



**APPLICATION FOR A MODIFICATION TO THE DEFINITIVE MAP AND STATEMENT
Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981**

SOMERSET COUNTY COUNCIL
ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

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To: Somerset County Council
Rights of Way Definitive Map Team
County Hall (B2W)
Taunton
Somerset, TA1 4DY

Part 1 We Porlock Parish Council
of The Parish Room, The Old School Centre, Porlock
TA24 8NP

Part 2 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:-

- (a) **Deleting** the footpath/bridleway/restricted byway/byway open to all traffic* which runs

from:

to:

- (b) **Adding** the footpath/bridleway/restricted byway/byway open to all traffic* which runs

from: :

to: :

- (c) **Upgrading/downgrading** to a footpath/bridleway/restricted byway/byway open to all traffic* the footpath/bridleway/restricted byway/byway open to all traffic* which runs WL19/39

from: The Toll Road, Porlock, above Court Place Farm

to: its junction with bridleways at West Porlock

- (d) **Varying/adding** to the particulars relating to the footpath/bridleway/restricted byway/byway open to all traffic* which runs

from: :

to: :

by providing that

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Part 3 as shown on the map accompanying this application. — as attached

Part 4 I/We attach copies of the following documentary evidence [including statements of witnesses] in support of this application:-

List of Documents:

21 User Evidence Forms — list of names as attached

A summary of historic use of WL19/39 — an overview by the Parish Council.

Doc.1 A letter written in 1957 by the Hon. Sec. of the Ramblers Assoc. at the time when the Definitive map was being produced ~~that~~ which seems to indicate that the path was in the sole ownership of the Porlock Manor Estate.

Doc.2 Minutes of a meeting to discuss the inclusion of the path on the map indicating Porlock Manor Estate as the owner

Doc.3 A letter to Porlock PC from Mark Blackway, owner of Porlock Manor Estate confirming freedom of use by the community for riding & cycling for many years.

Doc.4 A letter from Mrs. Lamacraft confirming use of the track by Porlock Vale Riding School since the 1950's.

Part 5 Signed:



Date: 4th. September 2017

* Delete as appropriate

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Doc.5 A letter from Mrs. Prideaux stating the temporary bylawway is to bypass Woodcott is unsuitable for children

Doc.6 A letter from Alison Kent, British Horse Soc. Access Officer & Chairman of West Somerset & Exmoor Bridleways Assoc. supporting an upgrade to bridleway.

Doc.7 A user evidence form completed by Mr. McCoy confirming that the previous owner of Woodcott had no objection to horses going past her house.

