

NOTICE OF CONFIRMATION OF PUBLIC PATH ORDER

HIGHWAYS ACT 1980

EAST SUFFOLK COUNCIL (BENHALL FOOTPATH 28 (PART)) PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2025

On 21 January 2026 East Suffolk Council confirmed the above order made under Section 119 of the Highways Act 1980.

The effect of the order as confirmed is to divert the entire width of that part of Benhall Public Footpath 28 commencing at Ordnance Survey grid reference (OSGR) TM37386029 and proceeding in a north easterly direction from Friday Street for approximately 64 metres across an agricultural field to OSGR TM37426034, to a new line running from OSGR TM37246040 approximately 176 metres from the aforementioned OSGR TM37386029 and proceeding in a south easterly direction from Friday Street for approximately 56 metres to OSGR TM37296038 and continuing in a north easterly direction for approximately 54 metres to OSGR TM37346040 and continuing in a South easterly direction for a final distance of approximately 99 metres to the aforementioned OSGR TM37426034 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/>.

The order comes into force on 3 April 2026 but if a person aggrieved by the order wants to question its validity, or that of any provision contained in it, on the ground that it is not within the powers of the Highways Act 1980, as amended, or on the ground that any requirement of the Act, as amended, or of any regulation made under the Act has not been complied with in relation to the order he or she may, under paragraph 2 of Schedule 2 to the Act as applied by paragraph 5 of Schedule 6 to the Act, within six weeks from 30 January 2026 make an application to the High Court.

Dated: 30 January 2026

C Bally
Chief Executive
East Suffolk Council

PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER
HIGHWAYS ACT 1980, SECTION 119
EAST SUFFOLK COUNCIL
(BENHALL FOOTPATH NO 28(PART))
PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2025

This order is made by East Suffolk Council ("the authority") under section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 ("the 1980 Act") because it appears to the authority that in the interest of the owner of the land crossed by the footpath described in paragraph 1 of the order it is expedient that the line of the footpath should be diverted.

NNB Generation Company (Sizewell C) Limited have agreed to defray any compensation which becomes payable in consequence of the coming into force of the order, and any expenses which are incurred in bringing the new site of the footpath into a fit condition for use by the public.

Suffolk County Council has been consulted as required by section 120(2) of the 1980 Act and has consented to the making of the order.

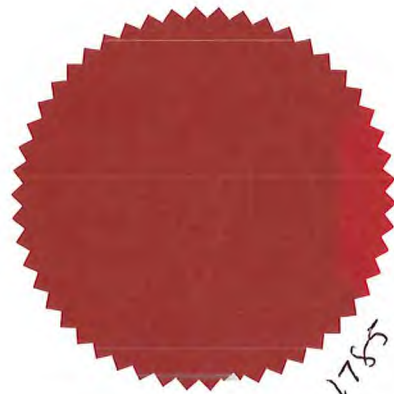
BY THIS ORDER:

1. The public right of way over the land situated at Benhall and shown by a bold continuous line on the map contained in this order and on the Definitive Map and described in part 1 of the schedule to this order shall be stopped up with effect from the date on which Suffolk County Council certifies that the work to bring the new site of the footpath described in paragraph 2 of this order into a fit condition for use by the public has been carried out. Certification shall not take place prior to the creation of the new route described in paragraph 2 of this order.
2. There shall at the end of 72 days from the date of confirmation of this order be public footpaths over the land situated at Benhall described in part 2 of the schedule and shown by a bold broken lines on the map contained in this order.

GIVEN under the common seal of East Suffolk Council this 19th day
of November 2025

THE COMMON SEAL OF)
EAST SUFFOLK COUNCIL)
was hereunto affixed in the presence of:)

W A MARTIN CLARK
Authorised Officer LICENSING MANAGER AND
Housing LEAD COUNCIL



The foregoing Order is hereby confirmed by East Suffolk Council
as an unopposed Order

THE COMMON SEAL of EAST SUFFOLK COUNCIL
was hereunto affixed this 21st day of January 2026

Authorised Officer W A MARTIN CLARK
LICENSING MANAGER AND
Housing LEAD COUNCIL
Authorising Signature



