

# **PUBLIC PATH DIVERSION ORDER**

**HIGHWAYS ACT 1980  
WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981**

**WORCESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**

**DIVERSION OF FOOTPATH SV-560 (PART) (FORMERLY FOOTPATH No 37) IN THE  
PARISH OF STOURPORT ON SEVERN**

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This Order is made by Worcestershire County Council ("the authority") under Section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 ("the 1980 Act") because it appears to the authority that in the interests of the public and owners of the land crossed by the footpath it is expedient that the line of the footpath should be diverted.

This Order is also made under section 53A(2) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 ("the 1981 Act") because it appears to the authority that the County of Worcestershire definitive map and statement require modification in consequence of the occurrence of an event specified in section 53(3)(a)(i) of the 1981 Act, namely, the diversion (as authorised by this Order) of a highway shown or required to be shown in the map and statement.

The applicant has agreed to defray any expenses which are incurred in bringing the new site of the footpaths into a fit condition for use by the public ("the works to the new site").

Wyre Forest District Council have been consulted about the making of the Order as required by Section 120(2) of the 1980 Act.

## **BY THIS ORDER:**

1. The public rights of way over the land situated at Stourport on Severn and shown by a bold continuous line on the map contained in this Order and described in Part 1 of the Schedule to this Order shall be stopped up on the date of confirmation of this order, and thereupon the County of Worcestershire definitive map and statement shall be modified accordingly.
2. Notwithstanding this Order any statutory undertaker as shall for the time being have statutory powers in that respect shall have the right to open up the land referred to in paragraph 1 to install, maintain or alter their apparatus.
3. There shall on the date of confirmation of this order be a public footpath over the land situated at Stourport on Severn described in Part 2 of the Schedule and shown by a bold broken line on the map contained in this Order, and thereupon the County of Worcestershire definitive map and statement shall be modified accordingly.
4. The County of Worcestershire definitive statement shall be modified as described in Part 4 of the schedule to this Order.

5. The rights conferred on the public under this Order shall be subject to the limitations and conditions set out in Part 3 of the Schedule.

Dated: 25 April 2024

Signed

The Common Seal of  
Worcestershire County Council  
was affixed hereto in the presence of:-

# SCHEDULE

## PART 1

### Description of Site of Existing Footpath

#### **FOOTPATH SV-560 (PART) (FORMERLY FOOTPATH No. 37)**

The length and entire width of SV-560 (part) in the parish of Stourport on Severn, to be diverted, commences at Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OSGR) SO 7903 7258 (point A on the order plan) in a north westerly direction for 77 metres to OSGR SO 7899 7264 (point D on the order plan).

The total distance of the section to be diverted is 77 metres.

## PART 2

### Description of Site of New Footpath

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## PART 3

### Limitations and Conditions

#### **FOOTPATH SV-560 (PART) (FORMERLY FOOTPATH No. 37)**

**Position on path to which Limitations and Conditions apply**

**Limitations and Conditions**

None

## PART 4

### Modification of Definitive Statement

#### **Variations of Particulars of Paths**

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560, 561, 562, 563, 564 Formerly No 37

District of **Wyre Forest (formerly Stourport on Severn)**

Map Reference XIV. S.W. **Definitive Map Grid 77-12**

Classification Footpath

Length ~~4.69 miles~~ **1.7 miles.**

Location

From the Swing Bridge adjoining Canal basin proceeding along east bank of River Severn in a North westerly direction to **Ordnance Survey Grid Reference (OSGR) SO 7903 7258**. **The footpath proceeds (with a width of 2 metres until it rejoins the riverbank) in a northerly direction for 40 metres to OSGR SO 7903 7261 before turning to the north north-west for 29 metres to OSGR SO 7902 7264**. The path then turns in a westerly direction for 28 metres to **OSGR SO 7899 7264** where it rejoins the riverbank and continues north to the Urban District Boundary.

