

Market Harborough Line Speed Improvement Programme



The Market Harborough Line Speed Improvement Programme is a key part of a wider upgrade to the Midland Main Line which runs from St Pancras to Sheffield

What we are doing

- Realigning the track to improve efficiency and journey times
- Constructing new, longer platforms
- Building a new 500 space car park (300 spaces already available)
- Installing a new footbridge featuring lifts, opening up travel opportunities for more passengers

For more information please visit
www.networkrail.co.uk/improvements
and click on Market Harborough
line speed improvements

Project timeline

July 2018
New 300 space car park opened

Sept 2018
Track work in station area commenced

June 2019
Line closure to tie in new lines to existing

Summer 2019
New footbridge and lift brought into service

Dec 2019
500 space car park and new platforms fully opened for use

How we are doing it:

- Building the newly aligned track alongside the existing and tying in
- Some extended rail closures will be required to support this work, the main one being 28th May - 3rd June 2019 (may be subject to change)
- Accompanying earthworks and retaining piles
- Bridge repair and strengthening works – Rockingham Road and Great Bowden Road – requiring temporary road closures
- Alterations and improvements to the signalling, telecommunications and lineside electrical assets
- Work to complete the car park will be started after the new line has been commissioned

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