

NOTICE OF CONFIRMED ORDER

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

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

**THE HAMPSHIRE (HART DISTRICT COUNCIL NO.17)
(PARISH OF ODIHAM - PART OF FOOTPATH NO.16)
PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION AND DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT
MODIFICATION ORDER 2026**

On the 30 September 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 7292 5205 on the access track leading up to Folly Cottage and continues along the driveway and runs around the eastern side of the property, to a new alignment that follows the eastern boundary of the property and continues south-westwards to rejoin to the footpath before crossing the footbridge to the south of the property.

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 Hart District Council Civic Offices, Harlington Way, Fleet GU51 4AE at all reasonable hours; and online at www.hants.gov.uk/publicnotices. Copies of the Order and the map can be provided on request.

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 30 October 2026 make an application to the High Court.

DATED this 30th day of October 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.

Mrs Helen Fleming 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.

Hart District Council have 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 Odiham 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 confirmed the order 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 Odiham 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 16th day of July

2026

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

Authorised Signatory



SCHEDULE

PART 1

DESCRIPTION OF SITE OF EXISTING RIGHTS OF WAY

Odiham Footpath No.16 From SU 7292 5205 to SU 7293 5202

That part of Odiham Footpath No.16 which commences at SU 7292 5205 (Point A on the Order Plan) and proceeding south-eastwards and then south-westwards to a junction with a footbridge over the River Whitewater at SU 7293 5202 (Point C).

Approximately 38 metres in length.

PART 2

DESCRIPTION OF SITE OF NEW RIGHT OF WAY

Odiham Footpath No.16 SU 7292 5205 to SU 7293 5202 via SU 7294 5203

A 1.5-metre-wide path in the Parish of Odiham commencing at SU 7292 5205 (Point A on the Order Plan) and proceeding south-eastwards through a pedestrian gate, then continuing alongside the boundary of Folly Cottage to a pedestrian gate at SU 7294 5203 (Point B), proceeding south-westwards to a junction with a footbridge over the River Whitewater at SU 7293 5202 (Point C).

Approximately 44 metres in length.

PART 3

LIMITATIONS

1.8 metre wooden pedestrian gate at SU 7293 5205
1.4 metre wooden pedestrian gate at SU 7294 5209

PART 4

MODIFICATION OF DEFINITIVE STATEMENT

Variation of particulars of path or way

The Definitive Statement for the Parish of Odiham shall be amended as follows:

Add: "The path follows a diverted route, 1.5 metres wide, between 7292 5205 and 7293 5202"

NOTE: ALL LENGTHS ARE APPROXIMATE

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This Order is hereby confirmed as an unopposed Order.

GIVEN this 30 day of September 2026

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

Rebecca Thompson
REBECCA THOMPSON
ASSISTANT HEAD LEGAL
SERVICES

Authorised Signatory



MAP REFERRED TO IN
THE HAMPSHIRE (HART DISTRICT COUNCIL NO.17)
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PATRICK BLOGG, DIRECTOR OF
UNIVERSAL SERVICES, WINCHESTER