

# Public notice

**NOTICE OF CONFIRMATION OF AN ORDER  
HIGHWAYS ACT 1980  
ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL  
PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2023  
FOOTPATH 28 SOUTH HANNINGFIELD**

On 15 November 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 28 South Hanningfield of unknown width shown by a bold continuous line on the order map commencing from a point on a grass track between wooded areas running in a generally south westerly then south easterly direction through a wooded area and across grass tracks and a watercourse for a distance of 311 metres to a point where it continues in a north easterly direction across a grass track and through a wooded area for a final distance of 194 metres to a point on a grassed area located between two wooded areas where it continues unaffected, to an alternative route 2 metres in width commencing at the aforementioned start point running in a south easterly then south westerly direction along grass tracks between wooded areas for a total distance of 371 metres to a point where it connects to Footpath 27 South Hanningfield on the north side of a treeline and watercourse. A further section commencing at a point located on the south side of a treeline and watercourse running in a north easterly then east north easterly direction along a grass track and through a grassed area for a total distance of 273 metres to the aforementioned end point where it continues unaffected.

Copies of the order and the order map can be requested to be posted or viewed by emailing [publicpathorders@essexhighways.org](mailto: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-notice.aspx> and have also been sent to South Hanningfield Parish and Chelmsford City Councils

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The alternative route came into force on 13 December 2023, and the old route shall be stopped up with effect from 20 December 2023, 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 30 November 2023 make an application to the High Court.

## **HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 – SECTION 25 PUBLIC FOOTPATH CREATION AGREEMENT PARISH OF SOUTH HANNINGFIELD, CITY OF CHELMSFORD**

By an Agreement dated 15 November 2023 a new public footpath has been created being two metres in width over and along ALL THAT strip of land situated in the Parish of South Hanningfield in the City of Chelmsford as follows: commencing from a point where it connects via an existing pedestrian gate to the highway known as Downham Road running in a south easterly then east south easterly then south easterly direction down a grassy slope then continuing alongside and across the access track for a total distance of 79 metres to the point where it connects to Footpath 23 South Hanningfield.

Dated 30 November 2023

County Hall, Market Road  
Chelmsford, Essex  
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