M2 junction 5 are needed? *Please select one option.*

Strongly agree	Agree	Neutral or undecided	Disagree	Strongly disagree

## Proposed scheme Option 12A

7. Please refer to the information and drawings describing Option 12A, which start on page 5 of the brochure. How much do you agree or disagree that the proposed option will meet the scheme objectives? *Please select one option in each row.*

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neutral or undecided	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know
Increase the capacity of the junction to support future growth in housing, employment and the economy						
Improve safety for all users of the junction to reduce accident numbers						
Improve reliability of journey times through the junction						
Deliver a high standard of highway design that is in keeping with the local environment						
Minimise any adverse environmental impacts where possible						

Please tick appropriate box(es) ✓

8. Overall to what extent do you support the proposed option (Option 12A) for the M2 junction 5 improvements?

Strongly agree	Agree	Neutral or undecided	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know

9. Please provide details to illustrate your response to question 8.

10. Do you have any outstanding concerns about the proposed option (12A) to improve the M2 junction 5? Please select one option in each row

	Very concerned	Slightly concerned	Not concerned	Not applicable
Capacity to accommodate future growth				
Impact on congestion / journey time				
Impact on road safety				
Disruption during construction				
Impact on noise, air or light pollution				
Impact on landscape setting				
Impact on biodiversity / ecology				
Impact on heritage				
Impact on residential properties / land				
Connections to other parts of the region				
Impact on likelihood of flooding				
Other concerns (please explain):				

**11.** Having read the brochure, and taking into account the constraints, please share your views on any other ideas you would like us to consider related to this scheme.

**12.** How do you think we can improve routes for other highway users, including pedestrians, cyclists and horse riders, as part of our proposals?

**13.** Do you have any other comments on the proposals for the M2 junction 5 scheme (Option 12A)?  
*Please provide them below.*

Please tick appropriate box(es) ✓

## The consultation

14. How did you find out about the M2 junction 5 improvements public consultation? *Please tick all boxes that apply.*

Letter through door	<input type="checkbox"/>
Local newspaper advert	<input type="checkbox"/>
Local newspaper article	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kent County Council website or email	<input type="checkbox"/>
Swale Borough Council website or email	<input type="checkbox"/>
Maidstone Borough Council website or email	<input type="checkbox"/>
Medway Council	<input type="checkbox"/>
Highways England website	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other website (please state)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Local radio	<input type="checkbox"/>
Poster	<input type="checkbox"/>
Local community group	<input type="checkbox"/>
Public notice	<input type="checkbox"/>
Social media	<input type="checkbox"/>
Word of mouth	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (please state)	<input type="checkbox"/>

15. Please indicate if you are commenting as (*please tick the **one** that applies most*):

A local resident	<input type="checkbox"/>
On behalf of a local business	<input type="checkbox"/>
Someone who works in the area	<input type="checkbox"/>
A visitor to the area	<input type="checkbox"/>
Someone who travels through the area	<input type="checkbox"/>
On behalf of a community organisation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prefer not to say	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (please state)	<input type="checkbox"/>



16. Have you found the consultation materials useful in finding the information that you need?

Yes  To a certain extent  No

If 'No', how could the material available be improved?

17. This questionnaire and project information is available online and at the exhibitions. Have you or do you intend to visit one of our public exhibitions?

Have visited exhibition  Intend to visit exhibition  No

18. If you have visited an exhibition, how useful did you find it in terms of addressing your questions?

Very useful	Useful	No feeling either way	Not useful	Not at all useful	Don't know	Not applicable

19. How do you usually travel through this area? *Please select all that apply.*

Walk	Cycle	Car/van driver	Car/van passenger	Motorcycle	Bus	Train	Other (please explain)

Other \_\_\_\_\_

20. Which **one** do you use most often? *Please select one.*

Walk	Cycle	Car/van driver	Car/van passenger	Motorcycle	Bus	Train	Other (please explain)

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**21. Do you have any comments about the consultation process?**

**Thank you for completing this questionnaire.**

Completed questionnaires can be returned as follows:

- Online at: [www.roads.highways.gov.uk/m2-junction-5-improvements](http://www.roads.highways.gov.uk/m2-junction-5-improvements)
- Via our freepost address [FREEPOST M2 junction 5](#) freepost envelope provided at the community drop points – no postage or stamp required
- Or you can drop it off at any of the public exhibitions listed on page 16 of the brochure.

Your views help shape the scheme. All consultation questionnaires received are formally recorded and in accordance with data protection requirements. Your personal details are used solely in connection with the consultation process.



**Thank you for  
completing this  
questionnaire.**

If you need help accessing this or any other Highways England information, please call **0300 123 5000** and we will help you.

## Contact us

If you have any queries relating to the M2 Junction 5 improvements please contact us at [www.roads.highways.gov.uk/m2-junction-5-improvements](http://www.roads.highways.gov.uk/m2-junction-5-improvements)

For the latest information and updates, please visit our website [www.roads.highways.gov.uk/m2-junction-5-improvements](http://www.roads.highways.gov.uk/m2-junction-5-improvements)

If you have any queries relating to Highways England, you should contact our customer contact centre on **0300 123 5000** or email [info@highwaysengland.co.uk](mailto:info@highwaysengland.co.uk)

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