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Your Ref:
Our Ref: FPS/P3800/4/54
Date: 19 May 2014

Dear Madam

HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 SECTION 119
West Sussex County Council
(Fulking) Public Path (No. 4f Part) Diversion Order 2013

Please note that the Council has already consulted/notified you about the making of the above mentioned Order(s). This letter is for your information only. If you are a statutory undertaker, any concerns about your apparatus should be addressed to the Council directly.

I refer to the above mentioned Order which has been submitted to the Secretary of State for confirmation.

Neither the Order Making Authority, objectors/representors nor the applicant has asked to be heard by an Inspector appointed by the Secretary of State. The consideration of this Order will therefore take the form of an exchange of statements of case and comments on statements of case as well as a site visit by the Inspector.

By agreeing to this procedure, all parties will be expected to abide by the Inspectorate's procedure for written representations, which can be found at Annex B of our booklet *Guidance on procedures for considering objections to Definitive Map and Public Path Orders in England*. The procedure, which is also summarised in section 2 of the booklet, sets out the timetable for the submission of statements of case. Your attention is also drawn to section 6 of the booklet which identifies the various matters to be considered by the Secretary of State or Inspector in deciding whether or not to confirm an order. This booklet can be found on our website at www.planningportal.gov.uk/countryside. Hard copies are also available on request.

The enclosed notice, which will appear on our website, contains information about the Order, where queries about the Order should be directed, when and where documents relating to the Order can be inspected and the **timetable for sending statements of case and comments**. Please ensure you read the notice carefully.

Notified parties only (not prescribed organisations) – unless you inform us that you have an

interest in this Order, we will not contact you again. In due course the Inspector's decision will be available to view/download at

<http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/planning/countryside/rightsofway/onlinerow/onlinerow>.

Yours faithfully

Clive Richards

(Rights of Way Section)

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NOTICE OF ORDER HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 SECTION 119

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(Fulking) Public Path (No. 4f Part) Diversion Order 2013

Notice is hereby given that the above referenced Order has been submitted to the Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs for determination. An Inspector will be appointed by the Secretary of State to determine the Order.

The **start date** for the above Order is **20 May 2014**.

Consideration of the Order will take the form of exchanges of statements of case and comments on statements of case.

The effect of the Order, if confirmed without modifications will be to divert part of public path No. 4f in the Parish of Fulking commencing at point A, approximately 210 metres north of Perching Sands House (grid ref 24021287) southwards for approximately 270 metres to the west of Perching Sands House then eastwards for approximately 20 metres (grid ref 24081260) then southwards for approximately 185 metres to Point D (grid ref 24191245), on to a new route from the northern end of the path to be stopped up at Point A eastwards, with a width of 2 metres, for approximately 220 metres on a southern headland, then crossing a ditch and continuing southwards at Point B (grid ref 24261288) with a width of 2.5 metres for approximately 200 metres on an eastern headland, crossing a ditch then south westwards at Point C (grid ref 24281268) with a width of 2 metres for approximately 250 metres across grazing land to join the southern end of the path to be stopped up at the aforementioned Point D

Any queries relating to this Order should be referred to Clive Richards at The Planning Inspectorate, Rights of Way Section, Room 3/25 Hawk Wing, Temple Quay House, 2 The Square, Temple Quay, Bristol, BS1 6PN. Telephone: 0303 444 5502. Email: clive.richards@pins.gsi.gov.uk. Please quote reference number FPS/P3800/4/54 on all correspondence.

Any person wishing to view the statements of case and other documents relating to this Order may do so by appointment at the offices of Legal Services, West Sussex County Council, County Hall, West Street, Chichester, West Sussex PO19 1RQ during normal office hours. Contact Miss Ami Sweeney, tel: 0330 2222687.

Timetable for sending in statements of case and comments

Within 2 weeks of the start date [by 03 June 2014]

The Order Making Authority must ensure their statement of case is received by the Secretary of State. As soon as possible after the deadline, the Secretary of State will send a copy (excluding copies of any supporting

documents, although these will be available to view at the Authority's offices) to everyone who has made an objection or representation, the applicant and any other person who has made a written representation.

Within 8 weeks of the start date [by 15 July 2014]

Everyone who has made an objection or representation or any other written representation must ensure their statement of case is received by the Secretary of State. As soon as possible after the deadline, the Secretary of State will send copies (excluding copies of any supporting documents, although these will be available to view at the Authority's offices) to the Authority, the applicant, every other person who has made an objection or representation and any other person who has made a written representation.

Within the same period the applicant (if applicable) must ensure their statement of case is received by the Secretary of State. As soon as possible after the deadline, Secretary of State will send a copy (excluding copies of any supporting documents, although these will be available to view at the Authority's offices) to the Authority, everyone who has made an objection or representation and any other person who has made a written representation.

