

**Somerset County Council**  
**Various Roads, Taunton**  
**(Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles)**  
**(Parishes of Bishops Hull, Staplegrove and Bradford On Tone)**  
**Order 2022**  
**(Taunton Marathon & Half Marathon Events 2022 and 2023)**

Somerset County Council in exercise of its powers under Section 14 (1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended, intends to make an Order, the effect of which will be to introduce the following temporary prohibition of vehicles as detailed in the Schedule below.

The Order will be made to facilitate the 2022 and 2023 Taunton Marathon and Half Marathon Events and is in the interest of public safety.

The Order shall come into operation on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of March 2022 on the roads and times as specified in the Schedule and will remain in force for eighteen months. The restrictions will only apply when indicated by traffic signs.

Exemptions are provided in the Order for emergency vehicles, vehicles requiring access to and from Avery Garden Centre from a southerly direction and vehicles associated with the event.

A copy of the draft Temporary Traffic Regulation Order and the associated plans can be examined at [www.somerset.gov.uk/TRO](http://www.somerset.gov.uk/TRO) . Please visit [www.one.network](http://www.one.network) for further information on the alternative route. Please note that should you require to view a closure which is more than two weeks ahead you will need to Register for free with One.Network .

For information about the Event please contact Taunton & District Carnival Committee Ltd by telephone on 01823 283892.

**Patrick Flaherty**  
**Chief Executive**  
**Dated: 10<sup>th</sup> March 2022**

**Schedule**  
**Temporary Prohibition of Motor Vehicles**

**Part 1**

**Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles Between the Hours of 0800 and 1700  
On Sunday 3rd April 2022 and Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2023**

Wellington Road, Taunton                      Bridgwater & Taunton College Bus layby, from its entry junction with the A38 Wellington Road to its exit junction with the A38 Wellington Road

**Part 2**

**Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles between the hours of 1030 and 1045  
On Sunday 3rd April 2022 and Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2023**

Wellington Road, (from Bridgwater & Taunton College to Parkfield Road), Castle Street (in both directions), Tangier Way (in both directions), Wood Street from Tangier Way to Bridge Street (in both directions), Bridge Street (in both directions) and Staplegrove Road (from Bridge Street to Elm Grove)

**Part 3**

**Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles between the hours of 1030 and 1500  
On Sunday 3rd April 2022 and Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2023**

Silk Mills Road (From Heron Drive to Bindon Road (in both directions), Bishops Hull Hill (at its junction with Silk Mills Road)

**Part 4**

**Temporary Prohibition of Vehicles between the hours of 1100 and 1300  
On Sunday 3rd April 2022 and Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2023**

Bradford Bridge, Bradford on Tone in both directions

**Statement of reasons for proposing to make 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