

INFORMATION SHEET



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ABBEY MILLS PUMPING STATION

Dear Neighbour,

Tideway has built a new 25km tunnel under London which will help stop millions of tonnes of sewage polluting the River Thames each year, once it becomes operational in 2025. We have now finished the secondary concrete lining of the final 5.5km section of tunnel from Bermondsey.

We are currently using our Thames Water Abbey Mills Pumping Station site:

- to prepare the drop shaft for large concrete pours
- to store plant, equipment, and materials



Aerial view of Abbey Mills Pumping Station and the Tideway site, August 2023

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From later this month, onsite activities and the workforce will reduce. However, we still need to connect the new Thames Tideway Tunnel into the existing Lee Tunnel.

These tunnels will carry London's sewage overflow on to Beckton Sewage Treatment Works.

The following construction activities remain ahead of the team, as we will:

- Remove equipment from the site following completion of the secondary lining of concrete inside the new tunnel
- Have large concrete pours for the shaft base, continuing to use the onsite concrete batching plant
- Break out the concrete base plug from the bottom of the shaft and then remove the temporary services from the shaft walls
- Use crane lifts to install a roof slab over the shaft
- Install and test mechanical and electrical equipment
- Connect the Thames Tideway Tunnel into the existing Lee Tunnel, by breaking through the concrete structure that sits between the two shafts
- Demobilise from the site

We will be working onsite until October 2024. The main period of 24-hour working, in order to achieve this date, will last until March 2024 inside the tunnel and at the base of the shaft. There will be a final element of 24 hour working in May 2024. Above ground works will be during weekdays: 8am – 6pm, with limited activities to support 24-hour working in the tunnel and shaft continuing on the surface 24 hours a day.

The majority of Tideway works will be in the area towards the south of the site, furthest from residential properties. We try hard not to cause disruption for residents in the surrounding area.

If you have any concerns or would like more information, please contact our 24 hour Helpdesk on 0800 030 80 80 or email helpdesk@tideway.london to speak to a member of the team.

If you feel affected by our work, please contact the Helpdesk, who can advise you on support available through the Independent Compensation Panel. Typical mitigation could include noise cancelling headphones or temporary respite. If you would like to make an application to the Independent Compensation Panel (ICP), please contact the Helpdesk to request a copy of the application form at helpdesk@tideway.london.

We would like to thank you for your patience and co-operation while we continue construction for the super sewer at Abbey Mills Pumping Station.

We are happy to provide information in other languages and formats such as braille or large print. Please contact the Tideway Helpdesk on 08000 308080.

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