

NOTICE OF CONFIRMED ORDER

**HIGHWAYS ACT 1980
WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981**

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

**THE HAMPSHIRE (HAVANT BOROUGH NO.8)
(HAVANT - PART OF FOOTPATH NO.34)
PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION AND DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT
MODIFICATION ORDER 2026**

On the 28 May 2026 Hampshire 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 the public footpath from its current alignment which commences at SU 7055 0626 and proceeds north-westwards through water works to SU 7048 0636, continuing south-westwards alongside the railway for approximately 151 metres to SU 7036 0626. The diverted route will be a 3-metre-wide path commencing at SU 7055 0626 and proceeding south-westwards to meet Hermitage Stream, continuing in a westerly direction across a footbridge to rejoining the existing line of the path at SU 7036 0626.

A copy of the Order and the Order map have been placed and may be seen free of charge at the offices of Hampshire County Council, The Castle, Winchester, SO23 8UD, and at the offices of Havant Borough Council, Public Service Plaza, Civic Centre Road, Havant, PO9 2AX at all reasonable hours; and online at www.hants.gov.uk/publicnotices. Copies of the Order and the map can be provided on request.

The Order comes into force when Hampshire County Council has certified that the work necessary to bring the new path into a fit condition for use by the public has been carried out, but if any person aggrieved by the Order wants to question its validity, or any provision contained in it, on the grounds that it is not within the powers of the Highways Act 1980, as amended, or on the grounds that any requirement of the Act, as amended, or 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 six weeks from 03 July 2026 make an application to the High Court.

DATED this 3rd day of July 2026

PATRICK BLOGG, Director of Universal Services, The Castle, Winchester, SO23 8UD

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This Order is made by Hampshire County Council (“the authority”) under Section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 (“the 1980 Act”) because it appears to the authority that in the interests of the owner of the land crossed by the footpath described in paragraph 1 of this order it is expedient that the line of the path should be diverted.

This Order is also made under section 53A(2) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 (“the 1981 Act”) because it appears to the authority that the Hampshire Definitive Map and Statement of Public Rights of Way (dated 15th December 2007) require modification in consequence of the occurrence of an event specified in section 53(3)(a)(i) of the 1981 Act, namely, the diversion (as authorised by this order) of a highway shown or required to be shown in the map and statement.

Haskoning UK Limited has agreed to defray any compensation which becomes payable in consequence of the coming into force of this Order and any expenses which are incurred in bringing the new path into a fit condition for use by the public.

Havant Borough Council has been consulted as required by Section 120(2) of the 1980 Act.

BY THIS ORDER:

1. The public right of way over the land situated at Havant shown by a bold continuous line on the map contained in this Order and described in Part 1 of the Schedule to this Order, shall be stopped up when Hampshire County Council has certified that the work necessary to bring the site of the new footpath, specified in paragraph 3 below, into a fit condition for use by the public has been carried out, and thereupon the Hampshire Definitive Map of Public Rights of Way (dated 15th December 2007) shall be modified by deleting from it that public right of way.
 2. Notwithstanding this Order all Statutory Undertakers shall have the same rights over the land referred to in paragraph 1 as they have hitherto enjoyed.
 3. There shall be from the date of confirmation of this Order a public footpath over the land situate at Havant described in Part 2 of the Schedule and shown by a bold broken line on the map contained in this Order, and thereupon the Hampshire Definitive Map of Public Rights of Way (dated 15th December 2007) shall be modified by adding that footpath to it.
- 3A. The Hampshire Definitive Statement of Public Rights of Way (dated 15th December 2007) shall be modified as described in Part 4 of the Schedule to this Order.

GIVEN this 13th day of March

2026

THE COMMON SEAL of HAMPSHIRE)
COUNTY COUNCIL was hereunto)
affixed in the presence of:-)

Authorised Signatory


SARAH HUCKFIELD



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SCHEDULE

PART 1

DESCRIPTION OF SITE OF EXISTING RIGHTS OF WAY

Havant Footpath No.34

From SU 7055 0626 to SU 7036 0626 via SU 7048 0636

That part of Havant Footpath No.34 which commences at SU 7055 0626 (Point A on the Order Plan) and proceeds north-westwards to SU 7048 0636 (Point B), continuing south-westwards alongside the railway to SU 7036 0626 (Point C).

Approximately 287 metres in length.

PART 2

DESCRIPTION OF SITE OF NEW RIGHT OF WAY

Havant Footpath No.34

From SU 7055 0626 to SU 7036 0626

A 3-metre-wide path in Havant which commences at SU 7055 0626 (Point A on the Order Plan) and proceeds south-westwards, then westwards over a footbridge to SU 7036 0626 (Point C).

Approximately 195 metres in length.

PART 3

MODIFICATION OF DEFINITIVE STATEMENT

Variation of particulars of path or way

The Definitive Statement for Havant shall be amended as follows:

Havant Footpath 34

Add: "The path follows a diverted route, 3 metres wide, between 7055 0626 and 7036 0626."

