

# Public notice

**NOTICE OF MAKING OF AN ORDER  
HIGHWAYS ACT 1980  
ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL  
PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2022  
FOOTPATHS 7 AND 12 LITTLE SAMPFORD**

On 8 September 2022 Essex County Council confirmed the above order made under section 119 of the Highways Act 1980. The effect of the order as confirmed as shown on the order map is to divert the entire length of Footpath 7 Little Sampford of unknown width shown by a bold continuous black line on the order map to a footpath being 2 metres in width shown by a bold broken black line on the order map running from its junction with Footpath 37 Great Sampford alongside the River Pant for a total distance of 520 metres to the point where it connects to the new line of Footpath 12 Little Sampford described below, and to also divert a part length of Footpath 12 Little Sampford of unknown width shown by a bold continuous black line on the order map commencing at its junction with Footpath 13 Little Sampford running in a south easterly direction for a total distance of 157 metres to a point near the field edge where it continues unaffected to a footpath being 2 metres in width shown by a bold broken black line on the order map commencing at its new junction with Footpath 7 Little Sampford running in a generally south easterly direction alongside the River Pant for a total distance of 194 metres to the aforementioned point near the field edge where it continues unaffected.

Copies of the order and order map can be requested to be posted or viewed by emailing [publicpathorders@essexhighways.org](mailto: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 Little Sampford Parish and Uttlesford District Councils.

The alternative routes came into force on 6 October 2022, and the old routes were stopped up with effect from 13 October, but if a person aggrieved by the order wants to question its validity, or that of 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 of 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 6 weeks from 10 November 2022 make an application to the High Court.

Dated 10 November 2022  
County Hall, Market Road  
Chelmsford, Essex  
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