

# **NOTICE OF ORDER HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 SECTION 26**

Leeds City Council  
(Skelton Lake) Public Path Creation Order 2013

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 **04 August 2015**.

Consideration of the Order will take the form of exchanges of statements of case and comments on statements of case.

The effect of the Order, if confirmed without modifications, will be to create two public bridleways and a public footpath over land at Skelton, Leeds as described in the following Schedule. The bridleways are shown by bold solid lines with cross bars and the footpath is shown by a broken line on the Order Map.

## **Schedule**

### **Leeds Public Bridleway No. 259**

A bridleway commencing from a point, SE 3576 3121, at the junction with Leeds Bridleway No. 136 and Leeds Public Footpath No. 261 just south of Pontefract Lane and proceeding for a distance of 3304 metres around Skelton Lake to a point, SE 3507 3079, at the junction with Leeds Bridleway No. 259 just north of Skelton Lake Weir and having a width of 3 metres throughout the whole of its length

### **Leeds Public Bridleway No. 260**

A bridleway commencing from a point, SE 3509 3076, at the junction with Leeds Bridleway No. 259 just north of Skelton Lake Weir, and proceeding for a distance of 1419 metres to a point, SE 3634 3069, at the junction with Pontefract Lane, just west of Newsam Green Farm and having a width of 3 metres throughout the whole of its length

### **Leeds Public Footpath No. 261**

A footpath commencing from a point, SE 3576 3121, at the junction with Leeds Public Bridleway No. 136 and 259 just south of Pontefract Lane and proceeding for a distance of 729 metres to a point, SE 3524 3102, at the junction with Leeds Bridleway No. 259 and having a width of 2 metres throughout the whole of its length

Any queries relating to this Order should be referred to Clive Richards 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 5502. Email: [clive.richards@pins.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:clive.richards@pins.gsi.gov.uk). Please quote reference number FPS/N4720/6/5 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 the Public Rights of Way Section, Leeds City Council, Farnley Hall, Hall Lane, Leeds, LS12 5HA Monday to Friday between 9.00 am and 5.00 pm. Appointments can be made by telephoning Miss Claire Tregembo on 0113 3782875.

### **Timetable for sending in statements of case and comments**

#### **Within 2 weeks of the start date [by 18 August 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, the applicant and any other person who has written to us in respect of the Order.

#### **Within 8 weeks of the start date [by 29 September 2015]**

Everyone who has made an objection or representation or any other written representation 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 copies (excluding copies of any supporting documents, although these will be available to view at the Authority's offices) 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.

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, 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 the Authority, everyone who has made an objection or representation and any other person who has written to us in respect of the Order.

#### **Within 14 weeks of the start date [by 10 November 2015]**

Everyone who has made an objection or representation, the Authority, the applicant (if applicable) and anyone who has written to us in respect of the Order must ensure that their comments on any or every other statement of case is received by the Secretary of State. As soon as possible after the deadline, the Secretary of State will send copies of these comments to everyone else.

Any other person wishing to make representations in writing to the Secretary of State in respect of the above Order(s) must do so in line with the timetable set out above.

In fairness to the other parties everyone should keep to the timetable to ensure that statements of case and comments are received on time. All parties must keep to the timetable set out above and ensure that statements of case are received by the Secretary of State on time. Late documents will be returned.