# **NOTICE OF ORDER** WILDLIFE & COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981 SECTION 53

Bath and North East Somerset Council (Restricted Byway BA21/12, Beeks Mill, St Catherine) Definitive Map Modification Order 2017

Notice is hereby given that the above referenced Order has been submitted to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs for determination. An Inspector will be appointed by the Secretary of State to determine the Order.

#### The start date for the above Order is 06 February 2018.

Consideration of the Order will take the form of a public local inquiry.

The Inquiry will be held at Brunswick Room, Guildhall, High Street, Bath BA1 5AW on 07 August 2018 at 10.00am.

The effect of the Order, if confirmed without modifications, will be to modify the definitive map and statement for the area by adding to them the Restricted Byway from a junction with St Catherine Lane at grid reference ST 7611 7106 and continuing in a generally northeasterly direction for approximately 200 metres along a track to the County boundary with South Gloucestershire at grid reference ST 7624 7121.

Any queries relating to this Order should be referred to Tara Davies at The Planning Inspectorate, Rights of Way Section, Room 3/G Hawk Wing, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol, BS1 6PN. Telephone: 0303 4445779. Email: tara.davies@pins.gsi.gov.uk. Please quote reference number ROW/3186868 on all correspondence.

Any person wishing to view the statements of case and other documents relating to this Order may do so by appointment at Bath and North East Somerset Council, Civic Centre, Market Walk, Keynsham BS31 1FS during normal working hours by appointment, by calling 01225 477650.

## Timetable for sending in statements of case and proofs of evidence

#### Within 8 weeks of the start date by [by 03 April 2018]

The Order Making Authority must ensure their statement of case is received by the Secretary of State. As soon as possible after the deadline, the Secretary of State will send a copy (excluding copies of any supporting documents these will be available to view at the Authority's offices) to everyone who has made an objection or representation and the applicant and any other person who has written to us in respect of the Order.

Since the Order Making Authority is taking a Neutral Stance, the Applicant will be promoting confirmation of the Order. Within the same period the applicant should ensure their statement of case is received by the Secretary

of State. As soon as possible after the deadline, the Secretary of State will send a full copy to the Authority. Copies will also be sent to everyone who has made an objection or representation and any other person who has written to us in respect of the Order (excluding copies of any supporting documents - these will be available to view at the Authority's offices).

### Within 14 weeks of the start date [by 15 May 2018]

Everyone who has made an objection or representation and anyone who wishes to give evidence at the Inquiry must ensure their statement of case<sup>1</sup> is received by the Secretary of State. As soon as possible after the deadline, the Secretary of State will send full copies to the Authority. Copies will also be sent to the applicant, every person who has made an objection or representation and any other person who has written to us in respect of the Order (excluding copies of any supporting documents - these will be available to view at the Authority's offices).

## 4 weeks before the date of the inquiry [by 10 July 2018]

The Authority, everyone who has made an objection or representation, the applicant (if applicable) and anyone who wishes to give evidence at the Inquiry must ensure their proof of evidence (together with any summary) is received by the Secretary of State. As soon as possible after the deadline, the Secretary of State will send copies of:

- i) the Authority's proof of evidence to everyone who has made an objection or representation, the applicant and anyone who has submitted a statement of case (excluding copies of any supporting documents – although none should be submitted with a proof of evidence);
- ii) the applicant's proof of evidence to the Authority, everyone who has made an objection or representation and anyone else who has submitted a statement of case (excluding copies of any supporting documents – although none should be submitted with a proof of evidence); and
- iii) all other proofs of evidence to the Authority, the applicant, everyone who has made an objection or representation and anyone else who has submitted a statement of case (excluding copies of any supporting documents – although none should be submitted with a proof of evidence).

All parties must keep to the timetable set out above and ensure that statements of case and proofs of evidence are received by the Secretary of State on time. Late documents will be returned.

We cannot accept any libellous, racist or abusive comments. Any documents containing such comments will be returned.

Notice of order for inquiry

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> If you wish to make a legal submission, this should be submitted at the same time as your statement of case. Otherwise legal submissions will have to be submitted in writing on the day of the inquiry.