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001**FP****HCC 10**

Commences from Crabtree Lane NW of St Mary's Church thence NW to cross lane approx 200 yards W of Burge-end Lane. Thence NW passing Wrights Farm to TL 1417 3214 thence NE for approx 90m on the N side of the field boundary to TL 1421 3221 thence generally NW for approx 320m on the S side of the field boundary to a junction with FP2 at TL 1396 3240 thence generally SW for approx 40m to TL 1393 3238 thence NW to junction with FP2 at TL 1325 3292 and thence NE for approx. 80m to a junction with Shillington FP21 (Beds) at the county boundary TL 1320 3299.

Width:

2m between TL 1417 3214 and TL 1393 3238. 4 feet from junction with FP2 near the county boundary to Shillington 21 FP (Beds) as shown on The Hertfordshire County Council (Pirton 2) Modification Order 1997.

Limitations:

None between TL 1417 3214 and TL 1421 3221 and between TL 1396 3240 and TL 1393 3238

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Commences from a junction with FP1 at TL 1396 3240 thence NE along the north side of the field boundary for approx. 40m to the corner of the field TL 1400 3242, thence northwards along the western side of the field boundary for approx 500m to a drain at TL1387 3290 thence WNW on the south side of the drain and County boundary for approx 300m to TL 1361 3298, thence WSW on the south side of the drain for approx 370m to a junction with FP1 at TL 1325 3292.

Width:

4 feet as shown on The Hertfordshire County Council (Pirton 2) Modification Order 1997

Limitations:

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Commences from Grove Lane W of Rectory Farm thence W to first field boundary on south side across FP4 thence NW to parish boundary end along same to enter Beds. E of Manor House.

Width:

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Commences from Pirton - Shillington Road approx 500 yards SE of Pirton Hall Lodge thence S to a junction with FP3 at TL 1282 3196 thence SSW on E of drain for approx 90m to TL 1279 3187 thence E for approx 30m on N of drain to county boundary at TL 1282 3187.

Width:

2m between TL 1282 3196 and TL 1282 3187

Limitations:

None between TL 1282 3196 and TL 1282 3187

005**FP****HCC 10, HCC 11**

Commences from Walnut Tree Road between Nos. 11 and 13 thence E and SE across Bannisters thence E between allotments and recreation ground thence SE and E to join SW side of Mill Way thence SE along inside of field across Icknield Way to join Restricted Byway 1 (Hitchin Town). at River Oughton.

Width:

Limitations:

006**BR / FP****HCC 11**

Commences from parish boundary at junction with FP13 Holwell, thence SE to Hambridge Way as FP on E side of Old Gravel Pit, thence S as BR along Mill Way to junction with FP5, thence SE to join BR105 (Hitchin Town) at parish boundary.

Width:

Limitations:

007**FP****HCC 10**

Commences from Pirton - Hitchin Road opposite Walnut Tree Road thence SW and S to N of High Down thence SW past old gravel pit to junction with FP9 thence S to join Icknield Way at parish boundary E of Shrub Wood.

Width:

Limitations:

008**BR****HCC 10**

Commences from Hitchin - Shillington Road E of Vicarage thence SW along Wood Lane to county boundary thence S along same to join Icknield Way E of Tingley Field Plantation.

Width:

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Commences from FP7 W of Hanginghill Plantation thence N between old gravel pit and Tingley Wood thence NW to join BR8.

Width:

Limitations:

010**FP****HCC 10**

Commences from county road at SW corner of Great Green thence NW and SW along garden boundary to join Priors Hill Road.

Width:

Limitations:

011**FP****HCC 10**

Commences from Little Lane approx. 90 yards S of West Lane thence W to join High Street, on N side of Wesleyan Chapel.

Width:

Limitations:

012**FP****HCC 10**

Commences from Burge-end Lane S of Burge End thence SW to S of Wright's Farm thence S to junction with FP1.

Width:

Limitations:

013**FP****HCC 11**

Commences from FP5 at eastern boundary of allotment gardens thence N to join Hambridge Way E of "Shoulder of Mutton" P.H.

Width:

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Commences from FP1 approx. 67 yards NW of its junction with Crabtree Lane thence NE to TL 1458 3176 thence E for approx 10m towards the NE boundary of the Village Hall, then continuing generally NE for approx 55m, parallel to the Hall boundary but 1.2m from it, except in the immediate vicinity of the Hall building, where the path is not closer than 1.5m to the wall, to a junction with the High Street at TL 1464 3179.

