

Section 53 of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981

Northumberland County Council Definitive Map and Statement of Public Rights of Way For the County of Northumberland

Definitive Map Modification Order (No 11) 2024

The above Order, made on 18th September 2024, if confirmed as made, will modify the definitive map and statement for the area by:-

Former Tynedale District

Restricted Byway / Footpath No 24 / Footpath No 25 (Parish of Melkridge)

Adding thereto a restricted byway, from the eastern end of the U7036 road, 20 metres west of Wealside (O.S. Grid Ref NY 7307 6897), in a north-easterly direction for a distance of 40 metres through the yard of Wealside, to existing Public Footpath No 25, 20 metres north of Wealside (NY 7310 6899).

And upgrading thereto to restricted byway status, part of existing Public Footpath No 25, from a point 20 metres north of Wealside (O.S. Grid Ref NY 7310 6899), in a north-easterly direction for a distance of 10 metres, to the existing junction between Public Footpaths Nos 24 and 25, just outside the farmyard area (NY 7311 6900).

And upgrading thereto to restricted byway status, existing Public Footpath No 24, from the existing junction between Public Footpaths Nos 24 and 25, just outside the Wealside farmyard area (O.S. Grid Ref NY 7311 6900), in a general easterly direction for a distance of 1335 metres, to join alleged Restricted Byway No 33 in the Parish of Henshaw, 610 metres west of Gibb's Hill (NY 7441 6922).

Restricted Byway / Footpath No 33 / Footpath No 25 (Parish of Henshaw)

Upgrading thereto to restricted byway status, and renumbering, part of existing Public Footpath No 25, from alleged Restricted Byway No 24 in the Parish of Melkridge, 610 metres west of Gibb's Hill (O.S. Grid Ref NY 7441 6922), in a general easterly direction for a distance of 405 metres to the existing junction between Footpaths Nos 25 and 33, 225 metres west of Gibb's Hill (NY 7478 6912).

And upgrading thereto to restricted byway status, existing Public Footpath No 33, from the existing junction between Footpaths Nos 25 and 33, 225 metres west of Gibb's Hill (O.S. Grid Ref NY 7478 6912), in a southerly and south-easterly direction for a distance of 190 metres to the northern end of the U7042 road, on the north side of a bridge over the Allery Burn, 220 metres south-west of Gibb's Hill (NY 7486 6898).

These details are shown on the Order map. A copy of the Order and the Order map may be seen free of charge at the Council Offices of The Queen's Hall, Beaumont Street, Hexham, NE46 3LS and the offices of Legal Services, County Hall, Morpeth during normal working hours. Copies of the Order and map may be purchased. They can also be viewed on line at <https://www.northumberland.gov.uk/About/Maps/Public-rights-of-way.aspx#ordersandnotices>.

Any representations or objection relating to the Order must be sent in writing to Barbara McCabe, Legal Services, at the address shown below or by email to

Barbara.McCabe@northumberland.gov.uk no later than **21st November 2024**. Please state the grounds on which they are made.

If no representations or objections are duly made to the order, or if any so made are withdrawn, the Northumberland County Council, instead of submitting the Order to the Secretary of State may itself confirm the Order. If the Order is submitted to the Secretary of State for the Department of Environment, Food and Rural Affairs, any representations or objections which have not been withdrawn will be sent with it.

Enquiries should be directed to: 01670 624133

Dated 26th September 2024

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