

**Somerset Council  
Parish of Stawley**

**Temporary Closure of Bishops Hill**

Somerset Council in exercise of its powers under Section 14 (1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended, have made an Order prohibiting all traffic from proceeding along: Bishops Hill - from 169 metres south-east of the junction with Appley Road, south-eastwards for a total distance of 442 metres. This Order will enable Openreach to carry out pole testing works.

The Order becomes effective on 31st December 2025 and will remain in force for 18 months. The works are expected to commence on 7th January 2026 and last until 7th January 2026 between the hours of 09:30 - 15:30 for a total of 6 hours. Please visit <https://one.network/?tm=GB145832574> for further information on the alternative route. For information about the works being carried out please contact Sunbelt Rentals on telephone number 0370 050 0792 quoting reference number ttro417659W(TD).

Duncan Sharkey, Chief Executive

Dated: 31st December 2025

**Statement of Reasons for making the Order**

- a) because works are being or are proposed to be executed on or near the road; or
- b) because of the likelihood of danger to the public, or of serious damage to the road, which is not attributable to such works.