

GIDEA PARK STATION

LONDON BOROUGH OF HAVERING

MARCH 2015 UPDATE

As part of the Crossrail project, some infrastructure and station upgrades are required between Stratford and Shenfield.

At Gidea Park station we will provide two new lifts and a refurbished footbridge to improve accessibility to the platforms. At the eastern end of the station the platforms will be extended to accommodate the new longer Crossrail trains. Improvements will also be made to the public address, CCTV and customer information systems.

All works will be managed in order to minimise disruption to our neighbours, residents and businesses. However, safety is a key priority and unfortunately this means some of our works have to take place while trains are not running. Therefore, this means carrying out improvements during the weekends and at night.

As part of the Crossrail project, Network Rail is undertaking works to upgrade the existing railway infrastructure and is improving capacity and access at a number of stations across the route.

For local works information call the Network Rail helpline on 03457 11 41 41

TIMESCALE OF WORKS

Late April 2015

Installation of a small welfare unit in the station car park over one weekend to provide facilities for site workers.

May to September 2015

Works to improve the station footbridge. Much of this work will take place on Saturday nights from 23.00, through Sundays, finishing at 05.00 on Mondays to avoid disruption to the travelling public,

although there will be some daytime working from Mondays to Saturdays.

September to December 2015

Installation of a temporary ticket office, construction of two lift shafts between the footbridge and the platforms and refurbishment of the existing ticket office. This work will generally take place on weekdays between 08.00 and 18.00.

January to December 2016

Platform extension works at the eastern end of the station and installation of new lighting, CCTV and public information systems. This work will take place on Saturday nights from 23.00, through Sundays, finishing at 05.00 on Mondays.



Proposed design for new Crossrail trains to come into service in 2017

Whilst we do anticipate some of these works to be quite noisy at times, Best Practicable Means are adopted in order to keep noise levels to a minimum. The local authority has been, and will continue to be, consulted through the Control of Pollution Act 1974

(Section 61) process regarding the implementation of the works. The station project is scheduled to complete in December 2016.

We apologise for any inconvenience these essential works may cause. However, if you have any additional

questions or concerns please email us on CRCrossrail@networkrail.co.uk, or telephone our 24-hour National Helpline on 03457 11 41 41. For more information about the Crossrail programme please visit www.crossrail.co.uk.

YOUR NEW EAST TO WEST RAILWAY

Crossrail is building a new rail line for London and the South East. It will reduce crowding on tubes, trains and buses, give you more choice and get you where you want to go faster.

The project is building 10 new stations, improving 30 more and creating 21 kilometres of twin-bore tunnels under London to integrate with existing railways.

