



## A National Highways notification

### Re: A35, Bridport to Dorchester

I'm writing to inform you of safety works we're currently undertaking along sections of the A35 through Devon and Dorset. The programme of work started on 18 March 2024, between Axminster and Bridport, improving and introducing new road markings for drivers.

We'll be carrying out work overnight in your area, between 8pm – 6am, from 8 to 12 April 2024.

In order to carry out this work safely, we'll install overnight closures between Bridport and Dorchester. Hard stops will be enforced between Firch Lane and Shipton Road, and from Longlands Lane, throughout Winterbourne Abbas to North Rew Lane (Hardys Country Park).

During closures, a fully signed diversion will be in place for through traffic, please see the reverse of this postcard for diversion and details of **resident access**. Access for emergency service vehicles will be maintained throughout.

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The diversion route for eastbound traffic will be via A3066, A356, and A37, re-joining the A35 at Monkey Jump Roundabout, westbound diversion in reverse.

Due to the nature of the works being undertaken in villages, residents may need to use local roads to enter them from the opposite end, at certain times during each night. This could mean that on arrival to the entrance of our works, our gateman might need to redirect you accordingly.

We'll make every effort to ensure the impact on the local community and travelling public is kept to a minimum. However, please accept our apologies in advance for any inconvenience this may cause.

**For further information:**

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Yours faithfully,

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