**Diverted under HA 1980, PPDO 2024**

Description General

**Riverbank, narrow path then wider, 2-metre-wide hard surface around water inlet at Lickhill then back to riverside path.**

Worcestershire County Council in exercise  
Of the powers conferred upon them in that  
Behalf confirmed this order 19/9/24

Signed by Head of Commercial Law

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Dated 25 APRIL 2024



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Thomas Pollock  
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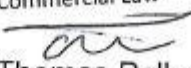
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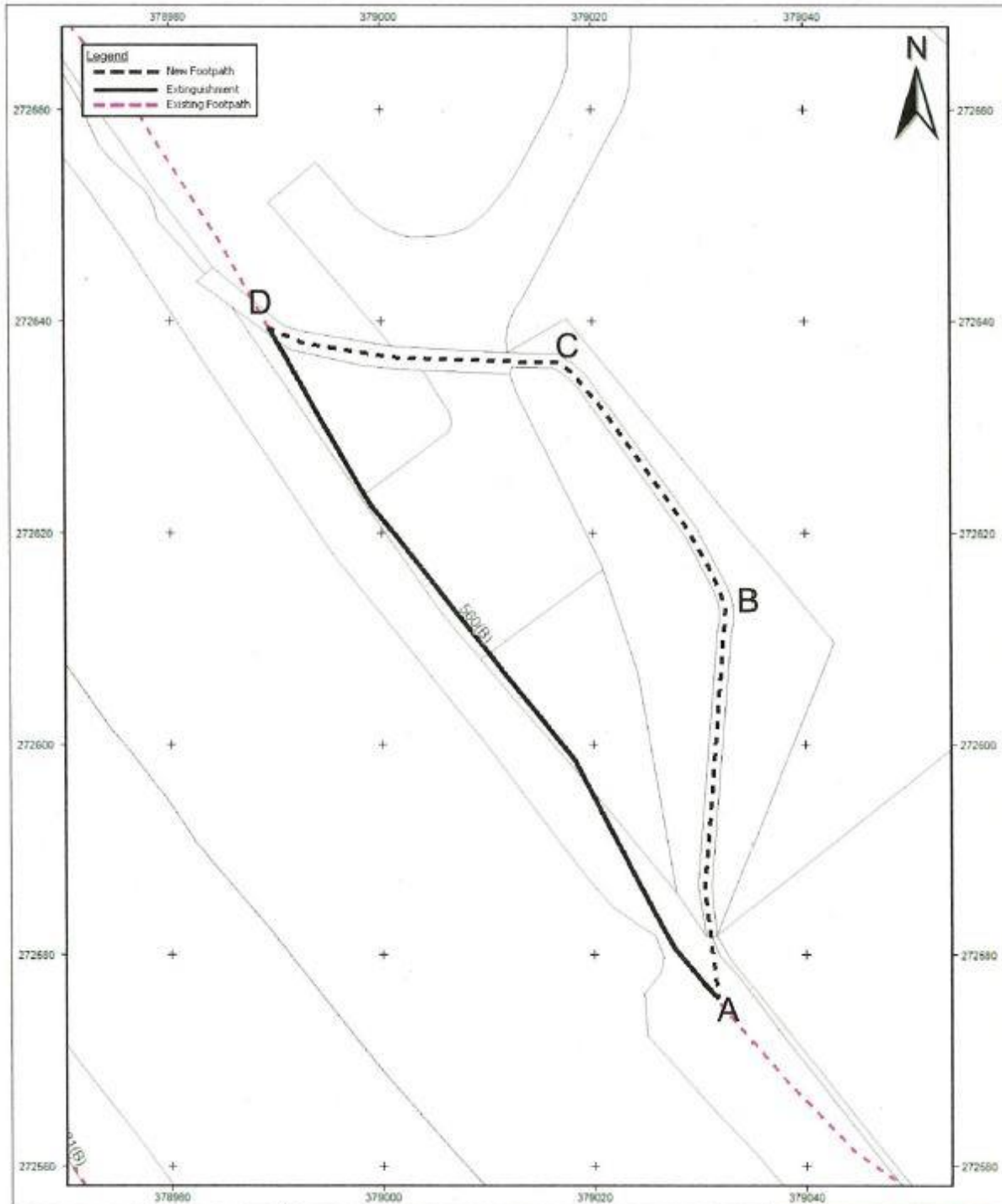
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<p>Date Printed: 25/4/2024</p>	<p>Countryside Service Worcester Woods Country Park Wildwood Drive Worcester WR5 2LG</p>	