

## PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY CONSULTATION

Bath and North East Somerset Council have received an application to record a public footpath on the Definitive Map and Statement, which is the legal record of public rights of way.

The application relates to a route commencing from a junction with Hantone Hill at grid reference ST 7788 6569 (Point A and proceeding in a generally east-south-easterly direction between houses for approximately 114 metres to a junction with public footpath BA1/25 at grid reference ST 7798 6564 (Point C).

The application does not seek to create a new public right of way, but rather, it seeks to record a public right of way which the applicant believes already exist. This can be proven by using evidence from historical documents and/or by demonstrating that members of the public have used the route for more than 20 years 'as of right' (i.e. without force, without secrecy and without permission) and without the landowner demonstrating a lack of intention to dedicate during that time.

If you have any evidence relating to the Application Route, or you have previously used the Application Route and would like to complete a User Evidence Form, please contact the Council's Public Rights of Way Team at [prow@bathnes.gov.uk](mailto:prow@bathnes.gov.uk) or on 01225 477650 no later than **13<sup>th</sup> April 2026**.

