

Public notice

**NOTICE OF CONFIRMATION OF AN ORDER
HIGHWAYS ACT 1980
ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL
PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2026
FOOTPATH 24 GREAT DUNMOW**

On 23 March 2026 Essex County Council confirmed the above order made under section 119 of the Highways Act 1980. The effect of the order as confirmed is to divert a part length of Footpath 24 Great Dunmow of unknown width shown by a bold continuous line on the order map commencing from point A at grid reference 56365,22222 located at the field edge running in a north north easterly direction across a field for a total distance of approximately 146 metres to point B at grid reference 56372,22235 at the field edge located by the south east corner of a woods where it continues unaffected, to an alternative route 2 metres in width commencing from point C at grid reference 56359,22228 at the field edge approximately 88 metres north west of the aforementioned point A running in a north easterly direction across a field for a total distance of approximately 140 metres to the aforementioned point B 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 from 8.30am-4.30pm Mon-Fri at Essex County Council, County Hall, E block main reception, Market Road, Chelmsford if 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/public-path-notice> and have also been sent to Uttlesford District Council and Great Dunmow Town Council.

The alternative route comes into force on 20 April 2026, and the old route shall be stopped up with effect from 27 April 2026, but if a person aggrieved by the order wants to question its validity, or that of any provision contained in it, 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 Order, 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 16 April 2026 make an application to the High Court.

Dated 16 April 2026

County Hall, Market Road
Chelmsford, Essex
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