

# **NOTICE OF PUBLIC LOCAL INQUIRY WILDLIFE AND COUNTRYSIDE ACT 1981 – SECTION 53**

Notice is hereby given that an Inspector will be appointed by the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs to determine

Lancashire County Council  
Cutler Lane, Height Barn Lane and Stubblelee Lane, Bacup, Rossendale Borough  
Definitive Map Modification Order 2015

and will attend at:

**The Business Centre, Futures Park, Bacup, Lancashire OL13 0BB**

**on Tuesday 26 November 2019 at 10.00am**

To hold a public local inquiry into the Order

The above Order, if confirmed as made, will modify the Definitive Map and Statement of Public Rights of Way for the area, by:

1. **Deleting** part of Footpath 522, Bacup at Lee Clough between points A2-E2-D2 as shown on the map attached to the Order (Plan 2/3) for a length of approximately 95 metres and with an unrecorded width.

2. **Adding** a Bridleway at Lee Clough between points B2-D2 as shown on the map attached to the Order (Plan 2/3) for a total length of approximately 25 metres and with a width of 2 metres, and;

- **Adding** a Restricted Byway at Lee Clough between points A2-B2-C2-D2 as shown on the map attached to the Order (Plan 2/3) for a total length of approximately 40 metres, and with a width of 3 metres, and;
- **Adding** a Restricted Byway along part of Stubblelee Lane between points A3-N3-M3 shown on the map attached to the Order (Plan 3/3) for a total length of approximately 140 metres, and with a width of 4 metres;
- **Adding** a Byway Open to all Traffic (Bacup Byway Open to All Traffic 678) at Height Barn Farm between points D3-E3-F3-G3-H3 as shown on the map attached to the Order (Plan 3/3) for a total distance of approximately 60 metres, with a width varying between 3 metres and 4 metres.

3. **Upgrading** Footpath 522 (part) to a Restricted Byway from a junction with Public Footpath 570 at Cutler Greens and proceeding for a distance of approximately 485 metres along Cutler Lane past Prospect Terrace and Fairwall to the West of Lee Clough with a width varying between 2.5 metres to 5 metres, as shown on the map attached to the Order (Plans 1/2 and 2/2) as points A1-E1-G1-A2, and;

- **Upgrading** Footpaths 522 (part), 507, 506, 505 & 504 to a Restricted Byway from East of Lee Clough, past Lee Farm and Moss Meadows Cottage to a junction with Stubby Lee Lane and Footpath 501 for a distance of approximately 617 metres as shown on the map attached to

the Order Map (Plans 2/3 & 3/3) as points D2-G2-H2-I2-J2-K2-L2-M2-N2-O2-P2-A3. A width varying between of 2 metres and 3 metres between points D2-G2-H2-I2-J2, a width of 2.5 metres between points J2-K2-L2, a width of 3 metres between points L2-M2-N2, a width of 3 metres between points N2-O2, a width of 4 metres between points O2-P2 and a width varying between 2.5 metres and 5.5 metres between points P2-A3, and;

