

**HIGHWAYS ACT 1980**

**WINCHESTER CITY COUNCIL**

**THE HAMPSHIRE (WINCHESTER CITY NO. 1 of 2012)  
(ST. MICHAEL WARD IN THE CITY OF WINCHESTER)  
PUBLIC PATH CREATION ORDER 2012**

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This Order is made by Winchester City Council ("the authority") under Section 26 of the Highways Act 1980 ("the 1980 Act") 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 bridleway over the land to which this order relates, and that it is expedient that the bridleway should be created.

Hampshire County Council has been consulted as required by Section 26(3) of the 1980 Act.

**BY THIS ORDER:**

There shall be at the end of 28 days from the date of confirmation of this order a public bridleway over the land at St Michael's Ward in the City of Winchester described in the Schedule to this order and shown by a bold broken line between the points A-B on the map attached to this order.

**SCHEDULE**

**DESCRIPTION OF LAND**

**Creation of a bridleway in the Ward of St Michael in the City of Winchester**

Grid Reference: From SU 4856 2882 to SU 4860 2850 (A-B on order map)

A 4.0 metre wide path, known as Domum Road, which commences at the junction of Wharf Hill and College Walk and runs in a southerly direction for 324 metres to the entrance of Palmer Field, at the northern end of Winchester Footpath No. 25.

**NOTE: ALL LENGTHS ARE APPROXIMATE**

Given this 8th day of February 2012

The Common Seal of )  
WINCHESTER CITY )  
COUNCIL was hereunto )  
affixed by:-



Head of Legal Services



## **EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

(This statement does not form part of the Order)

This Order, if confirmed, will record bridleway rights over Domum Road, Winchester, a private unadopted road, which is not currently recorded on the definitive map of public rights of way. A bridleway can be used by the public on foot, bicycle and horse back. The public path is shown on the plan that accompanies the Order.

Any private vehicular rights, for those with property along Domum Road, remain unaltered by this order. The effect of this Order is to ensure that pedestrians, cyclists and horse riders are not prevented from continuing to use Domum Road in the future.

Winchester City Council is working towards providing a walking and cycling route through the city from Winnall in the northeast to the South Winchester Park and Ride site in the southwest of the city. Part of this proposed route runs along Domum Road and the Council has made this Order as it considers that there is a need to create a public path on this land for the benefit of the public, to encourage and support car-free travel in accordance with Hampshire County Council's Countryside and Access Plan for the Test and Itchen 2008-2013 and as the Council considers that there is no suitable alternative route.

Anyone who wishes to object to this Order has a statutory right to do so. Any objections, that cannot be resolved, will be referred to the Secretary of State for the Environment, who will appoint an independent Inspector to determine whether or not the Order should be confirmed, possibly by holding a Public Inquiry.

The City Council is willing to discuss the concerns of anyone considering objecting to the Order. Please contact: Andy Hickman, Head of Access and Infrastructure, Winchester City Council, Colebrook Street, Winchester, SO23 9LJ. Telephone: 01962 840 222.

Objections must be sent in writing by 16 March 2012 to :  
Howard Bone, Head of Legal Services, Winchester City Council,  
City Council, City Offices, Colebrook Street, Winchester, SO23  
9LJ.