

# DEAR RESIDENTS OF HADLEY WOOD – PLEASE READ

## Upgrading Internet with Openreach

Dear residents/businesses in Hadley Wood,

### Help our community get fast internet!!

As I'm sure many of you know, there is very slow internet services in Hadley Wood. Many of you probably think that in time our area will be upgraded. I spoke to a senior planning manager with BT who said that we're not included in the plans to upgrade, at least before 2022. From the research I've done this is the same with Virgin Media broadband.

The BT planning manager directed me to Openreach (engineers of most broadband companies). They allow communities left out of upgrade schemes to pay to upgrade their area. This can be quite expensive, although as we have schools in our community, we can get a grant to cover 75% of the cost.

The internet speeds we receive are disgraceful. The average for Hadley Wood is a download speed of up to 30Mbps and upload of 2-4Mbps. This is because we receive a FTTC (fibre to the cabinet) connection (which could be upgraded to double that speed but isn't). If the upgrade as above goes ahead as I'm hoping, a FTTP (fibre to the premises) connection will be installed directly to our homes, which currently supports speeds up 300Mbps download, and is 'future proof'.

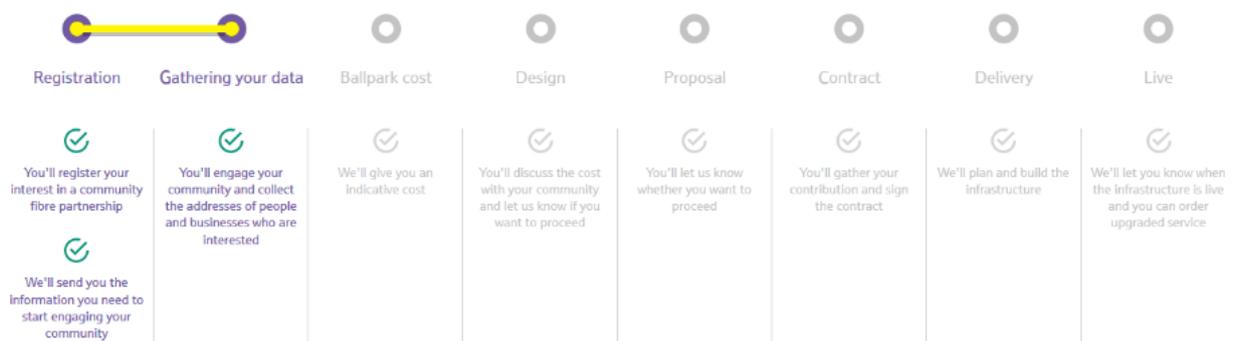
If you are interested in being included in this possible upgrade, all I need from you for now is to send me your address and postcode and your home telephone number. Please email me these details to [hwinternetupgrade@gmail.com](mailto:hwinternetupgrade@gmail.com). If this is a school or business, please specify in the email. At this stage we have no obligation. This is for Openreach to give a ballpark estimate of the price. You will receive no emails or phone calls from this, everything will come to me.

The benefits:

- Average download speed up to 10x faster
- Properties become more appealing
- Helps business and schools
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