



**TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF PUBLIC FOOTPATHS MST 2**  
**(STONEHOUSE TOWN) STROUD DISTRICT**

NOTICE is hereby given that Gloucestershire County Council made an Order, to close temporarily under Sections 14, 15 and 16 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act, 1984 (as amended) part of Public Footpath MST2 from its junction with Public Footpath MST4 at Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OSGR) SO 80035/06263 extending in a generally north easterly direction for approximately 170 metres to its junction with Public Footpath (former) MST2 at OSGR SO 80128 06384 and shown on the Order Map by a bold solid black line marked A to B. ("Public Footpath")

The Public Footpath falls within the town of Stonehouse in the Stroud District within the County of Gloucestershire.

The closure is necessary to safeguard the public whilst construction works takes place.

The Order came into force on the 19<sup>th</sup> December 2022 and it was expected that the Public Footpath would close on that day until 18<sup>th</sup> June 2023. However, as the said works were still ongoing, the Secretary of State granted an extension of the Order until 31<sup>st</sup> October 2023. The said works are still not complete and the Secretary of State has consequently granted a further extension until **30<sup>th</sup> April 2024** or until the completion of the works, whichever is the earlier. For further information please contact Public Rights of Way on **08000 514514** or visit **[www.gloucestershire.gov.uk](http://www.gloucestershire.gov.uk)**

**Alternative Route** – No alternative route due to the nature of works.

Pedestrian access and emergency access will be maintained for the duration of the works.

for Assistant Director of Legal Services  
GT/76526  
Legal Services  
Shire Hall  
Gloucester  
GL1 2TG

Please contact:  
08000 514 514  
Date: 11<sup>th</sup> October 2023