



Notice of Making of An Order  
Highways Act 1980

Bedford Borough Council

**BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL**

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

The above Order made on 02 October 2024 under Section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 will divert 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 to a route 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.

A copy of the Order and the Order map have been placed and may be seen free of charge at Borough Hall, Cauldwell Street, Bedford by appointment from 10am to 4pm on Weekdays (Bank and Public Holidays excepted). A copy of the Order as made and the Order Map have been placed and may be downloaded free of charge from the Bedford Borough Council Website. Navigate to: <https://www.bedford.gov.uk/parking-roads-and-travel/public-rights-way/public-path-orders/>

Any representations about or objections to the Order must be addressed to Manager of Transport Operations, Bedford Borough Council, Room 436, Borough Hall, Cauldwell Street, Bedford MK42 9AP. They may be sent by email to [RightsofWay@bedford.gov.uk](mailto:RightsofWay@bedford.gov.uk) or by post, to be received no later than 22 November 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 Bedford 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 24 October 2024.  
CRAIG AUSTIN  
Director of Environment