

NOTICE OF PUBLIC 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

West Sussex County Council
(Cuckfield Rural No. 1 – Parish of Fulking:
(Addition of a Footpath))

Definitive Map Modification Order, 2004
&

West Sussex County Council
(Cuckfield Rural No. 1 – Parish of Fulking:
Upgrading of Footpath 13F to Bridleway and
the Addition of a Bridleway))

Definitive Map Modification Order 2003

and will attend at:

**Springwells, 9 High Street, Steyning,
West Sussex BN44 3GG**

On Tuesday 27 February 2007 at 10:00am

To hold a public local inquiry into the Orders

The effect of the Orders, if confirmed without modifications, will be to modify the Definitive Map and Statement for the area by:

2004 Order

- adding a footpath, in the Parish of Fulking, having a width of approximately 3.5 metres and a made up concrete surface, commencing at a point on Edburton Road (NGR: 2440711384), north, for a distance of approximately 150 metres, then a reduction in width to approximately 2.5 metres, remaining on a concrete surface, for a distance of approximately 300 metres, passing to the west of Perching Manor Farm, to meet the existing Footpaths 4bF, 4cF and 9F (NGR: 2436411871).

2003 Order

- Upgrading Footpath 13F, in the Parish of Fulking, following a defined track with an unmade grass and earth surface along the lowest western edge of a field, commencing at the junction of Bridleways 1eF and 1dF where a stile and field gate are in situ (NGR: 24161090). The path runs in a south-south-easterly direction for approximately 50 metres (NGR: 24171085) then it continues in a south-south-westerly direction for approximately 238 metres (NGR: 24101063) and then continues in a more southerly direction for approximately 130 metres (NGR: 2409105). From this point the path then continues south-south-west for approximately 112 metres (NGR: 20471038) and south-south-east for approximately 75 metres where it ends at two field gates (NGR: 24091032) which are situated on the eastern edge of the next field, to the west of Perchinghill Barn. By adding a Bridleway in the Parish of Fulking, following a track along the eastern edge of a field, at the southern end of the footpath to be upgraded marked by two field gates (NGR: 24091032) and runs in a southerly direction for approximately 82 metres (NGR: 24081024), whence it takes a more south-westerly direction for approximately 256 metres (NGR: 23881005). The Bridleway then turns and continues south-south-east for approximately 233 metres (NGR: 23900980) before turning again and following a south-south-westerly direction for approximately 102 metres to a field boundary marked by two field gates (NGR: 23860971). From this point the Bridleway crosses an open field along a visible track in a south-westerly direction for approximately 514 metres where it ends at the junction of Bridleway 16bF and RUPP 2756, which are marked by a field gate and an equestrian gate (NGR: 23520932).

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