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Dear Sir or Madam,

**Rodhuish Road Retaining Wall, Withycombe**

We are writing to inform you about upcoming construction work that Somerset Council's contractors will be undertaking near your home or premises.

Somerset Council owns the retaining wall that runs alongside the highway, as shown on the plan (overleaf). Unfortunately, the wall has failed and needs to be demolished and rebuilt.

**Road Closure and Diversion Route**

Most of the work will need to be carried out under a road closure at the wall's location. The anticipated duration of the road closure is **6 to 8 weeks**. A signed diversion route will be in place.

**Urgency and Start Date**

These are urgent works, as the highway could become impassable soon if the wall's failure progresses. Therefore, our contractor will be starting as soon as possible. Currently, the anticipated start date is **3<sup>rd</sup> March 2025**.

We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at the email address above.

Yours sincerely,



**Ross Matthews**  
Senior Bridge Engineer  
**Somerset Council**

