

**NOTICE OF A PROPOSED APPLICATION TO A MAGISTRATES' COURT
FOR AN ORDER AUTHORISING STOPPING UP OF A HIGHWAY
UNDER SECTION 116 OF THE HIGHWAYS ACT 1980**

To: the owners and occupiers of all lands adjoining Water Lane, Rotherham, South Yorkshire ("Water Lane")
and
any statutory undertakers having apparatus under, in, upon, over, along or across Water Lane

I, for and on behalf of Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council ("Rotherham MBC") of Riverside House, Main Street, Rotherham, South Yorkshire, S60 1AE

HEREBY GIVE YOU NOTICE THAT

Rotherham MBC proposes to make an application to Doncaster 'Magistrates' Court, College Road, Doncaster, South Yorkshire, DN1 3HS for an order under section 116 of the Highways Act 1980 authorising that part of the public highway known as Water Lane (as much as is shaded blue on the Plan) be stopped up on the grounds that it is unnecessary as Highway thus extinguishing highway rights.

As a result of the current closure of the Council's Office (due to the pandemic) a copy of this notice and plan may be inspected and a download request made free of charge at www.rotherham.gov.uk/roads.

The hearing of the application will be at 10:00 hours on 26th May 2021 at the Magistrates Court sitting at Doncaster 'Magistrates' Court, College Road, Doncaster, South Yorkshire, DN1 3HS. On the hearing of the application, any person to whom notice is required to be given under paragraph 1 of Schedule 12 to the Highways Act 1980 (essentially, owners and occupiers of adjoining land and statutory undertakers (utilities and telecom companies)), any person who uses the highway, and any other person who would be aggrieved by the making of the order applied for, have a right to be heard.

Dated: 16 March 2021



Signed:

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