## Legal notice to the public

## **Public notice**

## NOTICE OF CONFIRMATION OF AN ORDER HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2023 FOOTPATH 21 ALDHAM AND FOOTPATH 21 CHAPPEL

On 27 July 2023 Essex County Council confirmed the above order made under section 119 of the Highways Act 1980. The effect of the order as confirmed as shown on the order map is to divert a part length of Footpath 21 Chappel of unknown width shown by a bold continuous line on the order map commencing on a farm track situated south of the wooded area known as Wick Grove running in an east south easterly direction along the track for a distance of 175 metres to a point where it passes Wick Farm and continues in a generally southerly direction along a track crossing the parish boundary to Footpath 21 Aldham for a final distance of 165 metres where it continues unaffected, to an alternative route 2 meters in width commencing at the aforementioned start point from a farm track running in a generally southerly direction along a grass track crossing the parish boundary for a distance of 225 metres and then continuing in a south easterly direction for a final distance of 227 metres to the aforementioned end point where it continues unaffected.

Copies of the order and order map can be requested to be posted or viewed by emailing publicpathorders@essexhighways.org to arrange a suitable time to inspect the documents quoting the Order title. Documents can be made available for inspection 8.30am-4.30pm Mon-Fri at Essex County Council, County Hall, E block main reception, Market Road, Chelmsford if so required following the current social distancing restrictions. Copies of the order and order map are available on Essex Highways website at:

https://www.essexhighways.org/transport-and-roads/getting-around/public-rights-of-way/public-path-notices.aspx and have also been sent to Colchester City Council and Aldham and Chappel Parish Councils.

The alternative route will come into force on 24 August 2023 and the old route shall be stopped up with effect from 31 August 2023, but if a person aggrieved by the orders wants to question their validity, or that of any provision contained in them, on the ground that it is not within the powers of the Highways Act 1980, as amended, or on the ground that any requirement of the Act, as amended, or of any regulation made under the Act has not been complied with in relation to the Orders, he or she may, under paragraph 2 of Schedule 2 to the Act as applied by paragraph 5 of Schedule 6 to the Act, within 6 weeks from 10 August 2023 make an application to the High Court.

Dated 10 August 2023

County Hall, Market Road Chelmsford, Essex CM1 1QH

