

NOTICE OF PUBLIC PATH ORDER

HIGHWAYS ACT 1980, SECTION 119

EAST SUFFOLK COUNCIL (BENHALL FOOTPATH NO 26 (PART) AND FOOTPATH NO 27 (PART)) PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2026

The above order, made on 28 January 2026 under section 119 of the Highways Act 1980, will divert the entire width of that part of Benhall Public Footpath 26 commencing at Ordnance Survey grid reference (OSGR) TM38106054 and proceeding in a south easterly direction from its junction with Footpath 27 Benhall for a distance of approximately 119 metres to point B at OSGR TM38146043, to a new line running from OSGR TM38086048 approximately 65 metres south from point A at OSGR TM38106054 and proceeding in a generally south easterly direction along a natural surfaced path and then continuing on a boardwalk for a total distance of approximately 78 metres to point B at OSGR TM38146043; and to divert the entire width of that part of Benhall Public Footpath 27 commencing at point D at OSGR TM38076044 and proceeding in a south westerly then westerly direction for a distance of approximately 95 metres to point E at OSGR TM38006040, to a new line running from OSGR TM38076044 and proceeding in a south westerly direction along a natural, enclosed path for a distance of approximately 71 metres to point F at OSGR TM38016041 and continuing in a southerly direction for a distance of approximately 14 metres to point E at OSGR TM38006040 as shown on the order map.

A copy of the order and the order map and explanatory statement have been placed and may be seen free of charge at Saxmundham Library, Street Farm Road, Saxmundham, IP17 1AL between the hours of 09:30 and 17:30 Tuesday, 09:30 and 17:30 Wednesday, 09:30 and 17:30 Friday, 10:00 and 13:00 Saturday, and 10:00 and 15:00 Sunday. Copies of the confirmed order and map can be requested from the East Suffolk Council Rights of Way Delivery officer email: publicpathorders@eastsuffolk.gov.uk or by telephoning 01394 444508. They can also be viewed online at <http://www.eastsuffolk.gov.uk/environment/rights-of-way/>.

Any representations about or objections to the order may be sent in writing to the Rights of Way Delivery Officer, East Suffolk Council, East Suffolk House, Station Road, Melton, Woodbridge, IP12 1RT not later than **13 March 2026**. Please state the grounds on which they are made. Please note that any such correspondence cannot be treated as confidential and may be inspected by any interested party. For further information please refer to East Suffolk Council's Rights of Way Privacy Notice which can be viewed online at

<http://www.eastsuffolk.gov.uk/assets/Your-Council/Access-to-Information/Privacy-Notices/Rights-of-Way-Privacy-Notice.pdf> or contact the Data Protection Officer at: East Suffolk House, Riduna Park, Station Road, Melton, IP12 1RT, tel: 01394 444488, email: dataprotection@eastsuffolk.gov.uk

If no representations or objections are duly made, or if any so made are withdrawn, East Suffolk 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: 13 February 2026

C Bally
Chief Executive
East Suffolk Council