

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 15) 2024

The above Order, made on 13th November 2024, if confirmed as made, will modify the definitive map and statement for the area by:-

Former Tynedale District

Restricted Byway / FP No 27 & FP 26 (Parish of Greenhead)

Upgrading thereto to restricted byway status (and renumbering as part of Restricted Byway No 27), part of existing Public Footpath No 26, from the U7036 road, 65 metres south of Benkshill (O.S. Grid Ref NY 7103 6908), in a general north-easterly direction for a distance of 1120 metres to the junction between existing Public Footpaths Nos 26 and 27, 435 metres north-east of Wall Shield (NY 7143 7001).

And upgrading thereto to restricted byway status, all of existing Public Footpath No 27, from the path's existing junction with Footpath No 26, 435 metres north-east of Wall Shield (O.S. Grid Ref NY 7143 7001), in a general easterly direction for a distance of 370 metres, to join alleged Restricted Byway No 1 in the Parish of Melkridge, 750 metres north-east of Wall Shield (NY 7177 7014).

Restricted Byway / FP No 1 (Parish of Melkridge)

Upgrading thereto to restricted byway status, all of existing Public Footpath No 1, from alleged Restricted Byway No 27 in the Parish of Greenhead, 750 metres north-east of Wall Shield (O.S. Grid Ref NY 7177 7014), in a general north-easterly direction for a distance of 730 metres, to join the U7041 (Edges Green – Grindon Green) road, 210 metres west of Slippy Stones (NY 7237 7052).

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 Hexham Library, Queens Hall, Beaumont Street, Hexham, NE46 3LS and the offices of Legal Services, County Hall, Morpeth, NE61 2EF during normal working hours. Copies of the Order and map may be purchased. They can be viewed online at <https://www.northumberland.gov.uk/About/Maps/Public-rights-of-way.aspx#ordersandnotices>

This is a re-advertisement of this Order. 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 **10th July 2025**. 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 15th May 2025

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