

THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL

THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL (C1086 A836 - A838 LINK ROAD, TONGUE) (TEMPORARY TRAFFIC PROHIBITION) NOTICE 2026

No. SU260001

The Highland Council in exercise of the powers conferred on them by Section 14(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended, and of all other powers enabling them on that behalf being satisfied that traffic on the length of road referred to in the Schedule ("the Schedule") annexed to this Notice should be restricted or prohibited because works are being or are proposed to be executed on or near that length of road hereby make this Notice.

1. Citation, commencement and cessation

This Notice may be cited as 'The Highland Council (C1086 A836 - A838 Link Road, Tongue) (Temporary Traffic Prohibition) Notice 2026 and shall be in operation from 02 June 2026 at 08:00 until 02 June 2026 at 18:00.

2. Interpretation

The Interpretation Act 1978 shall apply for the interpretation of this Notice as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. Relationship to existing Orders

All provisions contained in any Order Enactment or others in so far as the same repeat or are inconsistent with the provisions of this Notice and the true intent or meaning hereof shall cease to have effect, during the period stated hereto.

4. Reason

The reason for making this Notice is to replace a utility pole.

5. Alternative routes

Consideration has been given to the safety and convenience of alternative routes suitable for the traffic which will be affected by this Notice.

An alternative route for vehicles is available via A836 John o' Groats - Tongue Road and the A838 Lairg - Tongue Road.

6. Temporary prohibition on use of a road

Save as provided for in Article 7 of this Notice, while this Notice is in force, no person shall drive, or cause or permit any vehicle to be driven on the length of road, or a part or parts of the length of road, specified in the Schedule when a prohibition is identified as applying by means of one or more of the traffic signs of a type generally provided for under Section 64 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended.

7. Exemptions

Nothing in Article 6 of this Notice applies to the below, providing always that they comply with such instructions as may be issued to them by the contractor for the works:

(a) Vehicles employed to carry out the works in respect of which this Notice is made, including those employed to carry out associated traffic management.

(b) Pedestrians.

(c) Cyclists.

Joanne Sutherland, Roads Operations Manager, Roads & Transport

The Highland Council. Drummie, Golspie, KW10 6TA

**THIS IS THE SCHEDULE REFERRED TO IN THE FOREGOING NOTICE "THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL (C1086 A836
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The Schedule

Lengths of road affected by temporary prohibition of use

C1086 A836 - A838 Link Road from it's junction with A836 John o' Groats - Tongue Road to its junction with A838 Lairg - Tongue Road, a distance of approximately 1317m or thereby.