

**Somerset Council
Parish of Minehead**

Temporary Closure of Footway Between Sainsbury Road And Hawthorn 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, the effect of which will prohibit all pedestrian traffic from proceeding along; Footway Between Sainsbury Road And Hawthorn Road - from the junction with Salisbury Road, south-westwards for a total distance of 21 metres. This Order will enable Openreach to carry out ducting works.

The Order becomes effective on 18th February 2026 and will remain in force for 6 months. The works are expected to commence on 25th February 2026 and last until 26th February 2026 between the hours of 09:30 - 15:30 for a total of 2 days. Please visit <https://one.network/?tm=GB147075842> for further information on the alternative route. For information about the works being carried out please contact Sunbelt Rentals on telephone number 0370 050 0792 quoting reference number ttro313448W(WS).

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.