FOR THE ATTENTION OF ALL PUBLIC FOOTPATH USERS

Bath and North East Somerset Council are proposing to change the Public Rights of Way network in respect of public footpath CL24/41, Pit Path in the Parish of Westfield



The general effect of the proposal is shown on the plan above. The section of Public Footpath CL24/41 commencing from point A on the above plan in a generally northeasterly direction for approximately 203 metres via point B to point C, would be stopped up. This is shown on the above plan by a solid red line.

The new line of the public footpath would commence from point A in a generally northeasterly direction for approximately 202 metres via a junction with Longfellow Road at point D to point C. This is shown on the above plan by a solid green line.

These changes are proposed in the interests of the public as they would provide a wider path with an improved tarmacked surface with better lighting and maintenance opportunities and improved connectivity with a junction with Longfellow Road. The diversion would align the recorded footpath with a permissive path. The changes would be achieved by way of a diversion order made under section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 ('the Act'). The new path would be created without any limitations, however, barriers may be installed/retained under section 66 of the Act for public safety, as the route may be used by cyclists. No other works are proposed as the new path is already tarmacked and used by the public and is to an acceptable standard. If you have any comments regarding the above proposals, please send them to the **Public Rights of Way, Lewis House, Manvers Street, Bath, BA1 1JG** or by email to prow@bathnes.gov.uk no later than 14th January 2022. If you wish to discuss the proposals please phone 01225 394161.

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