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Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981

Isle of Wight Council Register of Definitive Map Modification Order Applications

(register of applications determined after 29th February 2000 being the relevant date of the current Isle of Wight Definitive Map 2000)

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Date of Application	Approximate Location (including grid reference & path number if applicable)	Application Type (effect upon the Definitive Map if successful)	IWC Decision (Decision & date or NA)	SoS Appeal (Decision & date or NA)	Order (confirmed date or NA)
21/10/1997	Public Footpath V129: Old railway line, St Lawrence. SZ 54291 77070	To add a Public Footpath	To make an order 25/08/1999	Dismissed 18/07/2002	18/07/2002
N/A (Council Investigation 1999/2000)	Public Bridleway V34a: Cooks Castle Farm, Wroxall, Ventnor. SZ 55559 80408	To add a Public Bridleway	To make an order 13/03/2003	Not applicable	29/08/2003
08/03/2001	Public Footpath SS38a: Mortonbrook, Sandown. SZ 59607 85307	To add a Public Footpath	To make an order 16/07/2004	Not applicable	11/11/2004
09/07/2001	Bembridge Point, Bembridge. SZ 64261 88776	To add a Public Footpaths	Application rejected 20/08/2004	Not applicable	Not Applicable
16/09/2002	Public Footpaths F74 & F75: Afton Marsh, Freshwater. SZ 34379 86579	To add a Public Footpaths	To make an order 15/10/2004	Not applicable	13/01/2005
16/04/2004	London Heath to Three Gates Farm, Calbourne. SZ 43692 89951	To add a Public Footpath	Application rejected 09/06/2006	Not applicable	Not Applicable
02/10/2004	Halberry Lane to Gordon Rd, Newport. SZ 50657 89817	To add a Public Footpath	Not Applicable - Application withdrawn	Not applicable	Not Applicable

19/05/2005	Public Footpaths NC51: Alverstone, Newchurch. SZ 57425 85628	To add a Public Footpath	To make an order 30/10/2006	Not applicable	31/05/2007
03/10/2006	Buckland Gardens to Western Beach, Ryde. SZ 58355 92912	To add a Public Footpath	Application rejected 19/05/2008	Not applicable	Not applicable
28/02/2008	Sea Wall at Seagrove Bay, Seaview, Ryde. SZ 63162 91015	To add a Public Footpath	To make an Order 18/05/2010	Allowed 23/08/2011	Not Applicable
11/02/2009	Public Bridleway V34a: Cooks Castle Farm, Wroxall, Ventnor. SZ 55559 80408	To delete a Public Bridleway	Application rejected 27/08/2010	Dismissed 08/07/2011	Not Applicable
28/05/2009	Gurnard Heights, Gurnard, Cowes. SZ 47925 96014	To add a Public Footpath	N.A. Application withdrawn (landowner effected common law dedication of claimed path, path named as CS5A)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
07/12/2009	Public Footpath NT46: Sea Wall, Castlehaven, Niton. SZ 50466 75429	To delete part of Public Footpath	Application rejected 11/04/2011	Dismissed 10/02/2012	Not Applicable
11/04/2011	Public Footpath V130 Paradise Wood, St. Lawrence. SZ 54244 77102	To add Public Footpaths	Application withdrawn (landowner effected common law dedication of agreed paths)	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
14/12/2012	Sea Wall at Seagrove Bay, Seaview, Ryde. SZ 63162 91015	To add a Public Footpath	Application rejected Refer to Appeals Sub Committee minutes & agenda papers 1/9/2015	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
05/07/2013	Path at Beach Hut Café, Forelands, Bembridge SZ 65463 87271	To add a Public Footpath	Application rejected Refer to Appeals Sub Committee minutes & agenda papers 22/11/2016	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

29/10/2013	Public Footpath NT46: Sea Wall, Castlehaven, Niton. SZ 50466 75429	To delete part of Public Footpath	Application rejected Refer to Appeals Sub Committee minutes & agenda papers 07/03/18	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
13/05/2016	Path between Brooks / Wavesound Close and Foreland Farm Lane, Bembridge	To add a Public Footpath	Application withdrawn 07/08/18 (a public path creation order has been made to add this to the definitive map. Footpath numbered BB45	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
27/01/2016	Old Railway Line, Embankment Road, Bembridge	To add a Public Right of Way	Application withdrawn. Path dedicated by Creation Agreement 27/03/24. Added to the definitive map. Bridleway numbered BB46 Footpath numbered BB47	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
03/03/2017	Path between Pondwell (Wishing Well pub) and Pond Lane / Salterns Road, Seaview	To add a Public Right of Way	(N.A. To be determined)		
22/11/2017	Path from Yarmouth High Street to shore (known as Friars Lane) SZ 35724 89792	To add a Public Footpath	To make an order. Refer to Appeals Sub Committee 30/11/21 Footpath is named Y20	Not Applicable	27/01/22
22/05/19	Path from Worsley Road, Gurnard to the shore (via Spencer Woods)	To add a Public Footpath	(N.A. To be determined)		

06/02/20	Path from Public Bridleway G6 at Garn Lane, Chillerton into open access land at Chillerton Down	To add a Public Footpath	Application withdrawn. Path dedicated by Creation Agreement 14/01/25. Added to the definitive map. Footpath numbered G6a	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
20/08/20	Upper & Lower Woodside Roads, Wootton	To add a Public Right of Way	(N.A. to be determined)		
26/05/21	Ashey Waterworks Road / Public Footpath R104	To add a Public Bridleway	(N.A. to be determined)		
27/05/21	Path between Tennyson Road and Avenue Road, Freshwater	To add a Public Footpath	Application withdrawn 07/11/23 (a public footpath creation order has been made to add this to the definitive map. Footpath is numbered F76	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
07/11/22	Wacklands Lane to Cycle Track	To add a bridleway	(N.A. to be determined)		
16/03/23	Priory Bay paths to link between existing rights of way R89 and R84	To add Footpaths	(N.A. to be determined)		

18/12/23	To add a bridleway at The Hermitage, Whitwell	To add a Bridleway	(N.A. to be determined)		
20/03/25	To add a Footpath at Fort Victoria	To add a Footpath	(N.A. to be determined)		