



Campaigning for a bigger, better railway in Great Britain

EAST ANGLIA BRANCH

Public meeting about YOUR railway

Come and hear what is happening – **FREE**

SATURDAY 28 DECEMBER 2026 – 14:00

Mill Road Community Centre, 6 Hazell Street

CAMBRIDGE CB1 2GN

Presentation about EAST WEST RAIL

Stuart Ratcliffe-Jones - Head of External Communications

The meeting will begin with his presentation followed by a Q&A.

Some of you may have met Stuart Ratcliffe-Jones if you attended one of the East West Rail public engagement events and may well recognise him (if not the '-Jones' suffix) when he was a reporter for BBC Look East. The proposed scheme has been refined after several rounds of consultation and is nearly ready to apply for a Development Consent Order. This will be a great chance to learn more about the EWR plans, and the dramatic changes to Cambridge 'Central' station to support the new services, which includes platform extensions, a new platform and an eastern entrance.



After his presentation, there will be a break for refreshments and then a chance to hear the latest news of Railfuture's campaigns and a chance to chat with us and others. **PLEASE JOIN US!**

Our annual Cambridge public meeting will be held in a new venue this year. Please see the next page for directions on how to get there — 10-minute walk from the station. **Doors open 13.30.**

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HOW TO GET TO THE MILL ROAD COMMUNITY CENTRE FROM CAMBRIDGE STATION

The new **Mill Road Community Centre** (see photo of entrance on the right) is close to the railway, at the foot of the western ramp of Mill Road Bridge, about a 10-minute walk from Cambridge station.

Walking route from the station entrance

- ↓ Head across Station Square to and past the Ibis Hotel Chill Café entrance.
- ↓ Continue across the carpark towards the red cycle bridge
- ↓ Spot the new mural at the west end of the bridge and enter Devonshire Road ahead. Do not turn left! Nor go upstairs!
- ↓ Head up Devonshire Road towards massive construction cranes looming over the Mill Park Development...on the site of the Midland Railway goods yard.
- ↓ You're at Mill Road when you see the White Swan pub on the opposite side.
Turn right into Mill Road and immediately cross it on the traffic refuges.
- ↓ Having crossed the road, turn right towards the red brick building. Inspection of the road name plate will reveal its Headley Street. Turn left into it
- ↓ At the end of Headley Street is a shop for sale. Turn right into Hazell Street
- ↓ Immediately you see the venue! Welcome.

If you wish to have lunch, there will be several pubs on the route described above or you can find several places to eat and shops on Mill Road.



NEXT EAST ANGLIA BRANCH PUBLIC MEETINGS

All on Saturdays beginning at 14:00.

27 Feb 2027 – Bury St Edmunds

Date TBC - Jun 2027 – Ipswich

Date TBC - Sept 2027 – Norwich

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AGM on Saturday in early July 2027

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