

Record of an officer decision

Decision title :	September Resurfacing Works, Herefordshire Temporary Road Closure Order 2019
Date of decision:	14 August 2019
Decision maker:	Acting Assistant Director Highways and Transport
Authority for delegated decision:	Directorate scheme of delegation: updated 1 November 2018 Directorate: Economy and Place, section 61. To act on behalf of the council in respect of the legislation specified in the foregoing: Traffic Management Act 2004, Road Traffic Act 1988 Acting Assistant Director for Highways and Transport (Traffic Manager designate) and The Traffic Manager may in making arrangements to ensure that the authority has: (a) determined specific policies or objectives in relation to different roads or classes of road in their road network; (b) monitored the effectiveness of – 117
Ward:	Stretton Grandison, Leominster and Hamnish
Consultation:	Acting Assistant Director Highways and Transport A structured communication plan will be implemented to inform and liaise with key stakeholders affected by this closure and the resting diversion. This will include local residents, businesses, Parish Councils and local ward members.
Decision made:	To authorise the making of a Temporary Lane Closure Order served under section 14(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to require a temporary closure of the roads shown in Article 1 Schedule 1 of the Order as attached. The Order shall come into effect on the 9 th September 2019 and is planned to be in effect for 5 days, with each road being closed for the planned duration show in Article 1, attached.
Reasons for decision:	To enable Balfour Beatty to carry out resurfacing works within the highway, for which purpose the Council, as highway authority, consider the closure of the road is required due to the likelihood of danger to highway users while the said works are being carried out.
Highlight any associated risks/finance/legal/equality considerations:	Localised disruption on highway network which will be mitigated using diversion route signage and closure period to be kept at shortest possible duration.
Details of any alternative options considered and rejected:	Not to introduce a temporary closure of the road; but there would then be operational difficulties in the said works being carried out, and/or would result in a longer period of disruption. In addition, there would be a greater risk to users of the highway and possible claims against the highway authority as a result.
Details of any declarations of interest made:	None

I am an officer delegated to make the decision

Signed :

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Job Title: Acting Assistant Director Highways & Transport

SECTION 14(1) ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

**HEREFORDSHIRE COUNCIL
SEPTEMBER RESURFACING WORKS, HEREFORDSHIRE**

Schedule 1

Road No & Name	Town	Planned Start Date	Planned Duration
A417 From the Wharf to Newtown Cross	Stretton Grandison	9 th September	2 Days
A44 From the A49 Roundabout to the C1055	Leominster	11 th September	3 Days
A44 Tickbridge Lane	Hammish	11 th September	3 Days