

## **SANDWELL METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL**

### **The Borough Council of Sandwell (Upper Church Lane and Lichfield Street, Tipton) (Temporary Road Closures) Order 2026**

intends to temporarily prohibit vehicles from proceeding along Upper Church Lane, which will be closed at the junction of Lichfield Street, (northern to southern side) and Lichfield Street, which will be closed at the junction of Upper Church Lane.

Access to any affected frontages within both road closures will be maintained, but only when safety permits.

A traffic diversion route for the Upper Church Lane closure will be signed via High Street, Wednesbury Oak Road, Gospel Oak Road, Horseley Road, Alexandra Road and vice versa.

A traffic diversion route for access to Lichfield Street will be signed via St. Johns Road.

The maximum duration is 18 months, but the work is expected to commence and be completed by 24/05/2026 (9:30am – 3:30pm).

Purpose – to facilitate access to replace a defective manhole frame and cover by Severn Trent Water.

For more information, contact Severn Trent Water on 0333 996 1291.