

SOMERSET COUNTY COUNCIL
(FARM ROAD AND HIGH STREET, STREET
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF MOTOR VEHICLES) ORDER 2018

NOTICE is hereby given that Somerset County Council proposes to make the above Temporary Order in pursuance of the provisions of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended, the effect of which will be to introduce a Temporary Prohibition of Motor Vehicles in Farm Road and High Street, Street. The effect of this order will be to introduce:

1. A Temporary Prohibition of Motor Vehicles between the hours of 0600 hours to 2100 hours every Thursday when signs are in place, only for the lengths of road specified in Schedule 1 to this order. The order will remain in force for a period of eighteen months.

The Order will be made to facilitate the weekly Thursday Market and is in the interest of public safety. All restrictions will be signed and staffed (where required).

A copy of the Order as drafted and a map showing the lengths of road affected may be inspected during office hours at Somerset Highways, A Block Reception, County Hall, Taunton TA1 4DY and online at www.somerset.gov.uk/TRO.

General enquiries relating to this Order may be made in writing, quoting reference number KT09052018, to Somerset County Council, Traffic Management, County Hall, The Crescent, Taunton TA1 4DY.

Patrick Flaherty
Chief Executive
Dated: 17th May 2018

SCHEDULE
Temporary Prohibition of Motor Vehicles

Shall come into effect between the hours of 0600 hours to 2100 hours on every Thursday only

Farm Road, Street	from the junction with Southleaze Orchard for a distance of 290 metres in a south easterly direction
High Street, Street	from the junction with Farm Road to the junction with Vestry Road a distance of 196 metres

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SOMERSET COUNTY COUNCIL in exercise of its powers under Sections 1 and 2 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (hereinafter referred to as “the Act of 1984”) and of all other enabling powers, and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Parts III of Schedule 9 to the Act of 1984, hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order shall come into force on 31st May 2018 and may be cited as “Somerset County Council (Farm Road and High Street, Street, (Temporary Prohibition Of Motor Vehicles) Order 2018”.

2. In this Order:

Save as provided in Articles 3 no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a Police Constable in uniform or a Police Community Service Officer (PCSO), cause or permit any motor vehicle to proceed in the section of road specified in the Schedule to this Order.

3. Nothing in Article 2 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any motor vehicle to proceed in the length of road referred to in that Article if the vehicle is being used:-

- (a) for the conveyance of goods and merchandise to or from any premises situated on or adjacent to that length of road, provided that any vehicle cannot be used for such purpose before 6 am or after 6 pm on the day the prohibition is in effect;
- (b) to be used in connection with any of the following operations, provided that any vehicle cannot be used for such purpose before 6 am or after 6 pm on the day the prohibition is in effect, namely: -
 - (i) building, industrial or demolition operations in or adjacent to that length of road;
 - (ii) the removal of any obstruction to traffic in that length of road;
 - (iii) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of the sides or lengths of that road; or
 - (iv) the laying, erection, alteration or repair in, or on land adjacent to, the sides or lengths of that road of any sewer or of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or of any telecommunications apparatus as defined in the Communications Act 2003;
- (c) in the service of a local authority or a water authority in pursuance of statutory powers or duties;
- (d) in an emergency for Fire Brigade, Ambulance or Police purposes.

- (e) in connection with the setting up and removal of market stalls and scheduled buses.
- (f) Vehicles falling within regulation 3(1), 3(2), 3(3) and 3(4) of the Road Traffic Exemptions (Special Forces) (Variation and Amendment) Regulations 2011(a) when used in accordance with regulation 3(5) of those Regulations

4. Any existing Traffic Regulation Orders relating to the lengths of roads specified in the Schedule to this Order shall cease to have effect in relation to those lengths of roads on the coming into operation of this Order.

GIVEN under the Common Seal of the Council this 25th day of May 2018

THE COMMON SEAL of the)
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 COUNTY COUNCIL of SOMERSET)
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STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR PROPOSING TO MAKE THE ORDER

For avoiding danger to persons, or other traffic using the road, or any other road, or for preventing the likelihood of any such danger arising.