



## Northern Line Extension PROGRESS UPDATE

March 2021

Kennington Green

Dear Neighbours,

We hope that you and your families are well. We know it's been a difficult start to the year for many, but hopefully with the arrival of spring we can start to feel a sense of optimism about the months ahead. Whilst much of the country has been confined to their homes this winter, our teams have continued their fantastic efforts on site. Over Christmas, we achieved a major milestone, successfully completing the first test-run of a Northern line train along the full length of the route. We remain focussed on an autumn opening date for the new extension.



At Kennington Green we've been progressing with the landscaping; within the site boundary much of the new granite perimeter of the green is now installed and we'll be planting more trees, turf and wildflowers in April. We've also begun the testing of some of the equipment and systems, including the ventilation fans. We'll continue to do this over the coming months as we prepare for trial operations to commence in the Summer. Some quieter elements of work below-ground will be conducted at night.





Externally the new road/ paving surfaces on the southern side are on track to be finished in the coming weeks and we expect to begin the works along the northern side of the green in April; we will send out a separate notification to those of you likely to be most affected with more details of this.



If you are interested in taking part in a virtual Community Liaison Group one evening in May, please let us know by emailing <a href="mailto:nle@tfl.gov.uk">nle@tfl.gov.uk</a> with the subject line KEN GREEN VIRTUAL CLG. We will respond with further information as soon as possible.

The Northern Line Extension helpline remains open 24/7. Please do get in touch via the contact details below should you have any queries or questions.

Our core working hours are **08:00** to **18:00** Monday to Friday and **08.00** to **13.00** on Saturday. For certain activities on the surface, we may also work until **21.00**. Works underground will take place **24/7**.