

## Building communication A9BAHO

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# Removing trees and bushes along the A9 Amstelveen

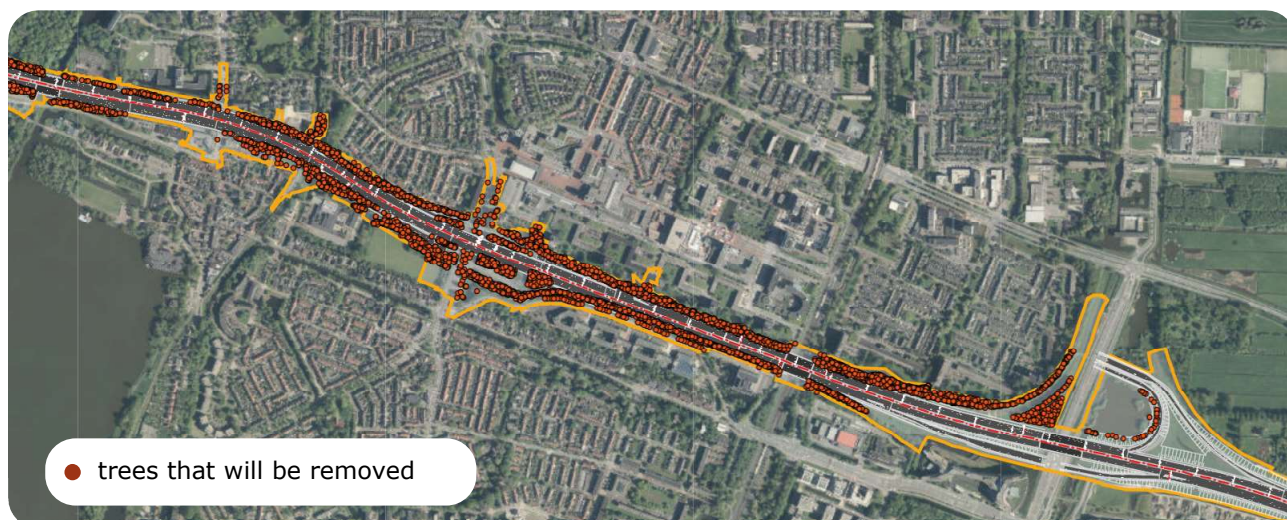
Commissioned by Rijkswaterstaat, the contractor VEENIX is working on the widening and deepening of the A9 motorway between the junctions Badhoevedorp and Holendrecht (A9BAHO). The work on the A9BAHO is part of the Schiphol-Amsterdam-Almere (SAA) road extension.

The first activities start on Monday January 6, 2020. With this letter we would like to inform you about this work.

## Removing trees and bushes

From Monday January 6, 2020, VEENIX starts removing trees and bushes along the A9 at Amstelveen (see map below). The work continues until the end of March in different phases. We start at the Burgemeester Boersweg and work in western direction. The removal of trees and bushes is necessary to make room

for the widening of the A9. The work takes place on weekdays between 7 a.m. and 6 p.m.



### Nature Protection Act

An area is always inspected before VEEN-IX can remove trees and bushes. We start with the work when the area is released by an ecologist. This way we prevent disturbing breeding birds by accident. Hereby we take the Nature Protection Act regulations into account.

### Green compensation

All removed trees and bushes will be compensated. Rijkswaterstaat has agreed with the municipality of Amstelveen that the municipality takes care of the compensation. Removed trees and bushes within built-up areas are compensated by planting new trees or bushes in the immediate vicinity. This is expected to start in 2024. The planting plan will be drawn up in consultation with the residents.

### Footpaths

Due to the work for the removal of the trees and bushes, several footpaths along the A9 in the Meanderpark and the park next to the Operabuurt will be closed. Visit [visitorscenter.rijkswaterstaat.nl](http://visitorscenter.rijkswaterstaat.nl) for a map with the exact locations.

### More information

You can find more information about the project on the Rijkswaterstaat online visitor center:

[www.bezoekerscentrum.rijkswaterstaat.nl](http://www.bezoekerscentrum.rijkswaterstaat.nl)

On this website you can also subscribe to the project newsletter. For questions or comments about the project you can contact the national information line of Rijkswaterstaat 0800-8002.

You are also very welcome in the experience center Amstelveen InZicht, Stadsplein 103 in Amstelveen. InZicht is open on:

Wednesday and Thursday

2:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Friday

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

First Saturday of the month

12:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Every Thursday experts from Rijkswaterstaat are present in InZicht to answer your questions.

Do you also want to receive the A9BAHO project building communication digitally? Sign up through [vragen@veenix.nl](mailto:vragen@veenix.nl).

Met vriendelijke groet,

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