PUBLIC NOTICE



Section 53 of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981

Definitive Map and Statement for the Excluded Fully Developed Area of Central Biggleswade in Central Bedfordshire

CENTRAL BEDFORDSHIRE COUNCIL (DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT FOR THE FORMER EXCLUDED FULLY DEVELOPED AREA OF CENTRAL BIGGLESWADE) (BIGGLESWADE: FOOTPATH NO E7) MODIFICATION ORDER 2016

The above Order made on 15 April 2016, if confirmed as made will modify the definitive map and statement for the former excluded fully developed area of central Biggleswade by adding the following footpath:-

Footpath No E7, Biggleswade to be added is marked by a bold black dashed line on the Map and extends from its junction with the High Street at Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OS GR) TL 1898 4459 (Map point A) northwards for approximately 13 metres along the passageway leading through the Crown Hotel to OSGR TL 1898 4460 and then continues in a generally northerly direction for approximately 25 metres through the Hotel's car park to terminate at its junction with Church Street at OS GR TL 1897 4463 (Map point B).

The width of Footpath No. E7 to be added is 2.9 metres at OSGR TL 1898 4459 (Map point A), widening to 3.3 metres between OSGR TL 1898 4460 and OSGR TL 1897 4463 (Map point B). A post is located centrally in the mouth of the passageway at OS GR TL 1898 4459.

A copy of the Order and the map may be seen free of charge at the offices of Countryside Access Team, Central Bedfordshire Council, Priory House, Monks Walk, Chicksands, Shefford between 9.00am and 5.00pm on Mondays to Thursdays and between 9.00am and 4.00pm on Fridays. Copies of the Order and the Order map may be purchased at a charge of £4.00. An explanatory statement can be obtained by telephoning 0300 300 6530. Further details can also be found on the Council's website at: http://www.centralbedfordshire.gov.uk/leisure/countryside/definitive-map/modifications.aspx

Any representation or objection relating to the Order must be sent in writing to the Definitive Map Officer, Countryside Access Team, Central Bedfordshire Council, Priory House, Monks Walk, Chicksands, Shefford, SG17 5QT not later than 10 June 2016, and applicants are requested to state the grounds on which it is made. Representations and objections must include either a postal or e-mail address. Any representations or objections made will be in the public domain and will be available for viewing/copying by members of the public.

If no such representations or objections are duly made, or if any so made are withdrawn the Central Bedfordshire 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 and will be made publicly available by either the Council or the Planning Inspectorate.

Dated 22 April 2016

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