

**Somerset Council  
Parish of Shepton Mallet  
Temporary Closure of Wells Road**

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: Wells Road - from the junction with Forum Lane, westwards for a total distance of 1499 metres. This Order will enable Kiely Bros to carry out pre-surface dressing patching works on behalf of Somerset Highways. Solid diamond symbolization will be used on the diversion route and will not clash with any other Kiely Bros works within the area.

The Order becomes effective on 18th February 2026 and will remain in force for 18 months. The works are expected to commence on 23rd February 2026 and last until 6th March 2026 between the hours of 19:00 - 05:00 for a total of 11 nights. Please visit <https://one.network/?tm=GB147272315> for further information on the alternative route. For information about the works being carried out please contact Kiely Bros on telephone number 0121 772 3800 quoting reference number ttro744833E.

Duncan Sharkey, Chief Executive  
Dated: 18th February 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.