

Bedford Borough Council
Notice of Making of Rail Crossing Diversion Order
Highways Act 1980

THE BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL (WYMINGTON: PART OF FOOTPATH NOS 3, 4 AND 5; PODINGTON: PART OF FOOTPATH NOS 6 AND 27) RAIL CROSSING DIVERSION ORDER 2013

The above Order made on 13 December 2013 under Section 119A of the Highways Act 1980 will divert Footpath Nos 3, 4 and 5 Wymington and Footpath Nos 6 and 27 Podington as shown on the Order map.

The full width of that part of Footpath 3 Wymington from Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OS GR) SP 9558 6384 (Point C on the map contained in this order) south west for approximately 184 metres, then south for approximately 93 metres to a point on the field edge east of the railway crossing. Thence over the railway crossing in a north west direction, then south west and then south for a total distance of approximately 53 metres to the field edge south of the railway crossing. Thence in a generally south south west direction for a distance of approximately 307 metres to the Wymington/Podington Parish Boundary at OS GR SP 9527 6334 (Point D on the map contained in this order)

The full width of that part of Footpath 6 Podington from OS GR SP 9535 6329 (Point E on the map contained in this order) north west for approximately 95 metres to OS GR SP 9527 6334 (Point D on the map contained in this order).

The full width of that part of Footpath 4 Wymington from OS GR SP 9563 6370 (Point A on the map contained in this order) generally south for approximately 300 metres to OS GR SP 9561 6341 (Point B on the map contained in this order).

The full width of that part of Footpath 5 Wymington from OS GR SP 9591 6319 (Point F on the map contained in this order) south west over the railway crossing for approximately 15 metres then south for approximately 145 metres to the Wymington/Podington Parish Boundary at OS GR SP 9590 6303 (Point G on the map contained in this order).

The full width of that part of Footpath 27 Podington from the Wymington/Podington Parish Boundary OS GR SP 9590 6303 (Point G on the map contained in this order) south for approximately 8 metres to OS GR SP 9590 6303 (Point H on the map contained in this order).

DESCRIPTION OF SITE OF NEW PATH OR WAY

Part of Footpath 3 Wymington: A footpath with a width of 2 metres from OS GR SP 9561 6341 (Point B on the map contained in this order) west south west for approximately 270 metres to the Wymington/Podington Parish Boundary at OS GR SP 9536 6329 (Point K on the map contained in this order).

Part of Footpath 6 Podington: A footpath with a width of 2 metres from OS GR SP 9535 6329 (Point E on the map contained in this order) north east for approximately 8 metres to the Wymington/Podington Parish Boundary at OS GR SP 9536 6329 (Point K on the map contained in this order).

Part of Footpath 4 Wymington: A footpath with a width of 2 metres from OS GR SP 9563 6370 (Point A on the map contained in this order) south for approximately 277 metres to OS GR SP 9563 6343 (Point J on the map contained in the order). Thence over the new railway footbridge and approaches for approximately 47 metres. Thence west south west for approximately 17 metres to OS GR SP 9561 6341 (Point B on the map contained in this order).

Part of Footpath 5 Wymington: A footpath with a width of 2 metres from OS GR SP 9591 6319 (Point F on the map contained in this order) north west for approximately 361 metres to OS GR SP 9563 6343 (Point J on the map contained in this order).

Linking via the new route of Footpath 4 Wymington over the new railway bridge then west south west to OS GR SP 9561 6341 (Point B on the map contained in this order). Continuing via the new route of Footpath 3 Wymington to the Wymington/Podington Parish Boundary at OS GR SP 9536 6329 (Point K on the map contained in this order).

A further part of Footpath 5 Wymington: A footpath with a width of 2 metres continues from OS GR SP 9536 6329 (Point K on the map contained in this order) generally east south east via a junction with the unaffected part of Footpath 4 Wymington at OS GR SP 9559 6316 (Point L on the map contained in this order) for a total distance of approximately 436 metres to the Wymington/Podington Parish Boundary at OS GR SP 9575 6312 (Point M on the map contained in this order).

Part of Footpath 27 Podington: A footpath with a width of 2 metres from the Wymington/Podington Parish Boundary at OS GR SP 9575 6312 (Point M on the map contained in the Order) south south west for a distance of approximately 10 metres then east south east for approximately 174 metres to OS GR SP 9590 6303 (Point H on the map contained in the order).

A copy of the Order and the Order map may be examined during normal office hours at Borough Hall, Cauldwell Street and Customer Service Centre, Horne Lane, Bedford. An explanatory statement can be obtained and copies of the Order and Map may be bought by phoning (01234) 228924.

Any representations about or objections to the Order may be sent in writing to the Orders Officer, Rights of Way (Parks and Countryside), Bedford Borough Council, Borough Hall, 4th Floor, Bedford, MK42 9AP not later than 3 February 2014. 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 the Borough Council may confirm the Order as an unopposed Order. If the Order is sent to the Secretary of State for the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs for confirmation any representations and objections which have not been withdrawn will be sent with the Order.

Dated 22 December 2013

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