

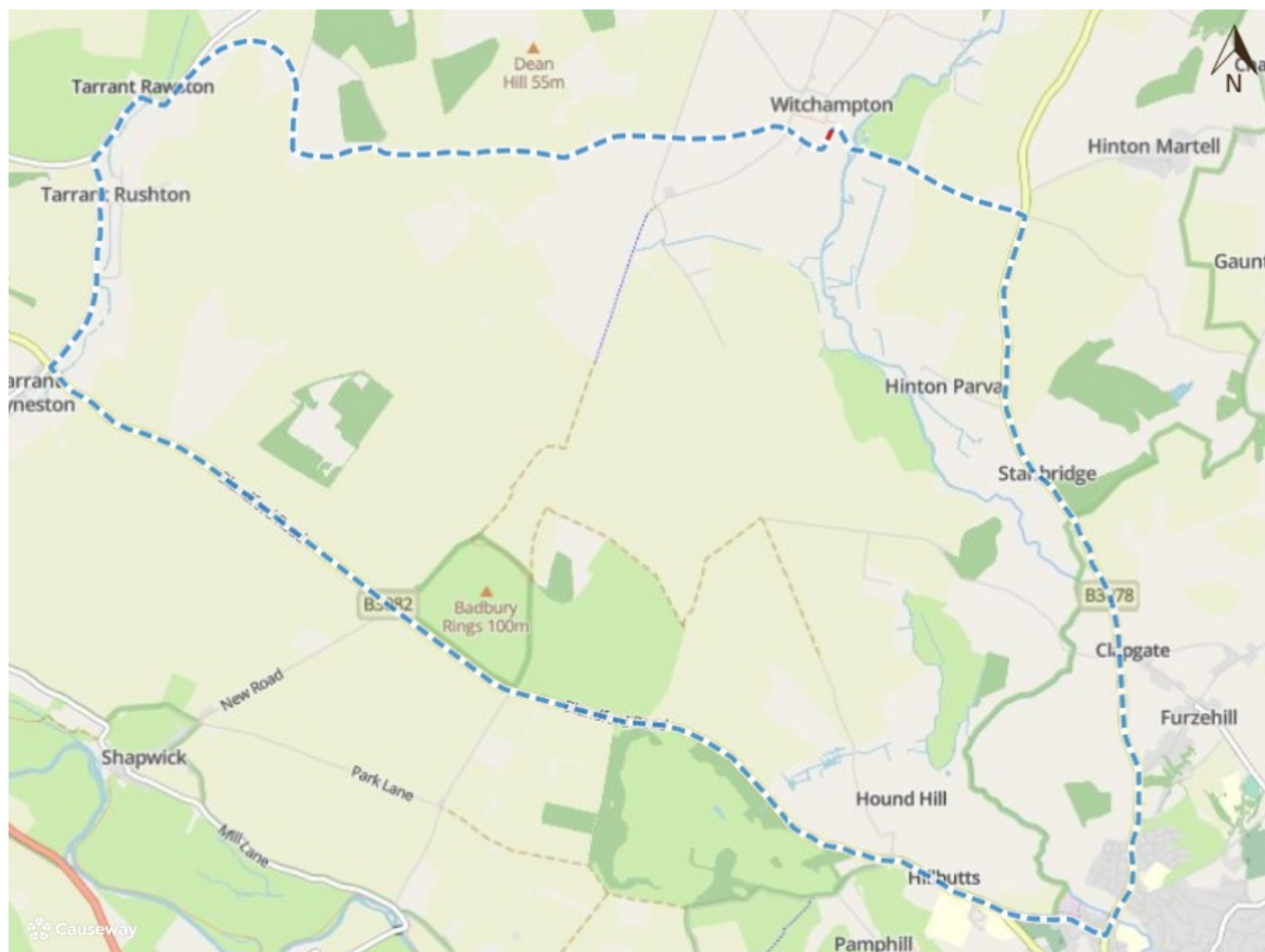
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PROPOSED TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF LOWER STREET, WITCHAMPTON

I have received an application from Openreach to close Lower Street, Witchampton between Dawes Cottage and Stocks Barn, a distance of approximately 60 metres. The closure has been requested to allow Openreach to carry out pole renewal works. These works are programmed to commence from 09:30, 29th October 2026 until 15:00, 29th October 2026.

Openreach will publicise the road closure in a number of ways: they will place information boards on the road in this area to inform the travelling public of the works; they will carry out a letter drop to local residents directly affected by the works; and they will sign a vehicular diversion route using the local road network. The following map shows the extent of the closure and the diversion route.

This document is for information only, however if you have any concerns about this proposal, please contact Jamie Igoe, (trafficteam@dorsetcouncil.gov.uk) by 6th October 2026.



View all roadworks in your area - dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/roadworks-events or read the council's [guide to roadworks](#) for general information and advice.