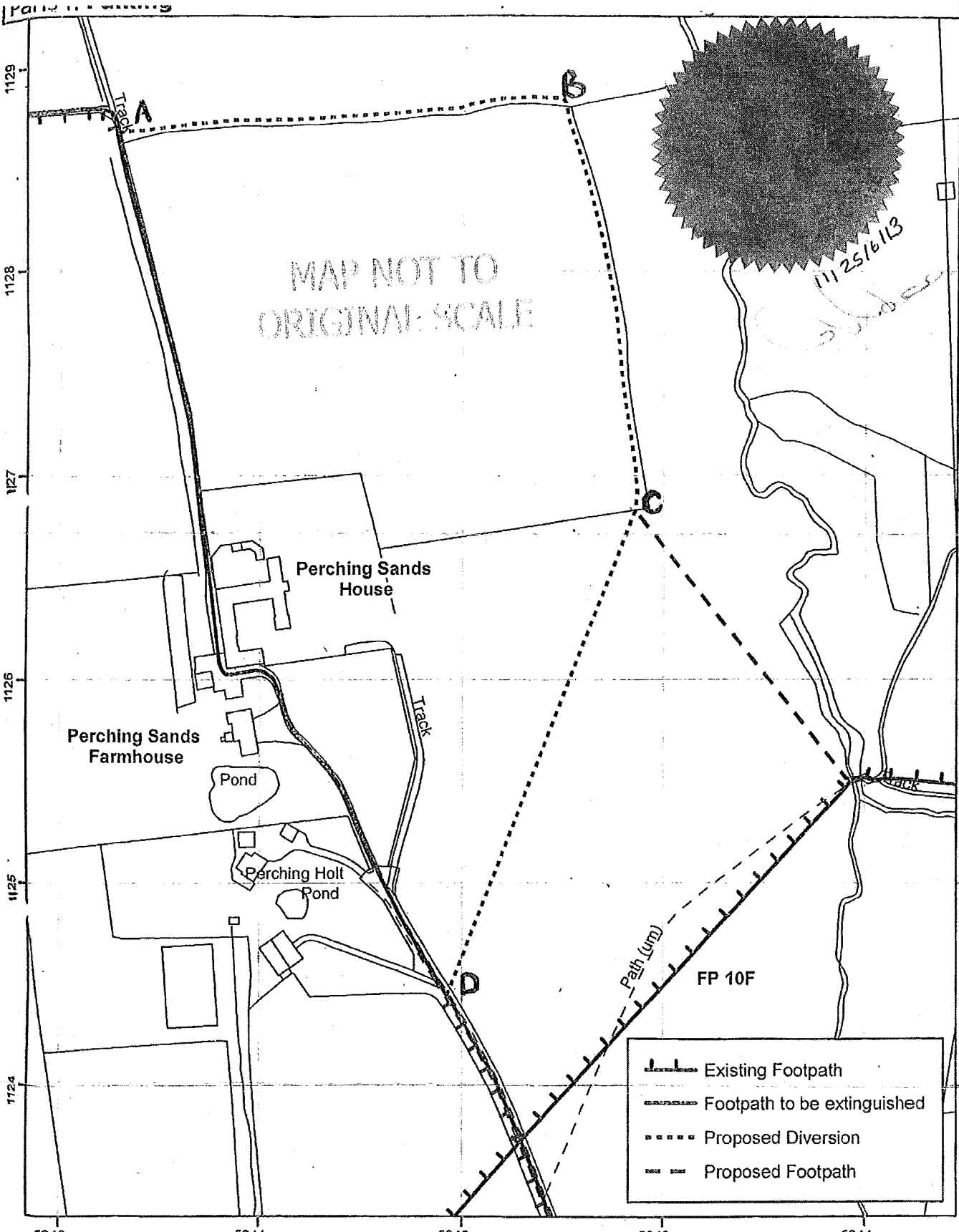
Within 14 weeks of the start date [by 26 August 2014]

Everyone who has made an objection or representation, the Authority, the applicant (if applicable) and anyone who has made a written representation must ensure that their comments on any or every other statement of case is received by the Secretary of State. As soon as possible after the deadline, the Secretary of State will send copies of these comments to everyone else.

Any other person wishing to make representations in writing to the Secretary of State in respect of the above Order(s) must do so in line with the timetable set out above.

In fairness to the other parties everyone should keep to the timetable to ensure that statements of case and comments are received on time.

Notice of order for w/r



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Fulking: Footpath 4F Diversion Proposal and Creation of Footpath - Site Plan

Plan: 01579P 1:2,500
Date: 10.10.2012

OS Sheet: TQ 21 SW
Grid Ref: 5242 1125



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Tony Toynton
Director for Communities & Infrastructure

