

**Somerset Council  
Parish of Bruton**

**Temporary Closure of Dropping Lane**

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: Dropping Lane - from 496 metres east of the junction with Discove Lane, eastwards for a total distance of 304 metres. This Order will enable Kier to carry out jetting works on behalf of Somerset Highways.

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 24th February 2026 between the hours of 09:30 - 15:30 for a total of 2 days. Please visit <https://one.network/?tm=GB147072958> for further information on the alternative route. For information about the works being carried out please contact Somerset Highways on telephone number 0300 123 2224 quoting reference number ttro016820S.

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.