HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

HIGHWAYS ACT 1980

THE HAMPSHIRE (WINCHESTER CITY NO. 83)
(PARISH OF WHITELEY)
PUBLIC PATH CREATION AND DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT MODIFICATION ORDER 2026

The above order, made on 04 November 2026, under section 26 of the Highways Act 1980, will create a public bridleway by upgrading the status of Whiteley Footpath 720 to a bridleway.

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(a)(i) of the 1981 Act, namely, the creation (as authorised by this order) of a highway required to be shown in the map and statement.

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 Winchester City Council, City Offices, Colebrook Street, Winchester, SO23 9LJ at all reasonable hours; and online at www.hants.gov.uk/publicnotices. Copies of the Order and the map can be provided on request.

Any representations about or objections to the Order may be sent in writing to the Head of Countryside Access, Universal Services, Hampshire County Council, The Castle, Winchester, SO23 8UD, or via email to row.notices@hants.gov.uk quoting reference:- PPO 5300, no later than 25 December 2026. Please state the grounds on which they are made.

The personal data you provide in any representation will be treated in accordance with Data Protection Legislation, and may be published in a decision report, be disclosed to other interested parties, including the landowner (or their representatives). It may also be made public if the matter is referred to the Planning Inspectorate. Your data will be retained for a maximum period of 3 years from the date that the application is resolved. The legal basis for our use of this information is the compliance with a legal obligation – Highways Act 1980.

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If no such representations or objections are duly made, or if any so made are withdrawn, Hampshire County Council may confirm the Order as an unopposed order. If the Order is sent to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs for confirmation any representations and objections which have not been withdrawn will be sent with the Order.

Persons wishing to make representations or objections are advised that in the Order making process, representations or objections may become publicly available and therefore the names and addresses of those persons making representations or objections would also be made publicly available.

Dated this 27th day of November 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 26 of the Highways Act 1980 ("the 1980 Act") because it appears to the authority that, having regard to the matters set out in section 26(1), there is a need for a public bridleway over the land to which this order relates, and that it is expedient that the bridleway should be created.

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(a)(i) of the 1981 Act, namely, the creation (as authorised by this order) of a highway required to be shown in the map and statement.

Winchester City Council has been consulted as required by Section 26(3) of the 1980 Act.

BY THIS ORDER:

1. There shall be from the date of confirmation of this order a public bridleway over the land at Whiteley described in Part 1 of the Schedule to this order and shown by a bold broken line on the map attached to this order.

GIVEN this 4th day of November 2026

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

Authorised Signatory

Rebecca Tipson

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SCHEDULE

PART 1

DESCRIPTION OF LAND

Whiteley Bridleway No. 720 (A-B)
SU 5328 0814 and SU 5360 0804

A 6-metre-wide bridleway in the Parish of Whiteley, commencing at a junction with Concorde Way SU 5328 0814 (Point A on the plan) proceeding along the existing route of Whitley Footpath 720 in a north-easterly then then south-easterly direction to a junction with Whiteley Lane at SU 5360 0804 (Point B).

Approximately 369 metres in length.

PART 2

LIMITATIONS

Metal staggered barriers at SU 5328 0814 and SU 5360 0804

PART 3

MODIFICATION OF DEFINITIVE STATEMENT

Variation of particulars or way

PART 4

MODIFICATION OF DEFINITIVE STATEMENT

Variation of particulars of path or way

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

Delete:

Path Number	Status	Start Point	End Point
720	Footpath	5328 0814 Concorde Way (U189)	5360 0804 Whiteley Lane (U189)
Description, Conditions, Limitations	Witherbed Lane From railway bridge north eastwards along metalled lane to junction with No. 19 That part of the path which ran between 5334 0819 and 5349 0824 has been extinguished. Those parts of the path which ran between 5308 0800 and 5327 0813 and between 5349 0824 and 5349 0824 have been removed		

	from the definitive map as they now form part of a highway of a higher status.

