

## **SANDWELL METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**The Borough Council of Sandwell (Bearwood Road and High Street, Smethwick) (Temporary One-Way Road Closures) Order 2024** intends to temporarily prohibit vehicles from proceeding along Bearwood Road in a northerly direction from the dividing line of property Nos.16/18 to the junction of High Street, and High Street in a northerly direction from the junction of Bearwood Road to the junction of Cheshire Road.

Access to any affected frontages will be maintained, but only when safety permits.

A traffic diversion route for general traffic (non-HGV) will be signed via Bearwood Road, Church Road, The Uplands, Broomfield & Coopers Lane.

A further traffic diversion route for HGV vehicles will be signed via Waterloo Road, Cape Hill, Grove Lane, Soho Way, Tollhouse Way & High Street.

The maximum duration is 18 months but the work is expected to be completed by 24/11/2024 effective from 16/11/2024 (24hr).

The road closure will only be in operation during the two weekends within the period advised.

Purpose – to facilitate access to lay a new water service by Onsite on behalf of South Staffs Water.