

Planning & Transport Department,
PO Box 43, Shire Hall, Warwick, CV34 4SX.

Application for Modification Order to ADD a Route to the Map

Full Name Ramblers Association, Warwickshire Area
c/o S. G. Wallsgrove, 26 Priory Road
Warwick

Postcode CV34 4NA

Date of Birth

Area Footpath Secretary (honorary)

I hereby apply to the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 modifying
the Definitive Map and Schedule for the County of Warwick by Adding the following route as a

Public Footpath / Public Bridleway / Byway Open To All Traffic *
as shown on the attached map.

*delete as appropriate

Please ensure that the route starts (from a point on a road or path), the line it
follows and the finish point are clearly marked on a 2500 scale Ordnance Survey Map and mark
the width and surface type of the route.

Please provide references to the start and finish of the route.

Grid References

Start SP405658

Finish SP406 1/2 688

From the east end of W117 east to the public road in Marton village,
following the shared, tarmac surface, driveway from Hockley House/
Barratts Cottage. No obstructions, fences, gates or stiles across the
route.

Signed

Date 20/1/98

Claim no. 2462
APP M 2158

Making your Application

Note on this application form all the documents you are using as evidence (and attach copies if possible) , plus any photographs.

Please ask anyone who wishes to give evidence that they have used the route, to fill in a "Witness Statement" Form G. Collect the completed forms and return them with your application.

Before returning your application form you must send to each owner/occupier/tenant of the land crossed by your claim:

- A Notice of Application for Modification order, **(Form A)**

Your completed application form, should then be returned to the County Council with:

- an Ordnance Survey plan of the route
- a certificate of Notice of Application for Modification Order, **(Form B)** listing the owners/occupiers to whom you sent a copy of **(Form A)**.
- Evidence – documents, photographs, "Witness Statement" forms **(Form G)**

You may find it helpful to keep a copy of all the information you send to the County Council.

Send your application to:

Warwickshire County Council
Planning & Transport Department,
PO Box 43, Shire Hall, Warwick, CV34 4SX.

Telephone (0926) 410410 ext. 2889

Evidence in support of your claim

Documents number attached (pages)

Please attach a copy of any documents or maps you are using as evidence and give the full name and address of the Library, Record Office, University or person who has the original document together with the document reference number and title.

Photographs number attached

These should be securely mounted on card, stout paper or in plastic wallets, the same size as this form (A4). Each photograph should be clearly numbered and labelled with the date and place it was taken. Please show the location of the photographs on a plan.

~~Witness Forms number attached~~

Please list on this form the name and address of each person who has completed a "Witness Statement" in support of your application numbering each one. Also put the same number on the top right hand corner of each "Witness Statement" form.

Briefly, why do you believe this route is a) public b) of the wrong status)

The route is a gap at the end of W147, which would otherwise be a cul-de-sac, was considered to be public under the 1932 Act, was included in the claim by Eathorpe Parish Council in the 1950's, and has always been used as a public right of way.

List your detailed evidence/references below - and list of witnesses

- 1) The whole route has existed since the early 19th Century - see estate map at CR200/1 and all Ordnance Survey maps since.
- 2) The plan submitted in 1936, under the 1932 Act (as part of a comprehensive survey of the County), shows the whole route as being a public highway.
- 3) The original 1950's claim by the Eathorpe Parish Council showed the whole route coloured (including the part in Merton) and described it as going 'to the parish boundary and road'.
- 4) The route has a 1970's style finger post at the village road in Merton, together with 2 sets of more recent way marks.
- 5) Letters/statements of use by
 - (a) S. G. Wallsgrove
 - (b) B. Keates + extracts from walks booklets/newspapers
 - (c) N. E. K. Wilson

