



PUBLIC NOTICE

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14(1)

CENTRAL BEDFORDSHIRE COUNCIL

(HOUGHTON REGIS: FOOTPATH A7)

(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2018

Notice is hereby given that Central Bedfordshire Council have made an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit any person proceeding on foot (or on horseback or lead a horse or cycle) along the length of Footpath A7, Houghton Regis between points C & D on the plan; approximately westwards between the footbridge over Ouzel Brook, and the junction of FP 56 and Thorn Road, Houghton Regis, Dunstable LU6-1LR; from OSGR TL 0062, 2456 to 0021, 2463 to OS GR.

This temporary closure is required to enable essential infrastructure works to commence. The closure is expected to take place from 04 August 2018 to 04 February 2019.

The alternative route for footpath users while the closure is in operation will be: a permissive route heading in an approximately northeasterly direction from point C to point A at OSGR TL 0071, 2461 then approximately northwestwards to point X, which will be provided and made safe by the developer; then continuing northwest along FP 16 to point Y at the junction of FP 16 with Thorn Road, followed by southwest along Thorn Road to point D and vice versa.

Further details, including a map, can also be found on the Council's website at:

<http://www.centralbedfordshire.gov.uk/leisure/countryside/rights-of-way/temporary.aspx>

The proposed Order will come into operation on for a period not exceeding six months or until the works which it is proposed to carry out on or near to the Footpath/Bridleway have been completed, whichever is the earlier. If the works are not completed within six months the Order may be extended for a longer period with the consent of the Secretary of State for Transport.

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