

Public Notice

Section 53 Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 Definitive Map and Statement for the County of Essex

The Essex County Council Definitive Map Modification No. 682 Restricted Byways 24 Copford and 42 Birch (Colchester District) Order 2021

TO THE PUBLIC AT LARGE AND TO THE OWNER AND OCCUPIER OF THE LAND DESCRIBED BELOW

The above Order made on 14th October 2021, if confirmed as made, will modify the Definitive Map for the area by:-

1. Adding a length of restricted byway numbered 42 Birch, from the unclassified road by Hellens Farm in a northerly and north westerly direction for a distance of 183 metres to the junction with bridleway 2 Birch. From there it continues in a northerly direction for a distance of 216 metres to the south westerly corner of Potash Wood. From here it heads west for a distance of 322 metres at the south west corner of Seller Wood, where it turns north for a distance of 275 metres until it reaches the parish boundary with Copford where it continues as restricted byway 24.
2. Upgrading Footpath 24 Copford to restricted byway. This route extends from the parish boundary with Birch in a northerly direction for a distance of approximately 312 metres to the Easthorpe Road.

A copy of the Order and the Order map may be seen free of charge during normal office hours at at the Chelmsford Library, Market Road, where copies will be available on request at a charge. Copies of the order and order map may also be viewed on the 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 Colchester Borough Council.

Any representation or objection relating to the Order must be sent in writing to the Director for Essex Legal Services, Essex County Council, Seax House, Victoria Road South, Chelmsford, Essex, CM1 1QH, to arrive not later than 14th January 2022, and it is requested that the grounds on which it is made are stated.

If no representations or objections are duly made to the Order, or if any so made are withdrawn, the Essex County Council, instead of submitting the Order to the Secretary of State, may itself confirm the Order. If the Order is submitted to the Secretary of State for the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, any representations or objections, which have been duly made and not withdrawn, will be sent with it.

Dated: Thursday 25th November 2021



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