

TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF HIGH STREET, SIXPENNY HANDLEY

DORSET COUNCIL has issued a Notice under Section 14 [2] of the Road Traffic Regulations Act 1984 as amended. All vehicles, cyclists and horse riders will be prohibited from proceeding along High Street, Sixpenny Handley. The Notice is needed in order to comply with health and safety regulations which require the provision of safe working areas and to minimise likelihood of danger to highway users. It will come into operation on 3rd August 2026 and remain in force for five days, however it is anticipated that the works will be completed by 7th August 2026.

This Notice will enable Wessex Internet safe access to carry out fibre cabling works in the highway.

A locally signed diversion route will be put in place to enable traffic to travel around the closed sections.

For further information about the work being undertaken and access arrangements, call Wessex Internet on 03332 407997. To discuss this Notice, contact Dorset Council on 01305 221020 or use our website:

www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/roadworks/enquiries. You can also find this information

online: dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/roadworks-events or read the council's [guide to roadworks](#) for general information and advice.

20th July 2026

JAN BRITTON, Executive Director for Economy & Environment - Dorset Council, County Hall, Dorchester DT1 1XJ. Any person who uses or permits the use of a vehicle in contravention of the Notice will be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £1000.

