

LANCASHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

(WITHAM ROAD, SKELMERSDALE, WEST LANCASHIRE BOROUGH)

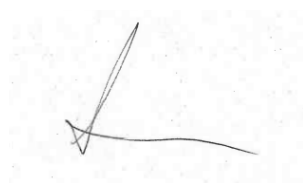
(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2026

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Lancashire County Council have made an Order under **Section 14(1) (a) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984**, as amended, the effect of which will be to temporarily prohibit traffic on the roads set out in this notice.

1. No person shall cause any motor vehicle to proceed over that length of Witham Road, Skelmersdale (westbound carriageway only) from its junction with B5312 Railway Road for a distance of 80 metres in an easterly direction.
2. To temporarily suspend the one-way prohibition on the following lengths of highway:
 - i. U5377 Ormskirk Road, Skelmersdale from its junction with A577 Ormskirk Road to its junction with Sandy Lane.
 - ii. Sandy Lane, Skelmersdale from its junction with Ormskirk Road to its junction with Witham Road.
3. To temporarily prohibit any motor vehicle from proceeding in the specified direction on the following lengths of highway:
 - i. In a northerly direction on U5377 Ormskirk Road, Skelmersdale from its junction with A577 Ormskirk Road to its junction with Sandy Lane.
 - ii. In an easterly direction on Sandy Lane, Skelmersdale from its junction with Ormskirk Road to its junction with Witham Road.
4. Nothing in this order shall apply to persons engaged in the carrying out of the works.
5. The prohibition will be operative from 0800 hours on Monday 9th February 2026 until 1700 hours on Friday 20th February 2026 or until completion of the works within this period. **Access for emergency services will be maintained whenever and wherever possible.**
6. Vehicular access for residents will be maintained whenever and wherever possible. Pedestrian access to properties will always be maintained.
7. An alternative route for vehicular traffic affected by the closure is via: Witham Road, Sandy Lane, Ormskirk Road in that direction only.

The temporary prohibition is necessary to allow excavation works to be carried out to lay HV cable.

Authority given for this Order to be made:



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