

Public notice

**NOTICE OF MAKING OF AN ORDER
HIGHWAYS ACT 1980
ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL
PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2024
FOOTPATH 7 BELCHAMP WALTER**

The above order, made on 25 April 2024, under section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 will divert a part length of Footpath 7 Belchamp Walter of unknown width shown by a bold continuous line on the order map commencing at the northern end of the driveway belonging to The Rookery, where it joins Belchamp Walter Road then running in a southerly direction along a field edge to where it crosses a watercourse and through a private garden belonging to The Rookery then continuing across an agricultural field in a southerly then south westerly direction for a total distance of approximately 423 metres where it continues unaffected to a footpath being 2 metres in width shown by a bold broken line on the order map commencing at the aforementioned start point running in a southerly then south easterly direction for a distance of approximately 176 metres to where it crosses an existing culvert over the aforementioned watercourse then continues in a southerly then south westerly direction following the field edge approximately 10 metres way from the edge of the watercourse for a final distance of approximately 364 metres to where it continues unaffected.

Copies of the order and order map can be requested to be posted or viewed by emailing 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-notices.aspx> and have also been sent to Braintree District Council and Belchamp Walter Parish Council.

Any representations about or objections to the order may be sent in writing to Sarah Potter, Definitive Map Service, Essex County Council, Seax House, 2nd Floor, Victoria Road South, Chelmsford CM1 1QH not later than 6 June 2024. Please state the grounds on which they are made.

If no such representations or objections are duly made, or if any so made are withdrawn, Essex County Council may confirm the Order as an unopposed order. If the Order is sent to the Secretary of State for the Environment for confirmation any representations or objections which have not been withdrawn will be sent together with the Order. Any such representation or objections will be taken into account by the Council with the result that they may be made available to the public under the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985.

Dated 9 May 2024

