

Report To:	Warwickshire, Solihull and Coventry Local Access Forum
Report Title:	Warwickshire County Council Rights of Way update
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2. Purpose of Report

This report is to provide an update to the LAF on WCC Rights of Way

3. Maintenance Work

The better weather has allowed the land to dry out. This has meant that some of the practical work scheduled for earlier in the year has been able to be done. There are some projects which are still waiting landowner permission to access the land.

4. Volunteer Work

Since the last meeting a total of 931 volunteer hours have been done. The volunteer groups are spread across the county with some requiring officer attendance on their working days and others preferring to work independently, with guidance as to the work needed being given by officers. The work undertaken has included signpost installation, hand rail installation, vegetation clearance, constructing steps and bridge repairs.

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Figure 1 - Solihull Volunteer Ramblers



Figure 2 - Stratford Volunteer Ramblers



Figure 3 - Coventry Ramblers

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Figure 4 - Coventry Ramblers



Figure 5 - Coventry Ramblers

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Figure 6 - Coventry Ramblers

5. Planning Applications

Planning applications continue to be received and responded to at a consistent rate.

6. Legal Work

Work continues with DMMOs and PPOs. Work continues with advising on planning authorities on proposed diversions where routes are affected by development.

7. Training

Team members have attended relevant training courses and online seminars. This has included "Enforcement from First Report to Conclusion" and Cattle Safety.