



Notice of Making a Public Path Order  
Highways Act 1980

Bedford Borough Council

**BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL (RAVENSDEEN: PART OF FOOTPATH No. 7)  
PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2023**

The above Order made on 21 September 2023 under Section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 will divert that length of Public Footpath numbered 7 in the Parish of Ravensden commencing from where it joins to unaffected part of Footpath 7 Ravensden, approximately 13 metres west of Graze Hill Road at Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OSGR) TL 0600/5382 shown as Point A on the order map then running in a generally south, south-east direction for approximately 257 metres to a point where it has a junction with the unaffected Public Footpath number 52, Ravensden at OSGR TL 0611/5360 shown as Point B on the Order Map to a route commencing from a point where it joins to unaffected part of Footpath 7, approximately 13 metres west of Graze Hill Road at Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OSGR) TL 0600/5382 shown as Point A on the order map then running in a generally south-east, west, south-east direction for approximately 280 metres to a point where it has a junction with the unaffected Public Footpath number 52, Ravensden at OSGR TL 0611/5360 shown as Point B on the Order Map.

Compensation for depreciation or damage for disturbance arising as a result of the coming into force of the Order is payable under Section 28 as applied by section 121(2) of the Highways Act 1980 (as amended by the Transport and Works Act 1992) that are copied with this notice.

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 24 November 2023. 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If no such representations or objections are duly made, or if any so made are withdrawn Bedford Borough Council may confirm the Order as an unopposed Order.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 26 October 2023  
CRAIG AUSTIN  
Director of Environment