

HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

THE HERTFORDSHIRE (TEMPORARY CLOSING OF THE FOOTBRIDGE SITUATED OVER THE 'RIVER BULBOURNE' AND THE 'GRAND UNION CANAL' AND THE TOWPATH SITUATED ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE 'GRAND UNION CANAL', BERKHAMSTED) ORDER 2021

NOTICE is given that Hertfordshire County Council intends to make an Order under Section 14(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the effect of which will be:-

1. To prohibit all pedestrians from using the footbridge situated over the 'River Bulbourne' and the 'Grand Union Canal', Berkhamsted from a point 41 metres north east of its junction with Park Street north eastwards for a distance of approximately 86 metres ("the Footbridge").

An alternative route will be via the footpath situated on the north side of 'Canal Fields', the footpath situated on the north side of the 'Canal Fields Car Park', the footbridge situated over the 'Grand Union Canal', Berkhamsted Public Footpath No.027, the towpath situated on the south side of the 'Grand Union Canal' and the footbridge situated over the 'River Bulbourne'.

2. To prohibit all pedestrians, pedal cycles and equestrian users from using the towpath situated on the south side of the 'Grand Union Canal', Berkhamsted from a point 540 metres north east of its junction with Lower Kings Road north westwards for a distance of approximately 20 metres ("the Towpath").

An alternative route will be via the footbridge situated over the 'River Bulbourne', Park Street, A4251 High Street, Stag Lane, the footpath situated to the rear of No.6 and No.7 Brook Lane and the towpath situated on the south side of the 'Grand Union Canal'.

The Order is needed because bridge maintenance and associated works are proposed to be executed on or near the Footbridge and Towpath.

If the Order is made, it shall come into force on 1 March 2021 for a period of up to 6 months. However, the restrictions specified shall only take effect at the times indicated by signs on or near the Footbridge and Towpath.

A copy of the proposed Order may be inspected free of charge at County Hall, Hertford between the hours of 9.00am and 5.00pm (excluding weekends, bank and public holidays).

If you have any queries about the proposed Order please contact Nicola Weymouth tel. 07972 007 907 at Osborne or Deanna Braggs at Hertfordshire County Council.

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