

## **SANDWELL METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**The Borough Council of Sandwell (Topsham Road, Smethwick) (Temporary Road Closure) Order 2026** intends to temporarily prohibit vehicles from proceeding via Topsham Road from its junction with Devonshire Road to its junction with the extended boundary between numbers 87 & 89 Topsham Road.

Traffic will be diverted via St. Pauls Road, Holly Lane, Devonshire Road and vice-versa.

The one-way operation of Topsham Road will be temporarily suspended for the duration of the work with access being permitted off St. Pauls Road.

The maximum duration is 18 months, but the work is expected to commence and be completed by 29/06/2026.

Purpose – to facilitate the replacement / installation of a new telecoms pole by MJ Quinn (working on behalf of BT Openreach).

For more information, contact Andrew Butterworth of MJ Quinn on 0151 537 8800.