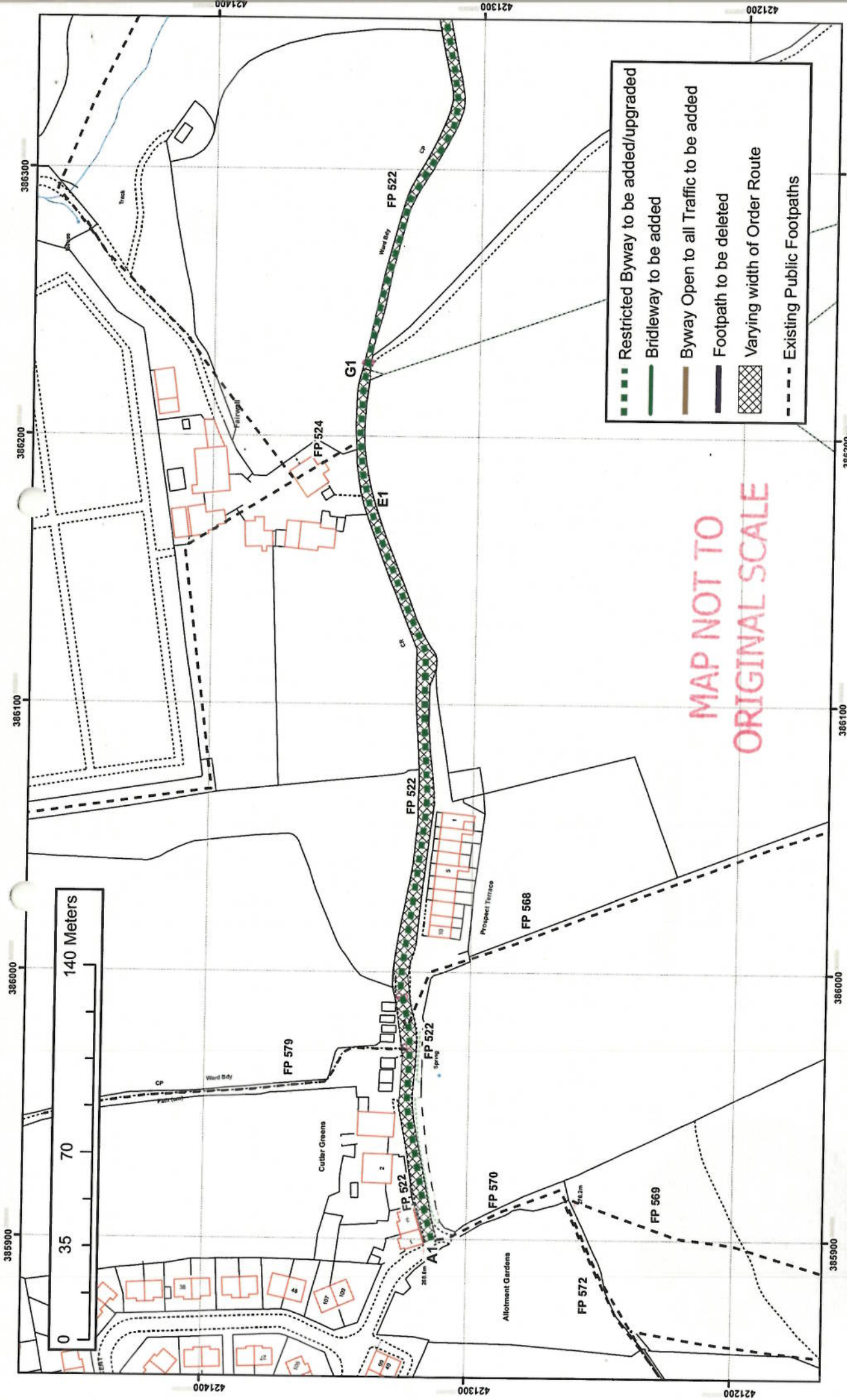
- **Upgrading** Footpaths 503 & 493 (part) to a Restricted Byway, from a junction with Stubby Lee Lane and Footpath 501 and proceeding for a distance of approximately 130 metres along Height Barn Lane to Height Barn Farm, shown on the map attached to the Order Map (Plan 3/3) as points A3-B3-C3-X3-D3, with a width of 4 metres between points A3-B3-C3 and a width of 3 metres between points C3-X3-D3, and;
- **Upgrading** Footpath 492 (part) to a Restricted Byway along Height Barn Lane from a junction east of Height Barn Farm where Footpath 492 meets a tarmac road (the U7912) and proceeding to an alleyway at the rear of no. 89 New Line and then to a junction with the A6066 New Line, for a distance of approximately 130 metres and shown on the map attached to the Order (Plan 3/3) as points H3-I3-J3-K3-L3, with a width of 3.5 metres between points H3-I3-J3-K3 and a width of 8 metres between points K3-L3.

Any person wishing to view the statements of case and other documents relating to this Order may do so by appointment between the hours of 9am to 5pm Monday-Friday at the offices of Lancashire County Council, County Hall, Fishergate, Preston, Lancashire PR1 8XJ. Contact point: Mr Kerian Hayes Email: [kerian.hayes@lancashire.gov.uk](mailto:kerian.hayes@lancashire.gov.uk), Telephone: 01772 531414. Lancashire County Council file reference LSG4/PROW/CB7/5.46656/804.532.

