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To: [Roberts, Ali](#)

Subject: The Wiltshire Council parish of Sutton Mandeville path 13 diversion and definitive map and statement modification order 2025

Sent: 07/09/2025 14:14:27

Dear Ali,

The Wiltshire Council parish of Sutton Mandeville path 13 diversion and definitive map and statement modification order 2025

Thank you for your previous email. At this point I wish to object to the order to divert the footpath SMAN13 for the reasons stated in my previous letter.

I believe allowing this diversion sets an unfortunate precedent for any and every footpath in the county. It gives the appearance that Wiltshire Council places the extravagant whims of a single incoming landowner above the needs of the existing community for a simple and direct right of way that has been used and greatly enjoyed by all for many many generations.

Regards,

Helen Havard.

On 13/08/2025 15:07, Roberts, Ali wrote:

Highways Act 1980

The Proposed Diversion of Footpath Sutton Mandeville 13

Wiltshire Council made the above Order on 4 August 2025. Please find attached a copy of the Order, the Order Plan and the Notice of making the Order.

Notice of the made order will be advertised in the Wiltshire Times on 15 August 2025 and on site.

The decision report and associated paperwork is available to view by following the attached link to the public register for this case [P/2023/016 - Rights Of Way - Wiltshire Council](#)

Kindest regards,

Ali

Please note that any responses to this letter will be available for public inspection in full. Information relating to the way Wiltshire Council will manage your data can be found at: <http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/recreation-rights-of-way>

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To: [Definitive Map](#)
Subject: SMAN13 Footpath
Sent: 19/06/2025 11:59:50

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I am writing to object to the relocation of the footpath SMAN13, Sutton Mandeville. I only recently became aware of the proposed diversion but, as a local who also has land with footpaths across it, I feel allowing the alterations will set a dangerous precedent for every right of way in the area.

The applicant should not be able to move this longstanding footpath just because of the inconvenience it poses to them during their temporary tenure of the adjacent property. They knowingly built an extension to their house that extends right up against the existing footpath. The footpath has only now become inconvenient to them because they have chosen to make it so. This is not a valid reason to divert it.

I support all the comments made by others who do not support these alterations and take the same view.

Rights of way should not be rerouted because someone extends their house. The footpath should remain.

Helen Havard

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