## NOTICE OF PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION AND DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT MODIFICATION ORDER

## HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981

## THE SHROPSHIRE COUNCIL (FOOTPATH 2 (PART), PARISH OF KNOCKIN) PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER 2025

The above-named order made on 25<sup>th</sup> September 2025, by the Shropshire Council ("the Council") under section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 and section 53A(2) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981, will **divert** the full width of that part of Footpath 2 from Point A on the Order Map grid reference SJ 3314 2238, running in a general westerly, then WNW direction to meet Restricted Byway 1 at Point B on the Order Map grid reference SJ 3298 2241. A total distance of approximately 161 metres **onto a line** from Point A on the Order Map grid reference SJ 3314 2238, a footpath will be created running first in a general NW, then northerly direction, along a field edge. It then turns to run in a westerly direction, through a gate at grid reference SJ 3313 2241 and along a natural surface, before turning to run along an unsealed track in a general SW then WNW direction to meet Restricted Byway 1 at a gate at Point C on the Order Map grid reference SJ 3299 2242. A total distance of approximately 197 metres, with a width of 2 metres throughout.

A copy of the Order, the Order map and an explanatory statement may be seen on the Council's website at <a href="https://shropshire.gov.uk/outdoor-partnerships/countryside-access-and-public-rights-of-way/current-public-path-orders/">https://shropshire.gov.uk/outdoor-partnerships/countryside-access-and-public-rights-of-way/current-public-path-orders/</a> or obtained free of charge via <a href="mailto:outdoor.recreation@shropshire.gov.uk">outdoor.recreation@shropshire.gov.uk</a>

Any representations about or objections to the Order may be sent in writing to the Rights of Way Team, Shropshire Council, Riggs Hall, Castle Gates, Shrewsbury, SY1 2AS or by email to <a href="mailto:outdoor.recreation@shropshire.gov.uk">outdoor.recreation@shropshire.gov.uk</a> not later than 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2025. Please state the grounds on which they are made.

If no such representations or objections are duly made, or if any so made are withdrawn, the Council may confirm the Order as an unopposed Order.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for the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs for confirmation any representations and objections which have not been withdrawn will be sent with the Order.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: 25<sup>th</sup> September 2025

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If you require any further information, please contact outdoor.recreation@shropshire.gov.uk

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