



## FOREST ROAD, LYDNEY – GEOTECHNICAL REMEDIATION WORK

Montel Civil Engineering Ltd have been appointed Principal Contractor by Gloucestershire County Council for the Forest Road, Lydney – Geotechnical Remediation Works. The works are required due to significant land subsidence on the B4234 Forest Road between Lydney and Whitecroft and will require a full road closure for the duration of the works. The road closure will be in place from 07:00hrs on 9th February 2026 for a period of upto seven months.

Access to properties and businesses will be maintained at all times but passage through the work area will not be possible and the signed diversion route (shown below) will be implemented on Monday morning. The diversion route and associated signage has been planned in consultation with local residents and businesses with the aim of reducing any disruption to a minimum.



During the first month of the project the road will be closed and the site offices and welfare established. Site clearance works will then commence removing vegetation, topsoil and street furniture that are affected by the proposed works.

Openreach BT have existing infrastructure located within the verge where the land slip has occurred and these ducts and cables will be diverted into the opposite side of the road in order to be clear of the planned sheet piling.

New drainage will commence which will pick up all the existing individual drains and gullies combining them into one improved outfall into the river.

These enabling works are due to run through into March and looking ahead the sheet piling installation is currently planned to commence in April.

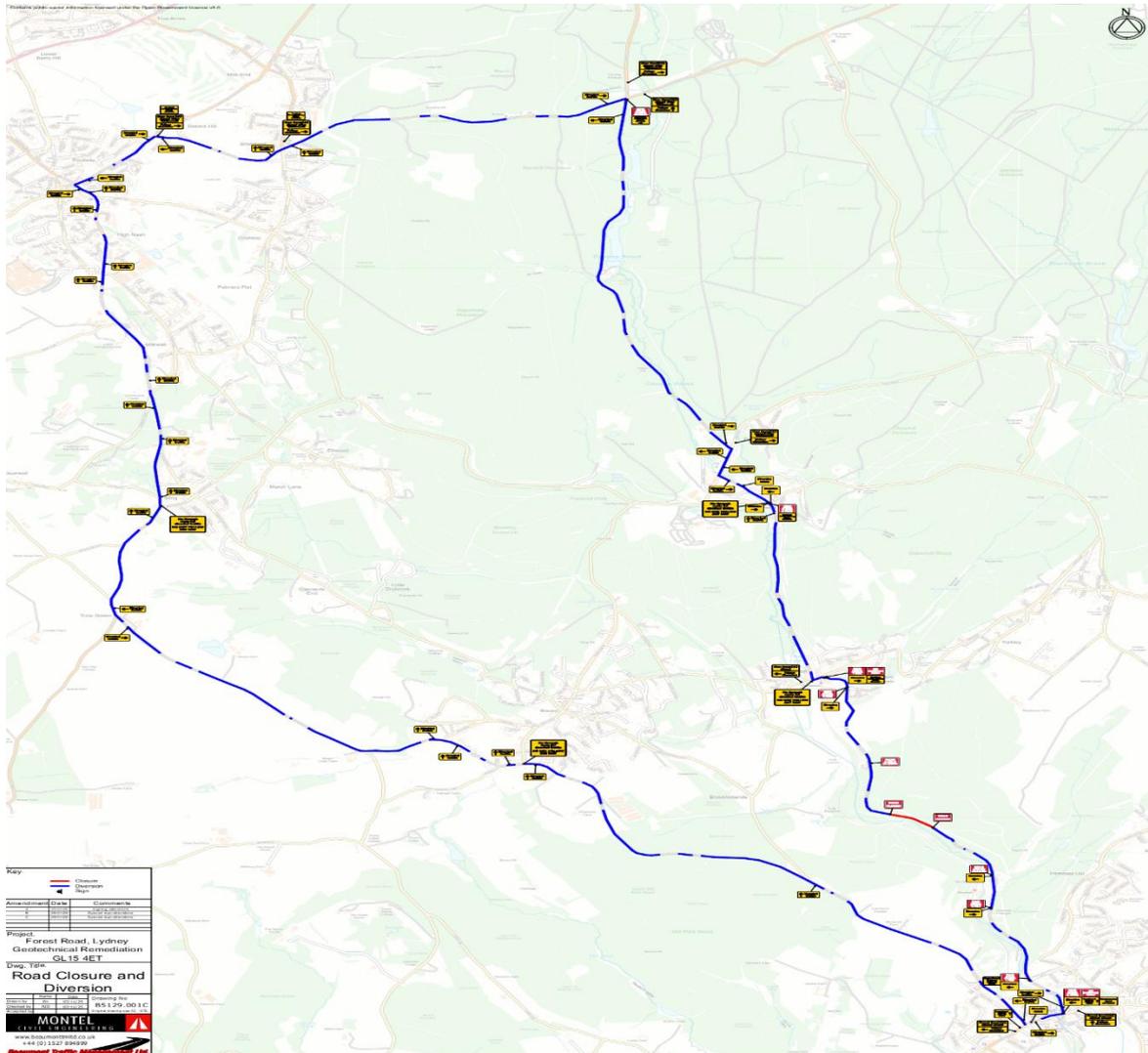
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The map below shows the agreed diversion route and signage that has been planned in consultation with local residents and businesses with the aim of reducing any disruption to a minimum.



If you have any queries or concerns on these works, please contact Michael Mendyka Montel Civil Engineering Ltd. on the details below :-

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We apologise for any inconvenience that may be caused whilst carrying out these works.

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