

NOTICE OF ORDER

WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981

SECTION 53

Northumberland County Council
Definitive Map Modification Order (No.18) 2012 Bridleway No. 28 (Parish
of Ancroft)

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 **25 September 2015**.

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

The Inquiry will be held at **Berwick Voluntary Forum, 5 Tweed Street, Berwick upon Tweed, Northumberland TD15 1NG** on **Tuesday 23 February 2016** 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:-

Former Berwick Borough

Parish of Ancroft

Bridleway No 28

Adding thereto, a bridleway, from a point marked A at the southern end of the U15 road where it crosses the Cockley Burn in a general south-easterly and south-westerly direction for a distance of 2175 metres to a point marked B at the eastern end of the U19 road 545 metres east of Cheswick Farm Cottages.

Any queries relating to this Order should be referred to Helen Sparks at The Planning Inspectorate, Rights of Way Section, Room 3/25 Hawk Wing, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol, BS1 6PN. Telephone: 0303 444 5646. Email: helen.sparks@pins.gsi.gov.uk Please quote reference number FPS/P2935/7/45 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 the offices of Sustainable Transport, Local Services, County Hall, Morpeth, Northumberland, NE61 2EF during normal office hours (i.e. 9:00 – 5:00 pm Mondays to Thursdays and 9:00 – 4:30 Fridays). To arrange a

viewing, please contact Mr John McErlane on Telephone Number (01670) 624136.

Timetable for sending in statements of case and proofs of evidence

Within 8 weeks of the start date [by 20 November 2015]

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, although 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.

Within 14 weeks of the start date [by 2 January 2016]

Everyone who has made an objection or representation and anyone who wishes to give evidence at the Inquiry must ensure their statement of case¹ is received by the Secretary of State. As soon as possible after the deadline, the Secretary of State will send copies to the Authority, 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, although these will be available to view at the Authority's offices).

Within the same period the applicant (if applicable) 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 to the Authority, 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, although these will be available to view at the Authority's offices).

4 weeks before the date of the inquiry [by 26 January 2016]

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);

¹ 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.

- 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.

Notice of order for inquiry

CANCELLED

The Inspector will make a decision on the basis of written representations.