



# Dorset Council

## **Notice of Making a Public Path Diversion and Definitive Map and Statement Modification Order**

**Highways Act 1980  
Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981**

**Dorset Council (Part of Footpath 2, Swanage)  
Public Path Diversion Order 2026**

The above order, made on 19 June 2026 under section 119 of the Highways Act 1980, will divert part of Footpath 2, Swanage as shown on the order map as follows:

### **From the existing path:**

#### Footpath 2, Swanage

The full width of the path from the unaffected part of Footpath 2 at SZ 02003 79747 generally west to SZ 01996 79746 then generally north west to SZ 01848 79870 then generally north to SZ 01844 79907 and north north west then north west to the unaffected part of Footpath 2 at SZ 01674 80195.

(No recorded width)

### **To the new path:**

#### Footpath 2, Swanage

From the unaffected part of Footpath 2 at SZ 02003 79747, approx. 12m north north west to SZ 01999 79762 across a pedestrian bridge then approx. 214m generally north west to SZ 01846 79904, approx. 6m west south west across the stream to SZ 01841 79901 then approx. 338m north north west to the unaffected part of Footpath 2 at SZ 01674 80195.

Width 2.5m except at pedestrian bridge at SZ 01999 79762 width: 1m.

A copy of the order and the order map have been placed and may be seen free of charge at Reception, County Hall, Colliton Park, Dorchester during normal office hours. Copies are also available on our website at [www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/row-orders](http://www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/row-orders).

Any representations about or objections to the order may be sent in writing to Alastair Beaven, Definitive Map Team, Spatial Planning, Dorset Council, County Hall, Colliton Park, Dorchester, Dorset, DT1 1XJ (Ref: RW/P282), or via email to [alastair.beaven@dorsetcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:alastair.beaven@dorsetcouncil.gov.uk), not later than 30 July 2026. Please state the grounds on which they are made. Any letters received will be made available for public inspection.

If no such representations or objections are duly made, or if any so made are withdrawn, the Dorset Council may confirm the order as an unopposed order. If the order is sent to the Secretary of State for the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs for confirmation any representations and objections which have not been withdrawn will be sent with the order.

Dated: 02 July 2026  
Jonathan Mair, Monitoring Officer