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, have made an Order prohibiting all traffic from proceeding along:

Foghamshire Lane To Gare Hill (02nd February 2026 - 27th March 2026) - from the junction with Bunns Lane, south-eastwards for **2630 metres**;
Lane To The Thicket (09th February 2026 - 20th February 2026)- from the junction with Gare Hill Lane, for it's entirety and
Gare Hill Lane (09th 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 eighteen 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: 28th January 2026

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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.