

Somerset Council

Parishes of Witham Friary and Trudoxhill

Temporary Closure of Foghamshire Lane To Gare Hill, Lane To The Thicket and Gare Hill Lane

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: Foghamshire Lane To Gare Hill (2nd February 2026 - 27th March 2026) - from the junction with Bunns Lane, south-eastwards for 2630 metres; Lane To The Thicket (9th February 2026 - 20th February 2026)- from the junction with Gare Hill Lane, for it's entirety and Gare Hill Lane (9th February 2026 - 20th February 2026)- from the junction with Lane To The Thicket, northwards for 114 metres. A total distance of 2849 metres. This Order will enable Bristol Water to carry out phased water main renovation works.

The Order becomes effective on 28th January 2026 and will remain in force for 18 months. The works are expected to commence on 2nd February 2026 and last until 27th March 2026 between the hours of 00:00 - 23:59 for a total of 54 days. Please visit <https://one.network/?tm=GB146065605> for further information on the alternative route. For information about the works being carried out please contact Bristol Water on telephone number 0345 702 3797 quoting reference number ttro003563E.

Duncan Sharkey, Chief Executive

Dated: 14th January 2026

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.