SCHEDULE

Part 1

Description of Site of Existing Path

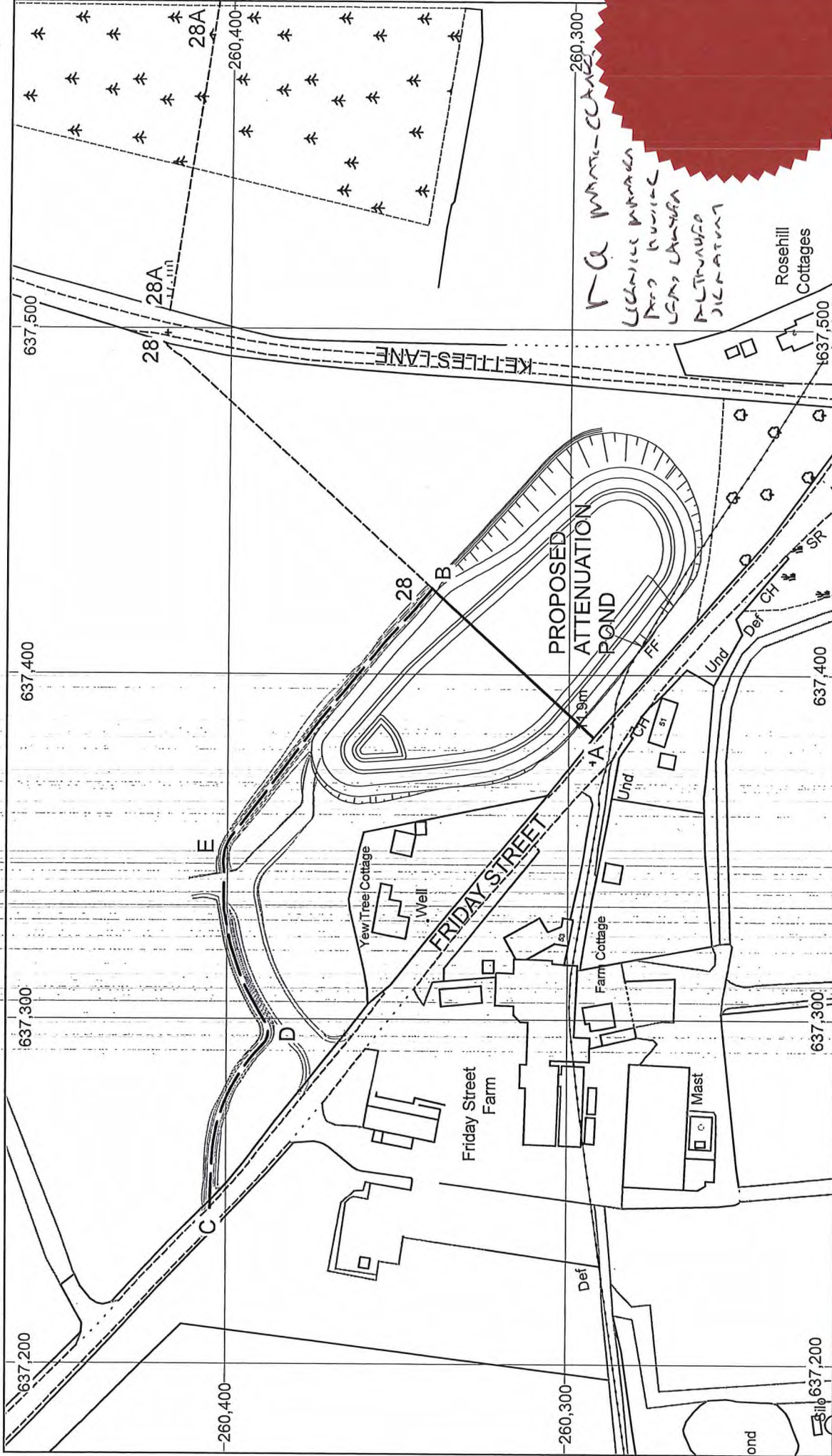
Benhall Public Footpath 28 (part) – The entire width of that part of Benhall Public Footpath 28 commencing at point A at Ordnance Survey grid reference TM37386029 and proceeding in a north easterly direction from Friday Street for approximately 64 metres across an agricultural field to point B at Ordnance Survey grid reference TM37426034; this being the route shown between points A – B on the order map.

Part 2

Description of Site of New Path

Benhall Public Footpath 28 (part) – Commencing at point C at Ordnance Survey grid reference TM37246040 approximately 176 metres from the aforementioned point A and proceeding in a south easterly direction from Friday Street for approximately 56 metres to point D at Ordnance Survey grid reference TM37296038 and continuing in a north easterly direction for approximately 54 metres to point E at Ordnance Survey grid reference TM37346040 and continuing in a South easterly direction for a final distance of approximately 99 metres to the aforementioned point B; this being the route shown between points C – D – E – B on the order map.

Width: 2 metres



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- Footpath to be diverted (A-B)
- Proposed Footpath (C-D-E-B)
- Unaffected Footpath
- Definitive Map Parish Boundary



Scale: 1:1,500 at A4

**MAP REFERRED TO IN THE EAST
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