

PUBLIC PATH CREATION AND
DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT MODIFICATION ORDER
HIGHWAYS ACT 1980, WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981

**The Oxfordshire County Council,
Aston Rowant Footpath No. 1 (part),
Public Path Creation and Definitive Map and Statement Modification Order
2026**

This Order is made by The Oxfordshire County Council ('the authority') under section 26 of the Highways Act 1980 because it appears to the authority that, having regard to the matters set out in section 26(1), there is a need for a public footpath over the land to which this Order relates, and that it is expedient that the way should be created.

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 Oxfordshire County Council Definitive Map and Statement of Public Rights of Way for Oxfordshire require modification in consequence of the occurrence of an event specified in section 53(3)(a)(iii) of the 1981 Act, namely, the creation (as authorised by this Order) of a new right of way over land in the area to which the plan relates, being a right of way such that the land over which the rights subsists is a public footpath.

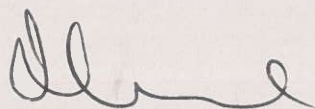
South Oxfordshire District Council has been consulted as required by Section 26(3) of the Highways Act 1980.

BY THIS ORDER:

1. There shall be from the date of confirmation of this Order a public right of way over the land situated at the recreation ground in the parish of Aston Rowant and shown by a bold broken line on the plan attached to this Order and described in Part 1 of the Schedule to this Order, and thereupon the Oxfordshire County Council Definitive Map of Public Rights of Way for Oxfordshire shall be modified by adding that public right of way, and the Definitive Statement shall be modified as described in Part 2 of the Schedule to this Order.

Dated this *fifteenth* day of *June* 2026

**THE COMMON SEAL OF THE OXFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
was hereto affixed in the presence of :-**



County Solicitor/Designated Officer



417/26

SCHEDULE

PART 1

DESCRIPTION OF LAND

Aston Rowant Footpath No. 1

ALL THAT strip of land at the recreation ground in the parish of Aston Rowant, Oxfordshire shown as a bold broken line on the plan attached to this Order running from Pleck Lane at OS Grid Ref SU 7387 9969 (Point D on the Order plan) generally northwards for approximately 19m to SU 7386 9973 (Point A).

Width: 2.0 metres

PART 2

Modification of Definitive Statement

Variation of particulars of path

Path Number	Status	Description	Width	Conditions & Limitations	Remarks (not forming part of the Definitive Statement)
Aston Rowant 1	FP	From Pleck Lane, Kingston Blount, leading NNW, NE and NNE to Crowell FP1 at the Crowell Parish boundary.	2.0m between SU 7387 9969 and SU 7382 9994.	-	<i>[Part added by HA80 s26 Creation Order confirmed] *</i> <i>(* date of confirmation to be advised)</i>

473700

473850

199900

199900

199750

199750

199600

199600

473700

473850

Aston Rowant CP

Crowell CP

Recreation Ground

Hall

BAKER'S PIECE

PLECK LANE

FP 1



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OXFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Existing Aston Rowant Footpath No. 1 (part) to be diverted under concurrent Diversion Order (see Drawing No. HA1980/880d/03868)

A - B - C

Length: 272 m. approx.

Diverted route of Aston Rowant Footpath No. 1 (part) following concurrent Diversion Order (see Drawing No. HA1980/880d/03868)

A - E - F - G - C

Length: 305 m. approx.

Width: 2.0 m.

Route of Aston Rowant Footpath No. 1 (part) to be created

D - A

Length: 19 m. approx.

Width: 2.0 m.

Extent of all-purpose highway



Approximate route of unaffected rights of way

Public Footpath

Parish Boundary

0 12.5 25 50 Meters



Scale: 1:1,500 @ A4 Date: 05/05/2026

OS ref: SU 79 NW Drawn by: CC

Drawing No: HA1980/880c/03868

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Dated 15 June 2026

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The **Common Seal** of **The Oxfordshire County Council**)
was hereto affixed the day of 2026)
in confirmation of the creation and modification)
in the within-written Order in the presence of:-)

Designated Officer