Width:

Minimum 3m as shown hatched on the plan forming part of the Hertfordshire County Council (Pirton 14) Diversion Order 2000, except adjacent to the Village Hall building, where it is 2.5m wide.

Limitations:

None between TL 1458 3176 and TL 1464 3179

015**FP****HCC 10**

Commences from Cromwell Way approx. 60 yards N of its junction with High Street then eastwards for a distance of 23 yards between No.38 and Chalet Bungalow thence NE to TL 1487 3187 thence NNW for approx 20m to county road Bunyan Close at TL 1486 3189. Continues from Bunyan Close at TL 1488 3190 thence NE to E of Pumping Station to join Royal Oak Lane approx 40 yards S of West Lane.

Width:

Limitations:

016**FP****HCC 10**

Commences from Bury Lane at SW corner of churchyard thence E to junction with FP 25 at TL 1469 3163 continuing E to Bury Gate.

Width:

Limitations:

017**FP****HCC 10**

Commences from SW corner of churchyard thence SE to junction with FP25 at TL 1471 3160 continuing across FP18 to join Walnut Tree Lane opposite Walnut Tree Farm.

Width:

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018**FP****HCC 10**

Commences from end of Church Lane S of Toot Hill thence NE across FP17 to join FP16 at Bury Gate.

Width:

Limitations:

019**BR****HCC 11**

Commences from Pirton - Holywell Road E of allotment gardens thence N to county boundary on W side of small copse.

Width:

Limitations:

020**RB****HCC 20**

Commences from Pirton - Hitchin Road by pumping station thence NE along parish boundary to join Restricted Byway 3 (Hitchin Town) at Oughton Head.

Width:

Limitations:

021**BR****HCC 11**

Commences from a point 200m east of the County Road at Little Green, Pirton, thence eastwards for about 140m to the junction with FP13, continuing eastwards for approx 1570m to the junction with BR6 and FP6 and thence still eastwards for about 480m to a junction with BR16 (Ickleford) on the parish boundary.

Width:

7m to 14m as shown by the hatching on the plan annexed to the Hertfordshire County Council Pirton 21 Modification Order.

Limitations:

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Commences from BR8 Wood Lane, thence south east for approx. 383 yards to join FP7.

Width:

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024**FP****HCC 10**

Commences from Hitchin - Shillington Road approx. 300 yards south of Hill Farm, thence south west inside field, running parallel to Wood Lane to join FP22.

Width:

Limitations:

025**FP****HCC 10**

Commences from a junction with FP16 at TL 1469 3163 thence generally SE for approx 35m to a junction with FP 17 at TL 1471 3160

Width:

2m

Limitations:

Kissing gate at TL 1469 3163

026**FP****HCC 10**

Commences from a junction with County Road Walnut Tree Road at TL 1487 3151 thence generally SE across Pirton Bury for approx 240m to another junction with Walnut Tree Road at TL 1469 3137

Width:

2m

Limitations:

Kissing gate at TL 1469 3137

Kissing gate at TL 1487 3151

027**BR****HCC 10, HCC 11**

Commences from county road Hitchin Road at TL 1491 3109 and runs parallel to that road in a south easterly direction for approx 1010m to the junction with Pirton BR 28 (Icknield Way) at Punch's Cross at TL 1553 3029

Width:

3.1m

Limitations:

None

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Icknield Way commencing at the Hexton Road (a public road) at TL 1458 2996 and continuing generally NE along a track for approx. 1,000m to the junction with the Hitchin Road (a public road) at Punch's Cross at TL 1552 3028. Recommences on E side of the Hitchin Road at TL 1552 3028, past the junction with Pirton BR 27 at TL 1553 3029 and continues generally NE along a track (past the S turn of the parish boundary at TL 1561 3030) for approx. 1,625m to the parish boundary and junction with Westmill Lane (a public road) at TL 1702 3088.

Width:

Varies between 3m and 16m between TL 1458 2996 and TL 1561 3030 being the Pirton moiety of the route as shown shaded grey on the Plans forming part of the Hertfordshire County Council (Offley 54 and Pirton 28) Modification Order 2011

Varies between 9m and 20m between TL 1561 3030 and TL 1702 3088 as shown shaded grey on the Plans forming part of the Hertfordshire County Council (Offley 54 and Pirton 28) Modification Order 2011

Limitations:

None
