

**DONCASTER PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY FORUM****DRAFT MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON THURSDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2024****PRESENT**

John Harker	Peak and Northern Footpaths Society
Francis Jackson	Askern Town Council
Denise Malyan	Wadworth Parish Council
Gary Warrender	Auckley Parish Council
John Waite	Fishlake Parish Council
Anthony Gibbins	Branton Parish Council
Carl Thompson	Public Rights of Way Officer Doncaster Council ( <b>CT</b> )
Lisa Godley	Public Rights of Way Officer Doncaster Council ( <b>LG</b> )
Julie Guest	Public Rights of Way Senior Officer Doncaster Council ( <b>JG</b> )

1	<b>WELCOME, INTRODUCTIONS &amp; ELECTION OF CHAIR</b>	
1.1	Attendees of the meeting introduced themselves.	
2	<b>APOLOGIES</b>	
2.1	David Gadd Doncaster Ramblers Terry Chandler Rossington Environmental Assoc Blaxton Parish Council Hatfield Town Council Bawtry Town Council	
3	<b>AGREEMENT ON ANY OTHER BUSINESS</b>	
3.1	Wadworth	
3.2	Mere Lane, Edenthorpe	
3.3	Branton/ Auckley FP 3.	
4	<b>DEFINITIVE MAP UPDATE</b>	
4.1	Report presented	

5	<b>TRANS PENNINE TRAIL</b>	
5.1	Report presented, on behalf of Andy Carnell.	
6	<b>MAINTENANCE</b>	
6.1	The forum was presented with a report from Stuart Horrocks, detailing various works that had been completed across the borough.	
6.2	The Public Rights of Way have completed a successful 4 year capital bid to fund improvements to the network. This current year we have funding to replace 5 bridges and improve 3 sets of steps	
7	<b>.Major Planning Applications</b>	
7.1	None	
8.0	Any Other Business	
8.1	Wadworth Footpath No:1 Denise Malyan Wadworth PC, advised that the agents of new landowners of Wadworth Wood have agreed to permissive paths. PROW team unaware, JG to speak to SH to investigate.	<b>JG</b>
8.2	Gate, Mere Lane. Frank Tyas advised that no planning permission is required, but would need to liase with the PROW team.	
8.3	Auckley FP3. Flooding issues around railway.	
8.4	Armthorpe FP 2 – sign rotted.	
9.0	<u>Date of Next Meeting</u> <u>16th October 2024, Civic Offices. 10:30am</u>	