NOTE: ALL LENGTHS ARE APPROXIMATE

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This Order is hereby confirmed as an unopposed Order.

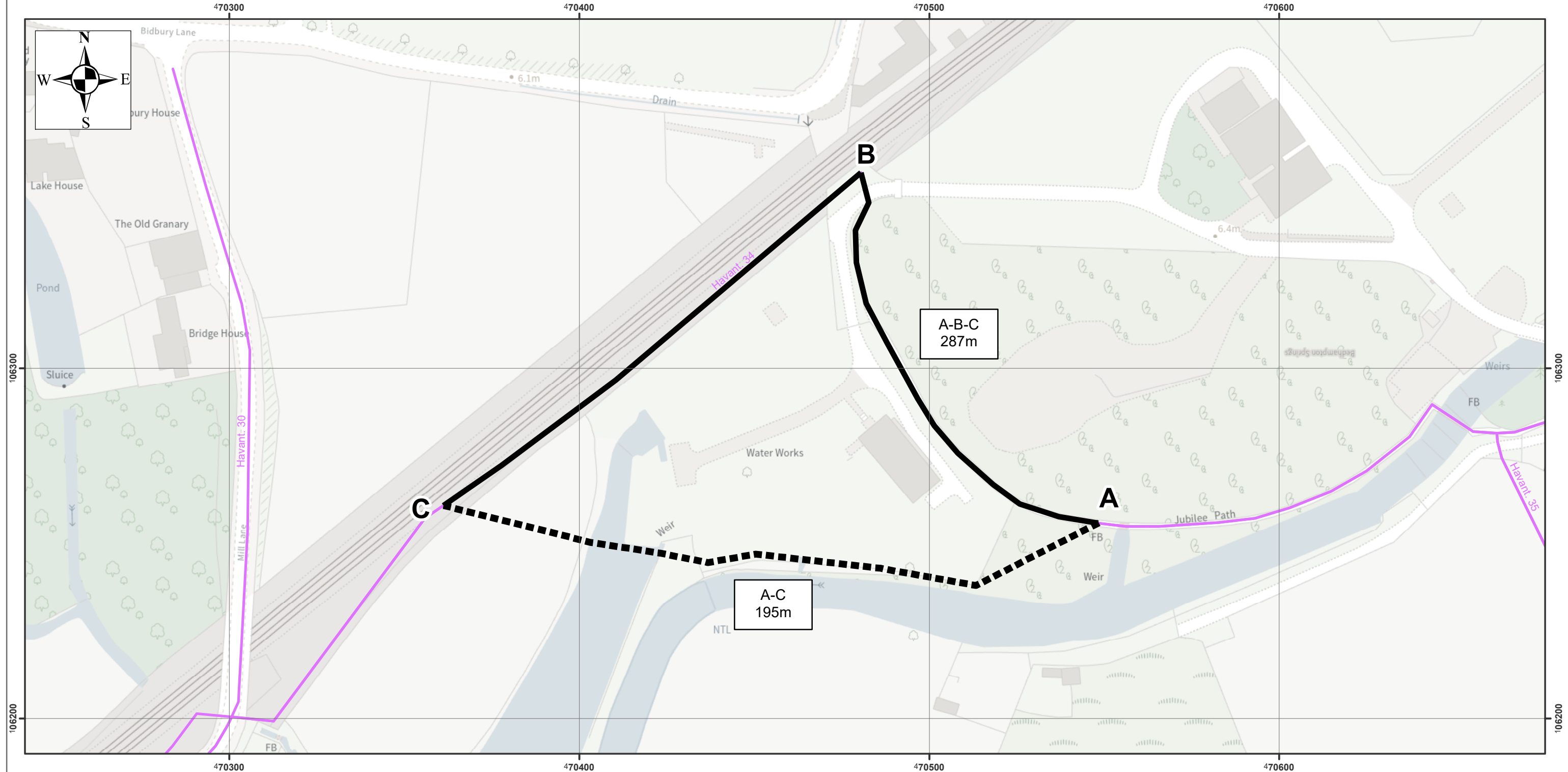
GIVEN this 28th day of May 2026

THE COMMON SEAL of)
HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL)
was hereunto affixed)
in the presence of:-)

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a stylized initial followed by a horizontal line.

Authorised Signatory

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
 MAP REFERRED TO IN
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SCALE 1:1,100
LEGEND
PUBLIC FOOTPATH
TO BE CREATED:- - - - - -
PUBLIC FOOTPATH
TO BE EXTINGUISHED:- _____
EXISTING PUBLIC
FOOTPATH:- _____

MAP PRODUCED FROM DIGITAL DATA
 SUPPLIED BY ORDNANCE SURVEY

THE COMMON SEAL OF HAMPSHIRE COUNTY
 COUNCIL WAS HEREUNTO AFFIXED IN THE
 PRESENCE OF:-

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 SIGNATORY

DATE.....

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 UNIVERSAL SERVICES, WINCHESTER