

Application for Suffolk County Council to make a definitive map modification order (Schedule 7 Application)

This form is prescribed by Schedule 7 of the Wildlife and Countryside (Definitive Maps and Statements) Regulations 1993 and must be used to apply for Suffolk County Council to make an order modifying the definitive map and / or statement under section 53(2) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981.

All of the following information must be provided. A map extract at a scale of not less than 1:25,000 showing the whole of the route must also be included with this application.

Parish/es of: Westerfield

District/s of: East Suffolk

To: The Definitive Map Manager, Rights of Way and Access, Suffolk County Council, Phoenix House, 3 Goddard Road, Ipswich IP1 5NP

I: Rafe Roughton

Of: 11 Lamerton Lodge, 228 Kew Rd, Richmond TW9 3JX

Hereby apply for an order under section 53(2) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 modifying the definitive map and statement for the area by (please complete the section or sections below that apply to your application):

From: Lower Rd [TM 17072 47770]

Via footpath 18.

To: B1077 [TM 17145 47439]

As shown on the map extract accompanying this application.

Existing path number/s if the route is already recorded on the definitive map:

I attach copies of the following documentary evidence (including statements of witnesses) in support of this application (list documents):

- Main Proposal Document
 - o Includes 1808 Enclosure Award

Signed:



Dated: 11th August 2024

Completed applications should be sent to the Definitive Map Manager at the above address.

Under the terms of the Public Rights of Way (Register of Applications under S 53(5) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981)(England) Regulations 2005, the details provided on this form will be kept in a public register that is available on the Internet. For further information please see Suffolk County Council's [Rights of Way and Access privacy notice](#).

Certificate of service of notice of application for Suffolk County Council to make a definitive map modification order (Schedule 9 Certificate)

This form is prescribed by Schedule 9 of the Wildlife and Countryside (Definitive Maps and Statements) Regulations 1993 and must be used by the Applicant to certify that they have served a Schedule 8 Notice on all affected landowners of an application for Suffolk County Council to make an order modifying the definitive map and / or statement under section 53(2) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981. Your application will not be valid unless all affected landowners have been served with notice and this form is completed.

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Hereby certify that the requirements of paragraph 2 of schedule 14 to the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 have been complied with and the following people have been served with a Schedule 8 Notice:

Name	Address
Crest Nicholson Operations Limited	Crest House, Pycroft Road, Chertsey KT16 9GN
Yelena Banks	Linden House, Lower Road, Westerfield, Ipswich, Suffolk IP6 9AT

Signed:



Dated: 11th August 2024

NOTE: The Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 requires an Applicant for a Modification Order to serve notice of the application on every owner and occupier of any land affected by the claimed route. Where it is not possible to identify the landowner or occupier the Applicant may (on direction of the County Council) address the notice 'to the owner or occupier' and fix it to a post or a conspicuous object on the land. The Applicant must then complete this Schedule 9 Certificate to certify to Suffolk County Council that these requirements have been satisfied.

This certificate should be returned to The Definitive Map Manager at the above address with the completed Schedule 7 Application form.

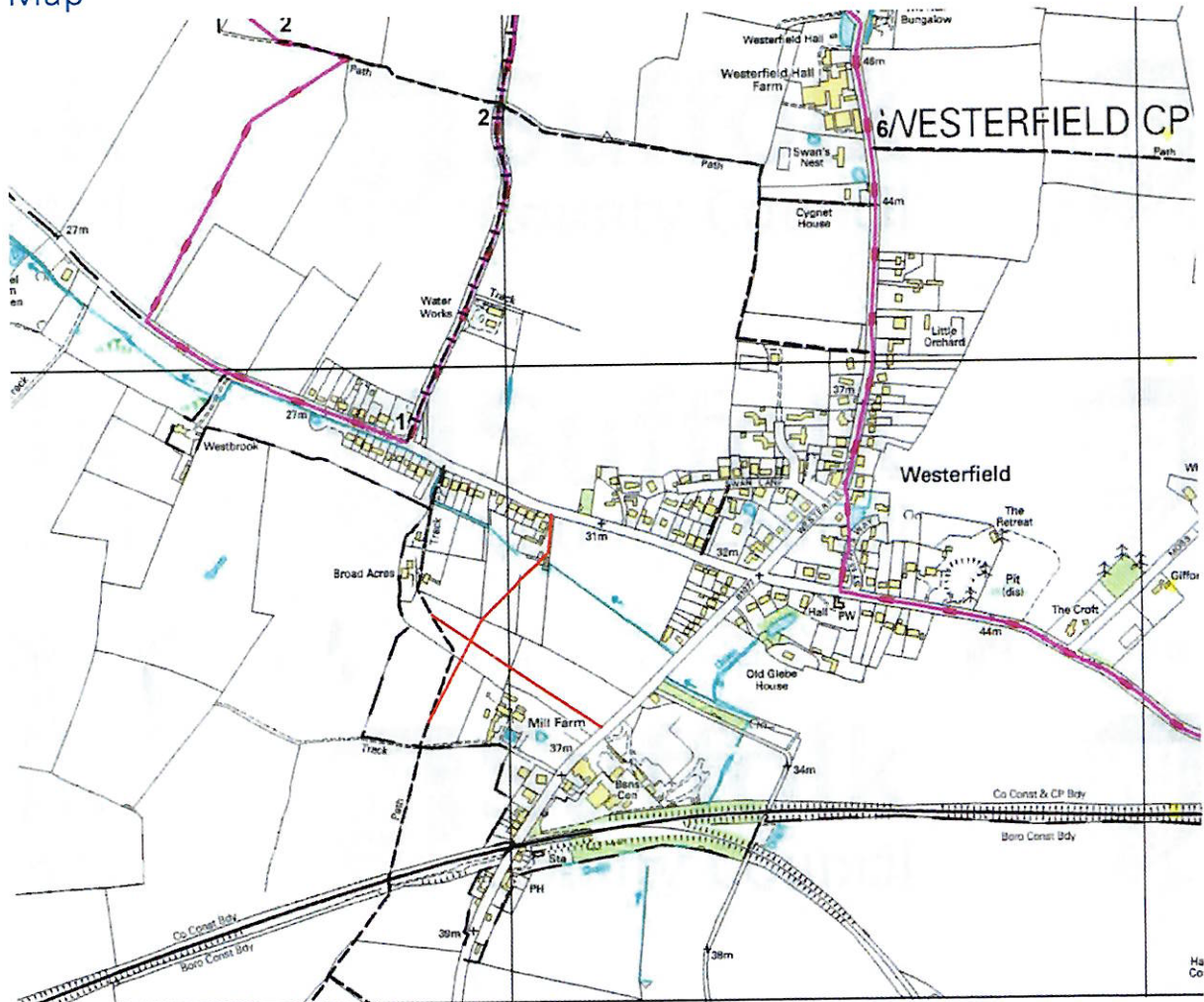
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Westerfield Footpath Proposal, August 2024

By Rafe Roughton, 11th August 2024

This footpath is currently under threat of being blocked by a business park development. As such, this proposal should be investigated with the highest priority to ensure development can proceed with adequate allowances for this path. The route was set out in 1808 however it appears to have been lost at some point over the proceeding 200yrs. As a result, it does not show up on OS maps. Nonetheless, the legal ground for the route is solid and this proposal will seek to show this. The route connects with a well-used path leading to Ipswich (known as The Fonnereau Way). It will provide greater accessibility to the centre of Westerfield and promote active travel into Ipswich.

Map



The proposed footpath is coloured in red.