

Notice of Making a Public Path Order  
Highways Act 1980

Bedford Borough Council

**BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL**  
**(RAVENS DEN: PARTS OF FOOTPATH NOS. 45 AND 9)**  
**PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2020**

The above Order made on 29 July 2020 under Section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 will divert:-

- (i) A contiguous route consisting of that part of Public Footpath number 45 Ravensden commencing at a point where it has a junction with that part of Public Footpath number 45 Ravensden to be retained south-east of Great Wood at Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OSGR) TL 0670/5527 shown as Point A on the order map then running in a generally southerly, south-south-westerly, north-westerly and south-westerly direction for 312 metres to a point where it has a junction with that part of Public Footpath number 9 Ravensden to be extinguished by this Order approximately 28 metres south of the southernmost corner of Great Wood at OSGR TL 0653/5514 shown as Point B on the order map and that part of Public Footpath number 9 Ravensden commencing where it has a junction with that part of Public Footpath number 45 Ravensden to be extinguished by this Order at the said Point B then running in a generally northerly direction for 20 metres to a point where it has a junction with that part of Public Footpath number 9 Ravensden to be retained adjacent to the southernmost corner of Great Wood at OSGR TL 0652/5516 shown as Point D on the order map.
- (ii) That part of Public Footpath number 45 Ravensden that commences where it has a junction with those parts of Public Footpath numbers 45 and 9 Ravensden to be extinguished by this Order approximately 28 metres south of the southernmost corner of Great Wood at OSGR TL 0653/5514 shown as Point B on the order map then running in a generally west-south-westerly direction for 230 metres to a point where it has a junction with that part of Public Footpath number 29 Ravensden to be retained at OSGR TL 0631/5505 shown as Point C on the order map.

To alternative routes:-

- (iii) A Public Footpath that commences at a point where it has a junction with that part of Public Footpath number 45 Ravensden to be retained south-east of Great Wood at Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OSGR) TL 0670/5527 shown as Point A on the order map then running in a generally west-south-westerly and south-westerly direction for 221 metres to a point where it has a junction with that part of Public Footpath number 9 Ravensden to be retained and that part of the Public Footpath to be created by this Order described at (iv) below adjacent to the southernmost corner of Great Wood at OSGR TL 0652/5516 shown as Point D on the order map.
- (iv) A Public Footpath that commences where it has a junction with that part of Public Footpath number 9 Ravensden to be retained and that part of the Public Footpath to be created by this order described at (iii) above adjacent to the southernmost corner of Great Wood at OSGR TL 0652/5516 shown as Point D on the order map then running a generally west-south-westerly, south-westerly and south-south-easterly direction for 276 metres to a point where it has a junction with that part of Public Footpath number 29 Ravensden to be retained at OSGR TL 0633/5502 shown as Point E on the order map.

A copy of the Order and the Order map have been placed and may be seen free of charge displayed at the main entrance to Borough Hall, Cauldwell Street, Bedford. A copy of the Order 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-of-way/public-path-orders/>

Any representations about or objections to the Order may be sent in writing (quoting case reference HAD 055G) to the Bedford Borough Council, Manager for Traffic Operations, Room 436, Borough Hall, Cauldwell Street, Bedford MK42 9AP or by email to [highways.consultations@bedford.gov.uk](mailto:highways.consultations@bedford.gov.uk) not later than Friday 04 September 2020. 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 06 August 2020

CRAIG AUSTIN  
Director of Environment