Bath & North East Somerset Council

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 BA20/1, near Priston Sewage Works, in the Parish of Priston.

The general effect of the proposal is shown on the attached Plan. Public Footpath (FP) BA20/1 is currently shown on the Definitive Map as following the boundary of the Sewage Works. However, the definitive line is too close to the boundary to walk in practice. A permissive path has been available for some time and this forms the basis of the proposed route. The section of FP BA20/1 to be stopped up runs from point A on the Plan at grid reference ST 6979 6062 via points B, C, D and E to point F at grid reference ST 6982 6074 and is shown as a continuous red line on the Plan. The proposed FP runs from point A, via points G and H to point F and is shown as a continuous green line on the Plan. The public already generally walk the majority of this route.

The changes would be achieved by way of a diversion order made under section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 ('the Act') and are proposed in the interests of the landowner in order to improve land management and provide a practical route for public use.

Full details of the case can be viewed at https://www.bathnes.gov.uk/services/streets-and-highwaymaintenance/public-rights-way/prow-legal-order-case-documents/public .lf you have any comments regarding the above proposals please send them to Public Rights of Way Team, Lewis House, Manvers Street, Bath, BA1 1JG or email Wendy Robbins@bathnes.gov.uk no later than 6th April 2021.

If you would like further information please email or tel 01225 394161.



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