

**Somerset Council
Parish of Taunton**

Temporary Closure of Deane Drive

Somerset Council in exercise of its powers under Section 14 (1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended, propose to make an Order prohibiting all traffic from proceeding along: Deane Drive - from the junction with Ash Crescent, westwards for a total distance of 54 metres. This Order will enable Nexifibre to lay new track and install a chamber.

The Order becomes effective on 14th January 2026 and will remain in force for 18 months. The works are expected to commence on 19th January 2026 and last until 23rd January 2026 between the hours of 08:00 - 17:00 for a total of 5 days. Please visit <https://one.network/?tm=GB145871092> for further information on the alternative route. For information about the works being carried out please contact OCU Group on telephone number 0161 248 9922 quoting reference number ttro760569W(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.