Planning Inspectorate Reference: ROW/3214742

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Plan 1/3

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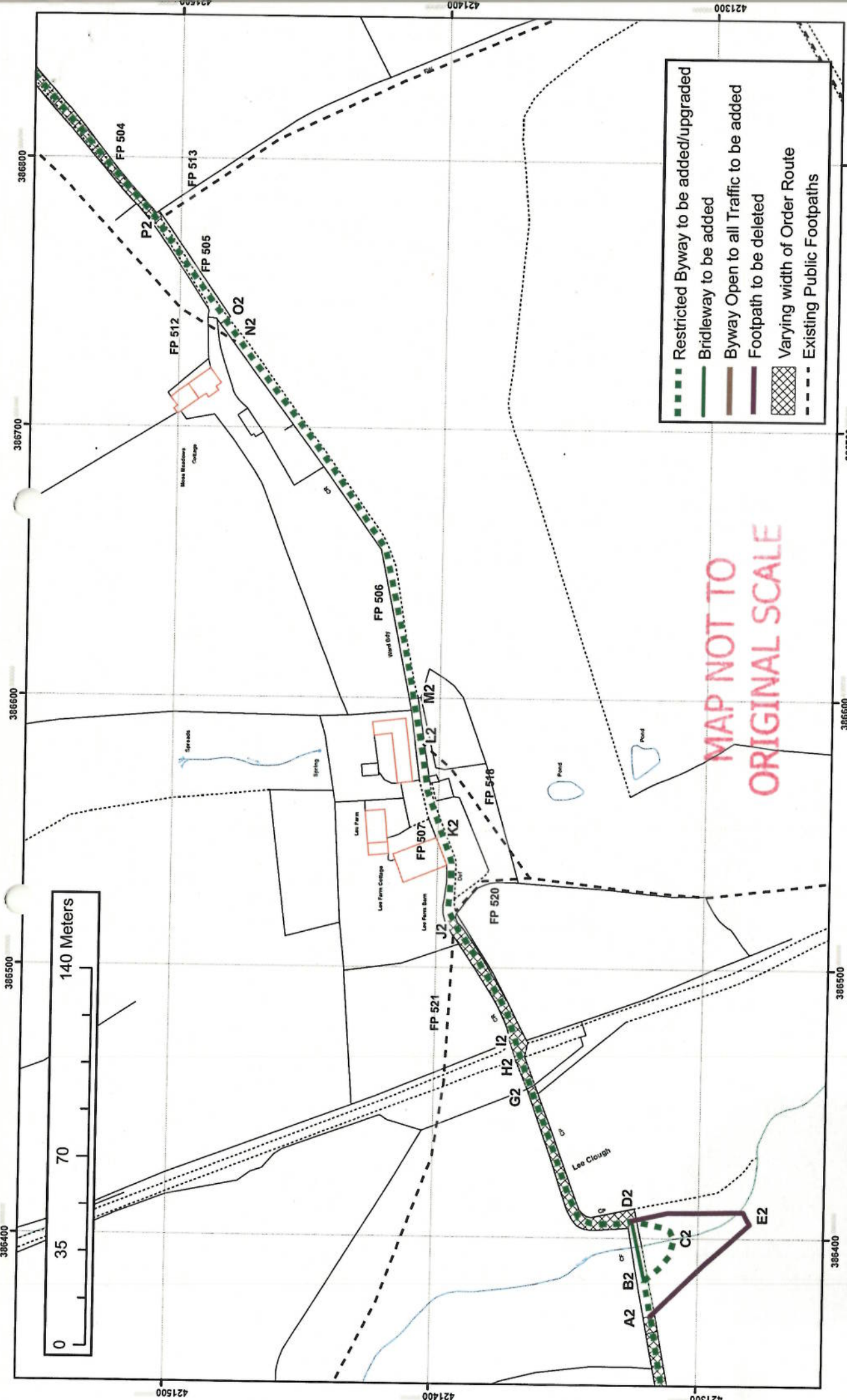



