



TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF C13, DINAH'S HOLLOW, MELBURY ABBAS

DORSET COUNTY COUNCIL has made an Order under Section 14 [1] of the Road Traffic Regulations Act 1984 as amended. All vehicles will be prohibited from proceeding along the C13, DINAH'S HOLLOW, MELBURY ABBAS from Plum Tree Cottages to White Pit Lane, a distance of approximately 475 metres. The order is needed to comply with Health and Safety Regulations which require the provision of safe working areas and to minimise the likelihood of danger to Highway Users. It will come into operation on Monday 07 January 2019 and will remain in force for 18 months. However, it is anticipated that the works will be completed by Friday 29 March 2019.

This order will enable Dorset County Council to install permanent traffic signals in Dinah's Hollow along with an automated HGV shuttle system through Melbury Abbas. The works will commence at the northern end of the site and progress southwards, in blocks. Access for residents will be available from one side or the other side of the closure.

A signed diversion route will be put in place to enable traffic to travel around the closed sections, using the C13 and the A350, between Shaftesbury and Blandford.

If you would like further information about the work being undertaken please contact Dorset Highways Improvement Team on 01305 221000. For access arrangements please call Dorset Highways Operation Team on 01305 228100.

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MIKE HARRIES Director for Environment and the Economy County Hall DORCHESTER Dorset DT1 1XJ. Any person who uses or permits the use of a vehicle in contravention of the order will be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £1000.

