Order Decision

Site visit carried out on 31 August 2016

by Peter Millman BA

an Inspector appointed by the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

Decision date: 09 December 2016

Order Ref: FPS/P3800/7/72M

- This Order is made under Section 53(2)(b) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 and is known as the West Sussex County Council (Chichester – No 2 (Stoughton: Addition of a Byway Open to All Traffic)) Definitive Map Modification Order 2008.
- The Order is dated 7 January 2008 and proposes to modify the Definitive Map and Statement for the area as shown on the Order plan and described in the Order schedule.
- There were thirteen statutory objections outstanding when West Sussex County Council ("WSCC") submitted the Order to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs for confirmation.

Summary of Decision: I have confirmed the Order with the modifications previously proposed.

Procedural Matters

- 1. The effect of the Order, if confirmed with the modifications which I proposed, would be to add a route along Park Slip in Stoughton to WSCC's Definitive Map and Statement. The status of the route would be Restricted Byway, rather than, as originally proposed in the Order, Byway Open to All Traffic.
- 2. No objections were made to the proposed modifications.

Conclusion

3. Bearing in mind the above, I conclude that the Order should be confirmed subject to the modifications set out in paragraph 45 of my interim decision dated 19 September 2016.

Formal Decision

- 4. I confirm the Order subject to the following modifications:
 - In the title of the Order, paragraph 3 of the Order and parts I and II of the schedule to the Order, delete 'Byway Open to All Traffic' where it occurs and insert in its place 'Restricted Byway'.
 - On the map attached to the Order, delete 'Byway Open to All Traffic' and insert in its place 'Restricted Byway'. Replace the symbol for Byway Open to All Traffic with the symbol for Restricted Byway.

Peter Millman

Inspector

