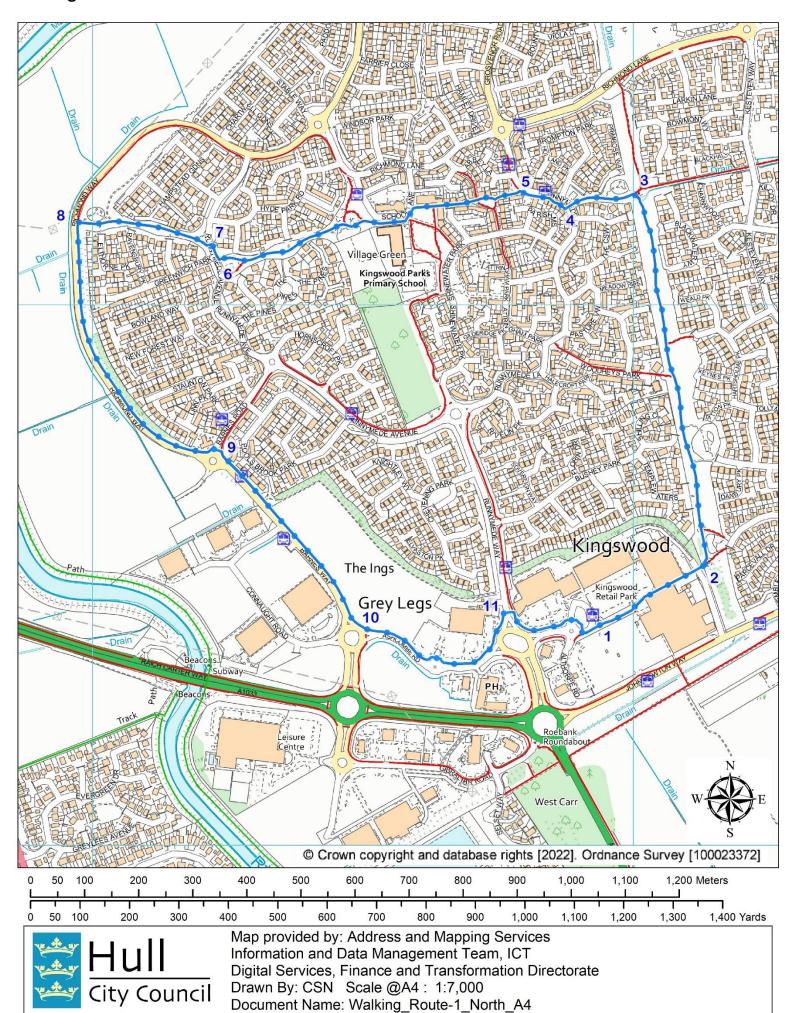
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An urban walk around the area surrounding Kingswood Retail Park

WALK DETAILS & DISTANCE

Circular Walk: Yes Grade: Easy

Walk Type: Easy Walk, Healthy Walk, From your Doorstep Walks.

OS Explorer Map No: 293

Public Transport: For up-to-date bus timetable information visit https://www.stagecoachbus.com/ or

https://www.eastyorkshirebuses.co.uk/

Refreshments: For information about what is available nearby, visit our website www.visithull.org. You are

advised to confirm opening times and availability of local pubs, restaurants and cafes before

setting off.

Public Conveniences: Check the location of nearby public toilets at https://www.toiletmap.org.uk/. If you plan to use

toilets at an attraction or eatery, you are advised to check opening times and availability before

setting off.

Distance: 3.60 KM / 2.23 MILES

LOCATION

Start Point: Kingswood Retail Park, Althorp Road (HU7 3DA)
End point: Kingswood Retail Park, Althorp Road (HU7 3DA)

Towns & Villages: Kingswood

ACCESSIBILITY INFORMATION

This route includes one or more busy road crossings or a section of road walking.

- This route includes sections of difficult terrain i.e. rough ground, boggy grass or scree.
- This route lies within remote areas, away from settlements. You are advised to carry a mobile phone and advise someone of your planned route before setting off.
- Please don't drop litter, use a litter bin or take it home with you.
- Please pick up after your dog. Use a litter bin to dispose of the waste or take it home with you.

DESCRIPTION

- I. If you start at Kingswood Retail Park bus interchange and pass alongside ASDA, heading east, you'll come across a zebra crossing that takes you towards a tree-lined trail, known locally as Engine Drain.
- 2. Turn left and carry on walking until you arrive at the junction of the footpaths near the small playground.
- 3. Turning left, walk straight on before;
- 4. Crossing Runnymede Lane before entering the shared footway that will;
- 5. Take you to the Village Green local shopping area, passing Kingwood Parks Primary School, School Lane on your left.
- 6. Continue west straight on until you arrive at Runnymede Avenue, turning right.
- 7. Cross over the road and continue walking along the route until you arrive at Richmond Way.
- 8. Turning left, head south along Richmond Way, continuing onto Barnes Way.
- 9. After crossing Barnes Road, continue along the footway alongside Barnes Way,
- 10. keeping left, follow Ashcombe Road before coming to the Toucan crossing at Runnymede Way.
- 11. Turn right to take the Toucan crossing over Runnymede Way, then follow the footway along Althorp Road back to your starting point, Kingswood Retail Park.

FEATURES OF INTEREST

- The Engine Drain was cut c. 1675, with windmills aiding drainage of the area. During the 1770s construction of the Holderness Drain incorporated part of the Foredyke into its route, and further improved drainage in the wider area. After drainage to the later 20th century the land use was exclusively agricultural.
- The Kingswood estate was developed from the 1990s onwards on low lying agricultural land lying immediately east
 of the River Hull, and adjacent to the Bransholme Estate to the south-east, separated by the A1033 and Wawne
 Road.