

I certify that this is a true copy of the Order as it was when it was:

**CONFIRMED AS AN UNOPPOSED ORDER
BY BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL**

Signed: *Seamus McWade*

Dated: 13 May 2025

PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER

HIGHWAYS ACT 1980

BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL

BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL (KNOTTING & SOULDROP: PART OF PUBLIC FOOTPATH No. 32) PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2024

THIS ORDER is made by the Bedford Borough Council ("the Authority") under Section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 ("the 1980 Act") because it appears to the Authority that in the interest of the owner of the land crossed by the footpath described in paragraph 1 of this Order it is expedient that the line of the footpath should be diverted.

The applicant has agreed to defray any compensation which becomes payable in consequence of the coming into force of this Order and any expenses which are incurred in bringing the new site of the footpath into a fit condition for use by the public.

BY THIS ORDER:

1. The public right of way over the land situated in the environs of "Old Church Farm", High Street, Souldrop in the Parish of Knotting & Souldrop and shown by a bold continuous line between Points A - B on the map attached to this Order and described in Part 1 of the Schedule to this Order shall be stopped up after 7 (seven) days from the date of confirmation of this Order.
2. Notwithstanding paragraph 1 of this Order statutory undertakers shall have the same rights over the land referred to in paragraph 1 above, in respect of their apparatus under, in, upon, over, along or across the said land as they had immediately before the date of confirmation of this Order.
3. There shall be at the end of 7 (seven) days from the date of confirmation of this Order a public footpath over the land situated in the environs of "Old Church Farm", High Street, Souldrop in the parish of Knotting & Souldrop as described in Part 2 of the Schedule to this Order and shown by a bold broken line between Points A - B on the map attached to this Order.
4. This Order may be cited as the "Bedford Borough Council (Knotting & Souldrop: Part of Public Footpath No. 32) Public Path Diversion Order 2024".

Dated this *02* day of *OCTOBER* 2024

THE COMMON SEAL OF
BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL

was hereunto affixed
in the presence of:-

Wai K. Tseng
Solicitor
Legal Services
Authorised Signatory Bedford Borough Council
W. K. Tseng



SCHEDULE

PART 1

DESCRIPTION OF SITE OF EXISTING PATH OR WAY

That part of Public Footpath numbered 32 in the Parish of Knotting & Souldrop in the environs of "Old Church Farm", High Street, Souldrop commencing from a point where it has a junction with the unaffected part of Footpath 32 Knotting & Souldrop approximately 35 metres south-east from the residential dwelling known as "Old Church Farm" High Street, Souldrop at Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OSGR) SP 9852/6159 shown as Point A on the Order map then running in a generally north-west direction for approximately 109 metres to a point where it connects with the unaffected part of Footpath 32 Knotting & Souldrop at OSGR SP 9846/6167 shown as Point B on the Order Map.

The Definitive Statement records no information in respect of the width for Public Footpath number 32 Knotting & Souldrop. For the avoidance of doubt, it is intended for this Order to stop up the length of Public Footpath described above in its entirety.

PART 2

DESCRIPTION OF SITE OF NEW PATH OR WAY

A length of Public Footpath to be created in the Parish of Knotting & Souldrop by this Order in the environs of "Old Church Farm", High Street, Souldrop commencing from a point where it has a junction with that part of the unaffected Footpath 32, Knotting & Souldrop approximately 35 metres south-east from the residential dwelling known as "Old Church Farm" High Street, Souldrop at Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OSGR) SP 9852/6159 shown as Point A on the Order map then running in a generally north north east direction for approximately 16 metres and then running in a north-west direction for approximately 99 metres to a point where it connects with the unaffected part of Footpath 32 Knotting & Souldrop at OSGR SP 9846/6167 shown as Point B on the Order Map.

The new length of Public Footpath described above shall have a width of 2.0 (two) metres throughout.

AUTHORITY FOR EXECUTION		
COUNCIL/COMMITTEE	MINUTE No.	DATE
DELEGATED POWER	By Whom Exercised Paul Pace	DATE 11/07/24
	OFFICERS INITIALS	DATE
ORIGINATED AND CHECKED BY	GEM	17/09/24
APPROVED BY	AQ	20/09/24

I certify that this is a true copy of the Order as it was when it was:

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Signed: *Georgina McWade*

Dated: 13 May 2025

In Respect of the:-

"Bedford Borough Council (Knotting & Souldrop: Part of Public Footpath No. 32)
Public Path Diversion Order 2024".

This Order was Confirmed by Bedford Borough Council as an Unopposed Order

Dated this 05 day of December 2024

THE COMMON SEAL OF
BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL

was hereunto affixed
in the presence of:-

Wai K. Tsang
Solicitor
Legal Services
Authorised Signatory Bedford Borough Council



Wai K. Tsang

Therefore in accordance with Article 1 of the order it will come into force at the expiry of 7
(seven) days from the date of confirmation, that is to say on 12 December 2024.

