

Notice is hereby given that an
Inspector will be appointed by
the Secretary of State for Environment,
Food and Rural Affairs to
determine Kent County Council



Part of footpath SR49, Pilgrims Way (Otford,Kent) Rail Crossing Diversion Order 2019 and will attend at:

To be arranged On Tuesday 4 May 2021 at 10.00am

To hold a public local inquiry into the Order

The effect of the Order, if confirmed without modifications, will be to divert the entire width of that part of public footpath SR49, Parish of Otford running from grid reference TQ553304, 159201 at the eastern side of the railway (and to the west of the boundaries of the rear gardens of nos. 34 and 36 Tudor Drive) and running up steps and through a stile and across the existing railway crossing in a westerly-north-westerly direction for 20 metres, then down steps and through another stile to (grid reference TQ 553282, 159207) on the western side of the railway. The width of this part of public footpath SR49 is approximately 1.5 metres.

A new public footpath numbered SR49 in the Parish of Otford over land owned by the operator of the railway commencing at grid reference TQ 553304, 159201 and heading in a northerly, westerly, then north-westerly direction for approximately 31 metres to grid reference TQ 553295, 159230 then turning in a west-south-westerly direction and running over a stepped footbridge crossing the railway for approximately 16 metres to grid reference TQ553279, 159225, then turning in a south-south-easterly direction for approximately 19 metres to grid reference TQ 553282, 159207, where it will re-join the original line of the public footpath SR49 as it links to public footpath SR59, to the east of the boundary of the rear garden of 15 Horfield Close. The new public footpath will have a width of 2 metres.

Any person wishing to view the statements of case and other documents relating to this Order may do so free of charge Monday to Friday between the hours of 10am and 4pm at the offices of Kent County Council, PROW and Access Services, Invicta House, Maidstone, Kent, M14 1XX. Please telephone Mrs Maria McLauchlan for an appointment on 0300 413420 or contact via email at maria.mclauchlan@kent.gov.uk.

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