

LANCASHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

(RATCLIFFE WHARF LANE, FORTON, WYRE BOROUGH)

(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2026

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Lancashire County Council has 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 Ratcliffe Wharf Lane, Forton from outside Ratcliffe Wharf for 10 metres in either direction.
2. Nothing in this order shall apply to persons engaged in the carrying out of the works.
3. The prohibition will be operative from 0800 hours on Wednesday 9th September 2026 until 1700 hours on Friday 11th September 2026 or until completion of the works within this period. **Access for emergency services will be maintained.**
4. Vehicular access for residents will be maintained whenever and wherever possible. Pedestrian access to properties will always be maintained.
5. An alternative route for vehicular traffic affected by the closure is via:-
Ratcliffe Wharf Lane B272 – Garstang Road B5272 – Cockerham Road – Preston Lancaster Road A6 and vice versa.

The temporary prohibition is necessary to allow short sided disconnection of old lead supply and replace with new water connection works to be carried out by Network Plus on behalf of United Utilities.

Authority given for this Order to be made:



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