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Signed: *Seamus McLade*

Dated: 13 May 2025

HIGHWAYS ACT 1980

**SECTION 119
PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER**

**BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL
(KNOTTING & SOULDROP: PART OF PUBLIC FOOTPATH No. 32)
PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2024**

MADE BY BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL ON:

02 OCTOBER 2024

CONFIRMED BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL ON:

05 DECEMBER 2024

ORDER COMES INTO FORCE ON:

12 DECEMBER 2024

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Signed: *Seamus McKeale*

Dated: 13 May 2025

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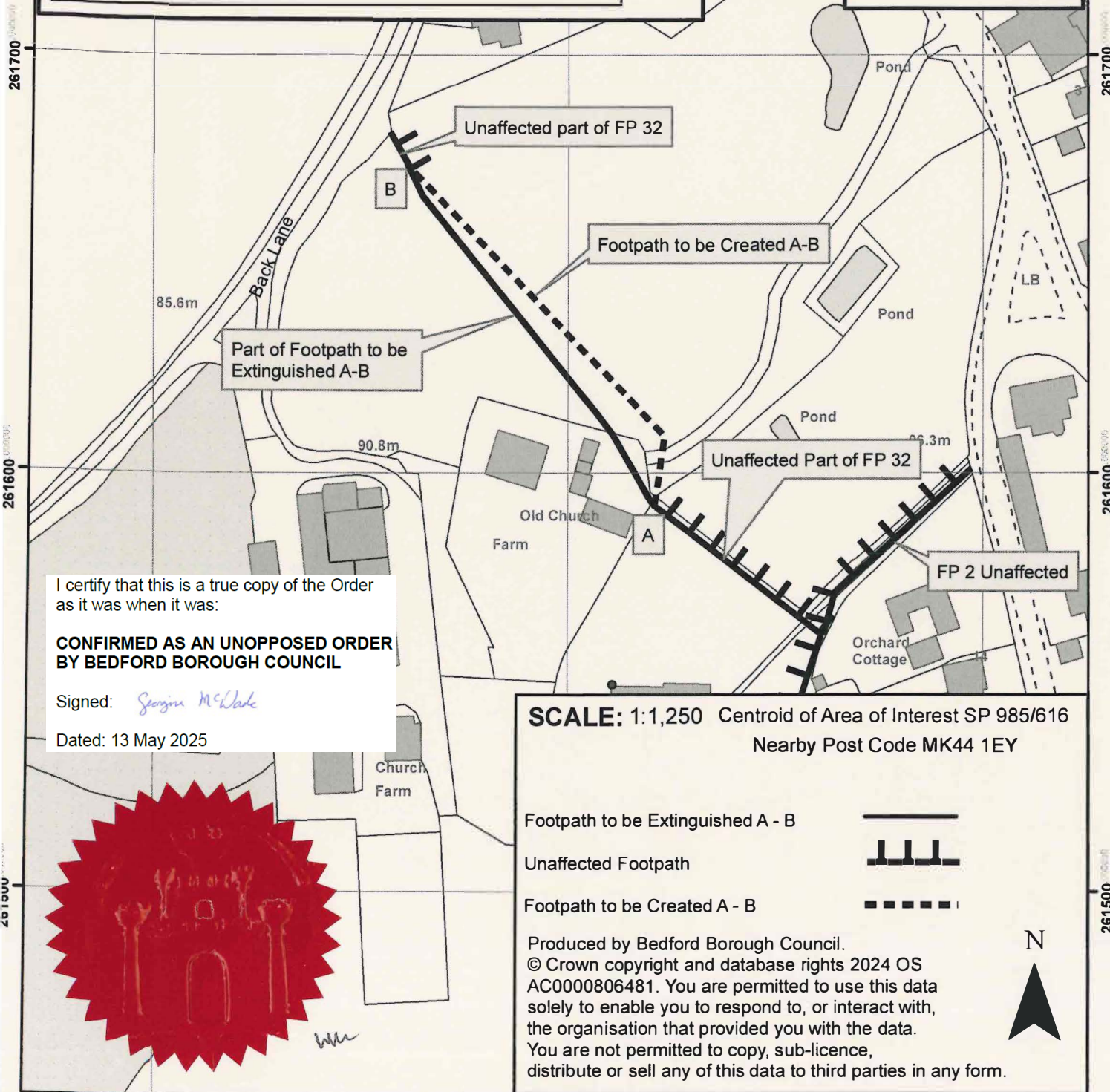
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BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL
(KNOTTING & SOULDROP: PART OF PUBLIC
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PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2024
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Bedford Borough Council Highways and Transportation
 Rights of Way Legal and Technical Team
 Created: 17 July 2024
 Highways Act 1980 Section 119



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Signed: *Georgina McWade*

Dated: 13 May 2025

SCALE: 1:1,250 Centroid of Area of Interest SP 985/616
 Nearby Post Code MK44 1EY

Footpath to be Extinguished A - B

Unaffected Footpath

Footpath to be Created A - B



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