

**Somerset Council  
Parish of West Coker**

**Temporary Closure of Ridge 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: Ridge Lane - from 40 metres east of the junction with West Coker Hill, eastwards for a total distance of 33 metres. This Order will enable Openreach to replace a pole.

The Order becomes effective on 4th March 2026 and will remain in force for 18 months. The works are expected to commence on 10th March 2026 and last until 12th March 2026 between the hours of 08:00 - 18:00 for a total of 3 days. Please visit <https://one.network/?tm=GB146960350> for further information on the alternative route. For information about the works being carried out please contact Circet on telephone number 0797 114 2611 quoting reference number ttro936753S.

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.