Add:

Path Number	Status	Start Point	End Point
720	Bridleway	5328 0814 Concorde Way (U189)	5360 0804 Whiteley Lane (U189)
Description, Conditions, Limitations	Witherbed Lane From railway bridge north eastwards along metalled lane to junction with No. 19 That part of the path which ran between SU 5334 0819 and SU 5349 0824 has been extinguished. Those parts of the path which ran between SU 5308 0800 and SU 5327 0813 and between SU 5349 0824 and SU 5349 0824 have been removed from the definitive map as they now form part of a highway of a higher status. Metal staggered barriers at SU 5328 0814 and SU 5360 0804		

NOTE: ALL LENGTHS ARE APPROXIMATE

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MAP REFERRED TO IN

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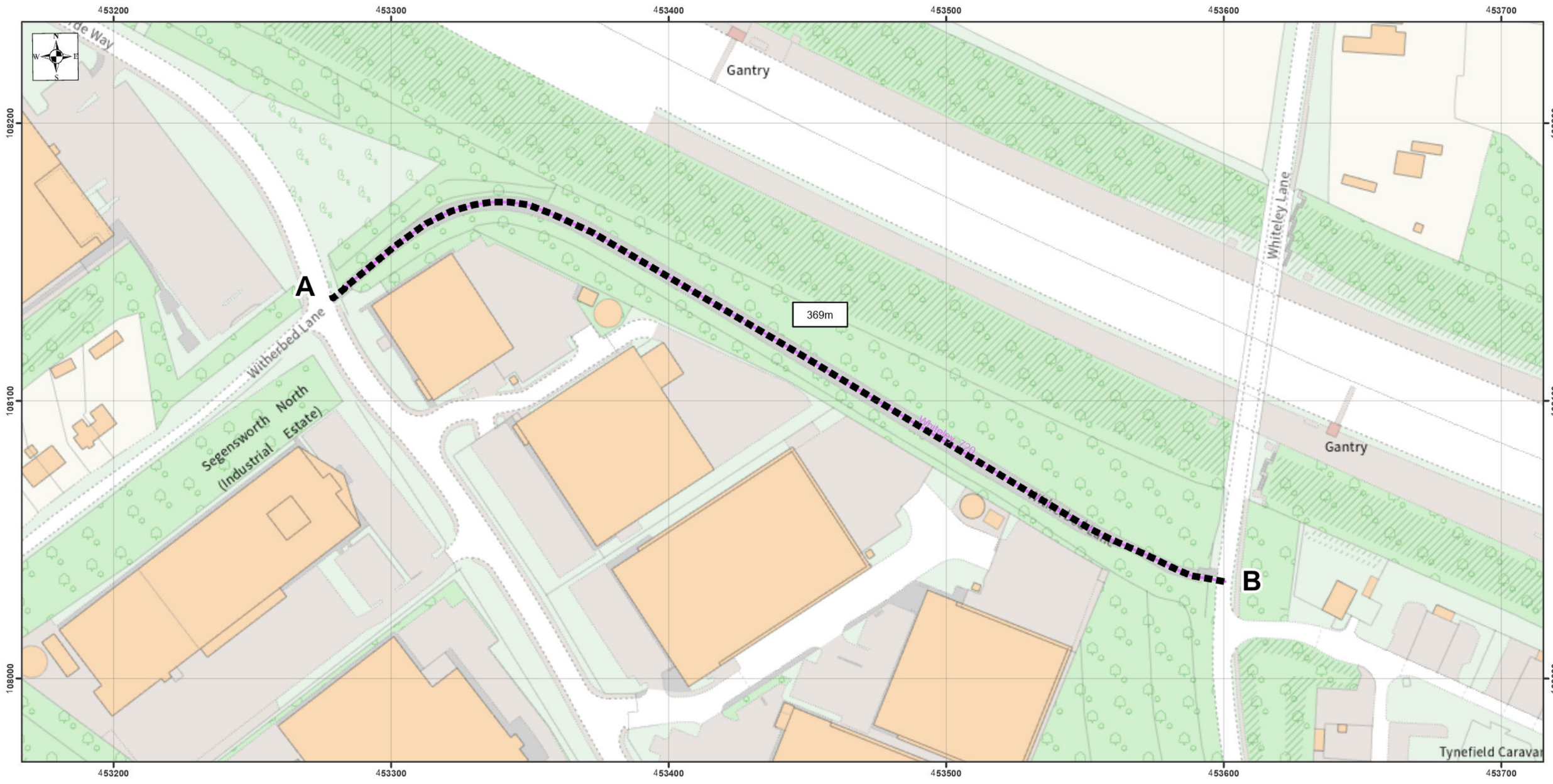

SCALE 1:1,389

LEGEND

EXISTING PUBLIC FOOTPATH:-

BRIDLEWAY TO BE CREATED:- - - - - - - - - - - - - -

MAP PRODUCED FROM DIGITAL DATA
SUPPLIED BY ORDNANCE SURVEY

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

.....AUTHORISED SIGNATORY

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DATE.....

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PATRICK BLOGG, DIRECTOR OF
UNIVERSAL SERVICES, WINCHESTER