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Your Ref:

Dear Sirs

Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981

Definitive Map and Statement Modification Order

Dorset Council (Part of Bridleway 33, Stourton Caundle) Definitive Map and Statement Modification Order 2023 (“the Order”)

This is Dorset Council’s (“the Council”) submission letter in relation to the Order.

The Council is supporting the Order and consider that the Order can be best dealt with through the written representation procedure. However, if the Inspector decides that an alternative procedure be followed then the Council confirm that it will still support the Order.

Please find enclosed:

DOCUMENT	Doc. Ref.
Two copies of the order and associated maps.	1
Extract from the definitive map and statement.	2
Statement of case	3
Representations and objections to the order (including supporters), along with a covering list of their names.	4
Statement containing the County Council’s comments on the objections.	5
Copy of the notice publicising the order together with a copy of newspaper cutting(s).	6
Certificate that, in accordance with the requirements of the Act, notices have been published, served and posted on site and at the local offices.	7
Certificate that the necessary consultations have been carried out (other local authorities and statutory undertakers).	8

Copies of any consultation replies and the responses by the OMA.	9
Name and address of every person notified under paragraph 3(2)(b)(i), (ii) and (iv) of Schedule 15 to the 1981 Act.	10
Location map to enable the Inspector to locate the site.	11
Landowners Written Permission <i>** to follow once received **</i>	12
Health and Safety Questionnaire	13

Due to current delays, a year planner showing availability for a public inquiry is not enclosed but can be provided if the Inspectorate considers that a public inquiry is required.

The land is owned by:

- Mr Michael Young of 5 Hazel Grove, Locks Heath, Southampton, SO31 6SH; and
- Mr Anthony Young of Little Orchard, East Mill Lane, Sherborne, Dorset DT9 3PD

There is no applicant in relation to this order as Dorset Council made the order following reports from the public that their use of the route was being challenged.

I hereby undertake that, if confirmed, notice will be duly published and served; or if not confirmed notice will be duly served.

Documents relating to the order will be made available for public inspection online at <https://www.dorsetforyou.gov.uk/countryside-coast-parks/rights-of-way/definitive-map-and-statement/current-definitive-map-modification-orders-and-public-path-orders.aspx>

A paper copy will also be available at the offices of Dorset Council, County Hall, Colliton Park, Dorchester, Dorset DT1 1XJ during normal office hours.

The original sealed orders will be sent to you via post and you should receive it in due course.

Yours sincerely

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