



**PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION AND  
DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT MODIFICATION ORDER**

**HIGHWAYS ACT 1980  
WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981**

**SHROPSHIRE COUNCIL**

**THE SHROPSHIRE COUNCIL (FP 1 (PART) & FP 11 PARISH OF WEM  
RURAL & FP 3A (PART) PARISH OF PREES) PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION  
ORDER 2024.**

This Order is made by the Shropshire Council (“the Council”) under section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 (“the 1980 Act”) because it appears to the Council that in the interests of the landowner of the land crossed by the footpath described in paragraph 1 of this order it is expedient that the line of the way should be diverted.

This Order is also made under section 53A (2) of the Wildlife Countryside Act 1981 (“the 1981 Act”) because it appears to the authority that the Shropshire definitive map and statement require modification in consequence of the occurrence of an event specified in section 53 (3)(a)(i) of the 1981 Act, namely, the diversion (as authorised by this Order) of a highway shown or required to be shown in the map and statement.

**BY THIS ORDER:**

1. The public right of way over the land situated at Upper Lacon Farm, and shown by a bold continuous line on the map contained in this Order and described in Part 1 of the Schedule to this Order shall be stopped up on the date that the Council certifies that works have been carried out to bring the site of the new Footpath described in Part 2 of the Schedule to this Order into a fit condition for use by the public and thereupon the Shropshire definitive map shall be modified by deleting from it the public right of way to be stopped up.

2. Notwithstanding paragraph 1 of this Order statutory undertakers shall have the following rights over the land referred to in paragraph 1 above, namely: where immediately before the date on which the footpath is diverted there is apparatus under, in, on, over, along or across it belonging to statutory undertakers for the purpose of carrying on their undertaking, the undertakers shall continue to have the same right in respect of the apparatus as they then had.

3. There shall on the date of confirmation of this Order be a public footpath over the land situated at Upper Lacon Farm, described in Part 2 of the Schedule and shown by bold broken lines on the map contained in this Order and thereupon the Shropshire definitive map shall be modified by adding that path to it.

3A. The Shropshire definitive statement shall be modified as described in Part 4 of the Schedule to this order.

4. The rights conferred on the public under this Order shall be subject to the limitations and conditions set out in Part 3 of the Schedule.

## **SCHEDULE**

### **PART I**

#### **Description of site of existing path or way**

the full width of FP 1, FP 11 & FP 3A leaving FP 10 at point A on the Order map at grid reference SJ 5375 3173 running as FP 1 in a general NNE direction on a natural surface, through the buildings, then continuing as FP 11 through the yard of Upper Lacon Farm then in a general easterly direction on a natural surface to the Parish boundary as FP 3A to point B on the Order map at grid reference SJ 5437 3191. An approximate distance of 771 metres.

### **PART 2**

#### **Description of site of new path or way**

Leaving FP 10 at point A on the Order map at grid reference SJ 5375 3173, FP 1 ascends steps and passes through a gate then runs in a general WNW, northerly, NNE then easterly direction on a natural surface to a gate, crossing the stoned access drive and continuing as FP 11 to a second gate, both gates are located at grid reference SJ 5397 3213. From here the footpath continues in a general easterly the southerly direction on a natural surface to the Parish Boundary and to point B on the Order map at grid reference SJ 5437 3191. A total distance of approximately 1212 metres with a width of 2 metres throughout.

There is no Shropshire definitive statement for the remainder of this Right of Way.

### **PART 3**

#### **Limitations and conditions**

Gates are located at grid references SJ 5375 3173 and SJ 5397 3213 to BS 5709

## **PART 4**

### **Modification of Definitive Statement**

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### **Variation of Particulars of Path or Way**

None

Executed as a deed by affixing the  
Common Seal of Shropshire  
Council on 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2024.

In the presence of:

DATED 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2024

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SHREWSBURY

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