



**Temporary closure of Barnham Road, Eastergate (by the Boweries and Warwick Nursery Developments)  
24 hours per day from 12th February 2024 for a maximum of 5 days**

The Parish Council has received the Public Notice set out below in relation to the closure of Barnham Road. Following receipt of the Notice the Council made a request to WSCC to delay the works indefinitely. Unfortunately the response we received to the request is as follows:

'The permit application for these works was received prior to the emergency sewer works that Southern Water undertook before Christmas on the road. At the time the idea of the connection works being undertaken at the same time as the Southern Water repair works was looked at. However for technical reasons this was not possible and we accepted that a separate closure would be required following the Southern Water works completing.

Whilst I understand the inconvenience this causes to local road users we are not able to defer these works any further as it could be seen as us stifling development and could lead to the developer taking action against the County Council. Unfortunately due to the depth of the works it is not possible to carry out the works under two way lights and equally because of the extent of the work the road will need to remain closed for 24 hours. We hope that the works will not take the full 5 days of the notice period but we need to be realistic about the risks that any operator takes when working in the ground.

**WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL PUBLIC NOTICE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that from the date specified below, West Sussex County Council has temporarily closed to all traffic, Barnham Road, Barnham and Eastergate CP, in the Arun District under Section 14(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended, on Barnham Road for a distance approx 184 metres.

The temporary closure is scheduled to commence on 12th February 2024 for up to 5 days (it is estimated to be completed on 16th February 2024) and is required for the safety of the public and workforce while Gracelands Ltd undertakes 24hr/day road closures o/s Elivia Homes Boweries and Warwick developments for foul drainage connection works.

The restriction will be in place **24hrs/day**

An alternative route will be signed on site but please visit <https://one.network/?tm=137289653> for more details. Access maintained for emergency services, residents and pedestrians.

For information regarding this closure please contact Gracelands Ltd on 01962718855 who will be able to assist with scope of these works.