

NOTICE OF PUBLIC LOCAL INQUIRY

Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981

Notice is hereby given that an Inspector will be appointed by the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs to determine

Kirklees Metropolitan Council
(Holmfirth 60 – Wolfstones Road to Brown Hill, Netherthong) Definitive Map
Modification Order 2021

and will attend at:

The Media Centre, 7 Northumberland St, Huddersfield HD1 1RL
On 4 August 2026 at 10.00am

To hold a public local inquiry into the Order

This will replace the previously scheduled Inquiry for 1st July which was cancelled due to Inspector availability

Following a change of inspector, a new inquiry will be held in relation to the same order. Owing to inspector availability, the timetable will be shorter than usual.

The effect of the Order, if confirmed without modifications, will be to modify the definitive map and statement for the area by varying the particulars relating to the footpath Holmfirth 60 as follows:

The section of footpath Holmfirth 60 shown on the Order Plan between points A – E commencing at its junction with Wolfstones Road at grid reference SE 1269 0911 and then continuing in an easterly direction to Brown Hill at grid reference SE 1296 0911 is to have its recorded width changed from approximately 1.2 metres / 4 feet to a width of between 3 and 4 metres within the area hatched in blue on the Order Plan. References to stiles at points B and C on the Order Plan and a wicket gate at point D on the Order Plan are to be removed, and reference to a 1.2 metre gap alongside a gate at point B on the Order Plan are to be added.

Any person wishing to view the statements of case and other documents relating to this Order may do so by appointment at Kirklees Council Customer Service Centre, Civic Centre 3, High Street, Huddersfield HD1 2TG or <https://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/countryside-parks-and-open-spaces/changes-to-definitive-map.aspx> Please contact Harry Garland on harry.garland@kirklees.gov.uk or 01484 221000.

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