

FOR THE ATTENTION OF ALL PUBLIC FOOTPATH USERS

Bath and North East Somerset Council are proposing to change the Public Rights of Way network at **Barrow Vale, Farmborough**. The general effect of the proposal is shown on the attached plan.

1. Public Footpath (FP) CL9/36 commencing from grid reference ST 6448 6014 continuing in a generally easterly direction for approximately 428 metres (points A-B-C-D on the plan) would be stopped up, as shown on the plan by a continuous red line. The new line of the FP would follow points A-G-H-J-D for approximately 470 metres, as shown on the plan by a continuous green line.
2. FP CL9/40 commencing from grid reference ST 6486 6014 continuing in a generally northerly direction for approximately 470 metres (points E-C-F) would be stopped up, as shown on the plan by a continuous red line. The new line of the FP would follow points K-J-L for approximately 537 metres, as shown on the plan by a continuous green line.

The changes would be achieved by way of a diversion order made under section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 ('the Act'). These changes are proposed in the interests of the landowner in order to route the FPs away from farm buildings vital to the farm business and away from the farmhouse and onto routes which will be clearer and more pleasant to follow over an established track and open farmland. It is intended to authorise gates at field boundaries under section 147 of the Act to prevent the ingress and egress of livestock.

If you have any comments regarding the above proposals, please send them to wendy_robbs@bathnes.gov.uk or **Public Rights of Way, Lewis House, Manvers Street, Bath, BA1 1JG** no later than **6th August 2020**. If you wish to discuss the proposals please telephone 01225 394161.