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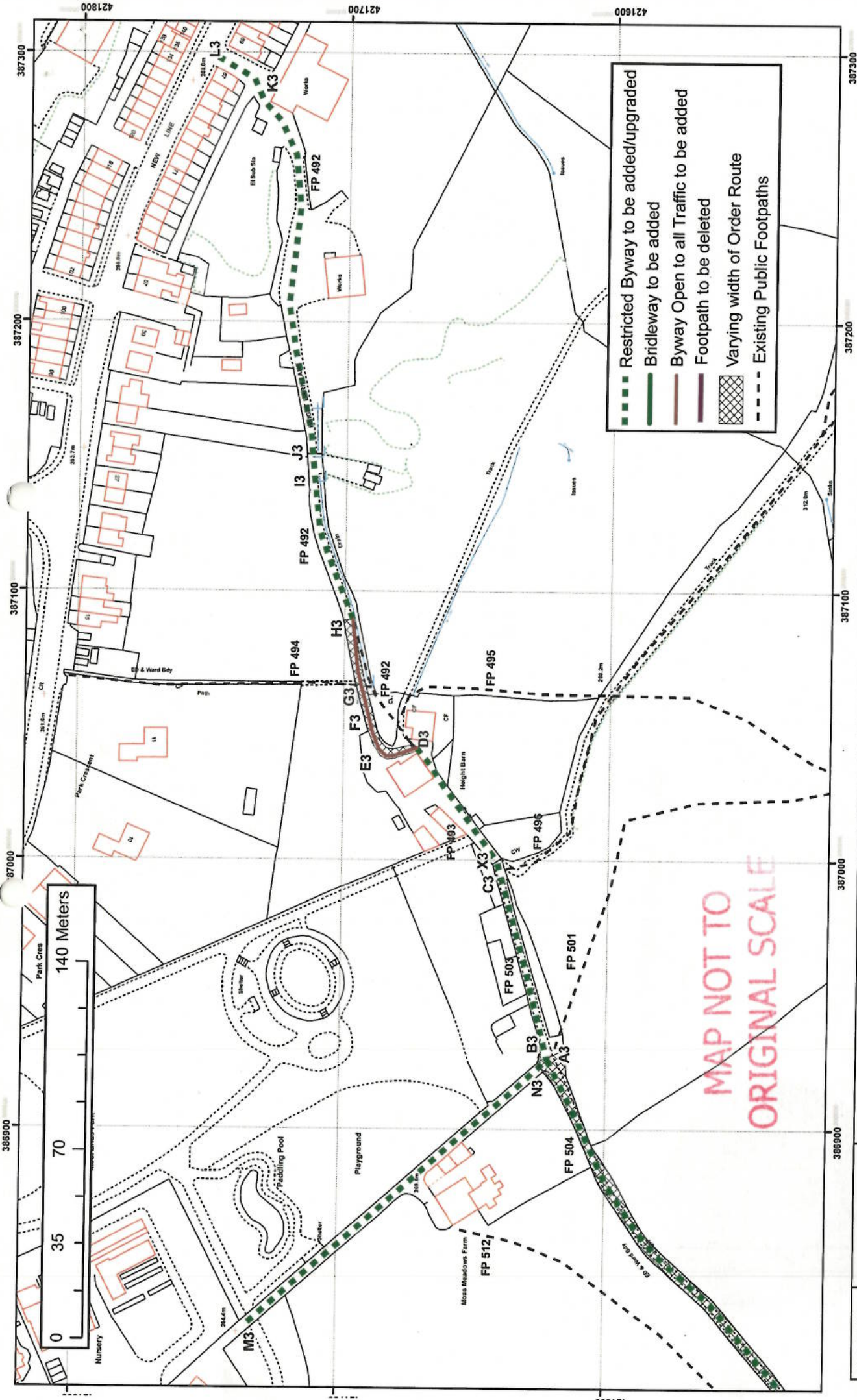


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- Restricted Byway to be added/upgraded
- Bridleway to be added
- Byway Open to all Traffic to be added
- Footpath to be deleted
- Varying width of Order Route
- Existing Public Footpaths

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