

Legal notice to the public

# Public notice

**NOTICE OF MAKING OF AN ORDER  
HIGHWAYS ACT 1980  
ESSEX COUNTY COUNCIL  
PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2024  
FOOTPATH 12 STEEPLE BUMPSTEAD**

The above order made on 11 December 2024 under section 119 of the Highways Act 1980, as shown on the order maps will divert a part length of Footpath 12 Steeple Bumpstead of unknown width shown by a bold continuous line on the order map commencing from point A at grid reference 56907,24180 heading in a north westerly direction from Maltings Lane through paddock fencing for a total distance of 79 metres to point B at grid reference 56899,24180 where it continues unaffected, to an alternative route 1.5 metres in width shown by a bold broken line on the order map commencing at Point C at grid reference 56906,24182 located 21 metres north from the aforementioned point A heading in a south westerly direction from Maltings Lane following an enclosed natural surfaced path for a total distance of 70 metres to the aforementioned point B 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/public-path-notice> and have also been sent to Braintree District Council and Steeple Bumpstead Parish Council.

Any representations about or objections to the order may be sent in writing to Public Path Orders, Definitive Map Service, Essex County Council, Seax House, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Victoria Road South, Chelmsford CM1 1QH not later than 13 February 2025. 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If no such representations or objections are duly made, or if any so made are withdrawn, Essex County Council may confirm the Order as an unopposed order.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to the Secretary of State for the Environment for confirmation any representations or objections which have not been withdrawn will be sent together with the Order.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 16 January 2025



Essex County Council