

**Somerset Council**  
**Parish of Charlton Horethorne**  
**Temporary Closure of Sherborne 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:

**Sherborne Road** - from the junction with Milborne Port Road to the junction with New Lane. A total distance of **138 metres**.

This Order will enable **Openreach to carry out pole testing works**.

The Order becomes effective on 15th May 2026 and will remain in force for eighteen months. The works are expected to commence on **22nd May 2026** and last until **22nd May 2026** between the hours of **09:30 - 15:30** for a total of **6 hours**.

Please visit <https://one.network/?tm=GB148651826> 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 EXT - 3** quoting reference number ttro844610S.

Duncan Sharkey  
Chief Executive  
Dated: 15th May 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.