

PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY EVIDENCE FORM

Please complete, in handwriting, one form per person, per route.

Note that this document is likely to be copied to the Council concerned, and through their processes may be made available to others in the consultation; however, it is important that this document is seen as a personal contribution, which is why handwritten entries and limited personal details are required.

Name _____ Date of birth _____

Address (Include your phone or email if you are willing to talk to us about this.)

Route: (refer to Council documents, our initial request, and an OS map (or extract)).	
Name :	
Parishes :	
From : Grid reference	To : Grid reference

1. If you have used the route:

(a) During which years? _____

(b) Where were you going to and from? _____

(c) For what purpose? _____

(d) Approximately how many times a year? (Separate answers for each mode of use please).

On Foot _____	By Cycle _____	Motorbike _____	Car _____	4x4 _____
Quad _____	Other _____		Electric (what) _____	

2. Has the route always run over the same line? _____ If not, give what details and dates you can of any major changes, such as due to Quarry workings, re-routes away from a working farm area, etc.

3. Have there to your knowledge ever been any stiles or gates on the route? _____

If so, state where the stiles or gates stood, as well as you can recall.

Use whatever suits you best: Grid references, an A4 extract of a marked map, or a plain text description.

4. If neither 4 or 5 apply to you, just answer 'No, None, or Not Applicable', as appropriate.

At the time you used the route ... were you working for an owner or occupier of land crossed by the route? _____ Please name the owner / occupier, if you can recall the name _____

If you were a tenant of any such owner, give particulars and dates. _____

5. If an employee or tenant, did you ever receive any instructions regarding the use of the way by the public? _____ If so, what were they? _____

6. Have you ever been stopped or turned back when using this way, or do you know of anyone else having been stopped or turned back? _____
If so, state when the interruption took place and give any particulars you can recall.

7. Were you ever told by any owner or tenant of the land crossed by the way, or by anyone in their employment, that the way was not public?
If you can recall, give particulars and dates. _____

8. Have you ever known any locked gates or other obstruction to the route?
If you can recall, give particulars and dates. _____

9. Have you ever seen notices on the route such as 'Private', 'No Road' 'Trespassers will be Prosecuted' or 'Unsuitable for Motors'? _____
If you can recall, what did the notices actually say? _____

10. Have you ever asked permission to use the way? _____

11. Please give any other information that you think is relevant, on an additional sheet if necessary.

12. Would you be willing attend as a witness at a public Inquiry or hearing to give evidence of your use of the route? (This would be many months away, you are not committing to a date). _____

I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the facts that I have stated are true.

Should it prove useful to us, can we contact you about the information here?

If so, how would you prefer we make contact, phone, face to face, email, paper mail? _____

Your Name, Signature, and the Date you completed this form please.

Print Signature Date

Thankyou.

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