

PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY EVIDENCE FORM
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Personal Details

Name:

Address:

Post Code:

Telephone No:

Date of Birth:

Email Address:

Occupation: *(if retired, give former occupation)*

Identification of the Alleged Route

Description of the Route *(Mark route on map)*

Along riverside then in front of old office
block - highlighted yellow

Start Grid Reference: NZ35965 67478

End Grid Reference: NZ35933 67745

Name of Route *(if named)*: King Charles III England Coast Path - Section SBA-1-S031

Believed Status of the Route Existing Footpath (National Trail & Recreational Path - OS Map 316)
(Footpath, Bridleway, Restricted Byway or Byway Open to All Traffic)

Has the route always run on the same route? *(If not provide details)*

Definitely where highlighted in blue

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Your Use of the Alleged Route

When did you first use the route?

? approx + 18 years

To present
but directed
route

When did you last use the route?

? approx 2020/21 - going to the front

Was there a period between those dates that you did not use the route (If yes, when & why?)

Over last few years been unable to continue along

How did you use the route? (e.g. foot, horse, cycle, carriage, motor vehicle)

river - have to go
through housing
estate

foot

How often did you use the route?

? monthly / every other month

If you have stopped using the route, why did you stop?

Still use route but have to now go through housing
estate as blocked.

The Nature of Your Use

What was the purpose of your journeys?

When children were born
we'd walk along, then as grew older. Use it
still now as circular walk from Westoe to Ferry
along route to Littleharen then back back
to Westoe. Also used to walk prior to kids
(pre 2005).

Did you see other people using the route?

Many.

Did other people see you using the route?

Would say yes but not
who - cyclists, people from Ferry, people out walking

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Did you encounter or have to remove any obstructions when using the route? (e.g. fences, locked gates etc.) (If yes give details)

Not until locked gates & fences put up when started process of changing to flats.

Did you ever ask for permission to use the route? (If yes give details) NO

Were you ever given permission to use the route? (If yes give details) Wasn't required prior to locks/fences

Have you ever owned/occupied land crossed by the route? NO

Have you ever worked for the owner/occupier of the land? NO

If yes, were you ever given any instructions regarding the route? (If yes give details)

N/A

Additional Information

Were there any stiles, gates or bridges along the route? (If yes, show locations on map)

? no until locks/fences erected

Were there any signs along the route? (If yes, give details & show locations on map)

Yes but → Can't recall when

England Coastal Path Signs, which have now been changed without any permission.

Were you ever stopped, prevented, or turned back from using the route? (If yes, give details)

NO

Any other information you consider relevant

Can't remember exact dates that we were prevented from using route - just that we walked that route then one day locked & fences erected and we then detoured round housing estate instead.

I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the facts that I have stated are true

Signature: 

Date: 31-10-2024

Signature of person taking statement: (If applicable)

Print Name: 

Note:

1. You may be interviewed by the investigating Authority to confirm the content of this form
2. You may also be asked to attend a public inquiry to give evidence
3. The information contained within this form will be in the public domain and may be disclosed to other parties with an interest in this case. By completing this form, you are confirming you consent for such disclosure. This includes the personal details given.
4. If your recollections of dates and other details are approximate or to the best of your recollection please say so.



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Plan 1



South Tyneside Council

Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981

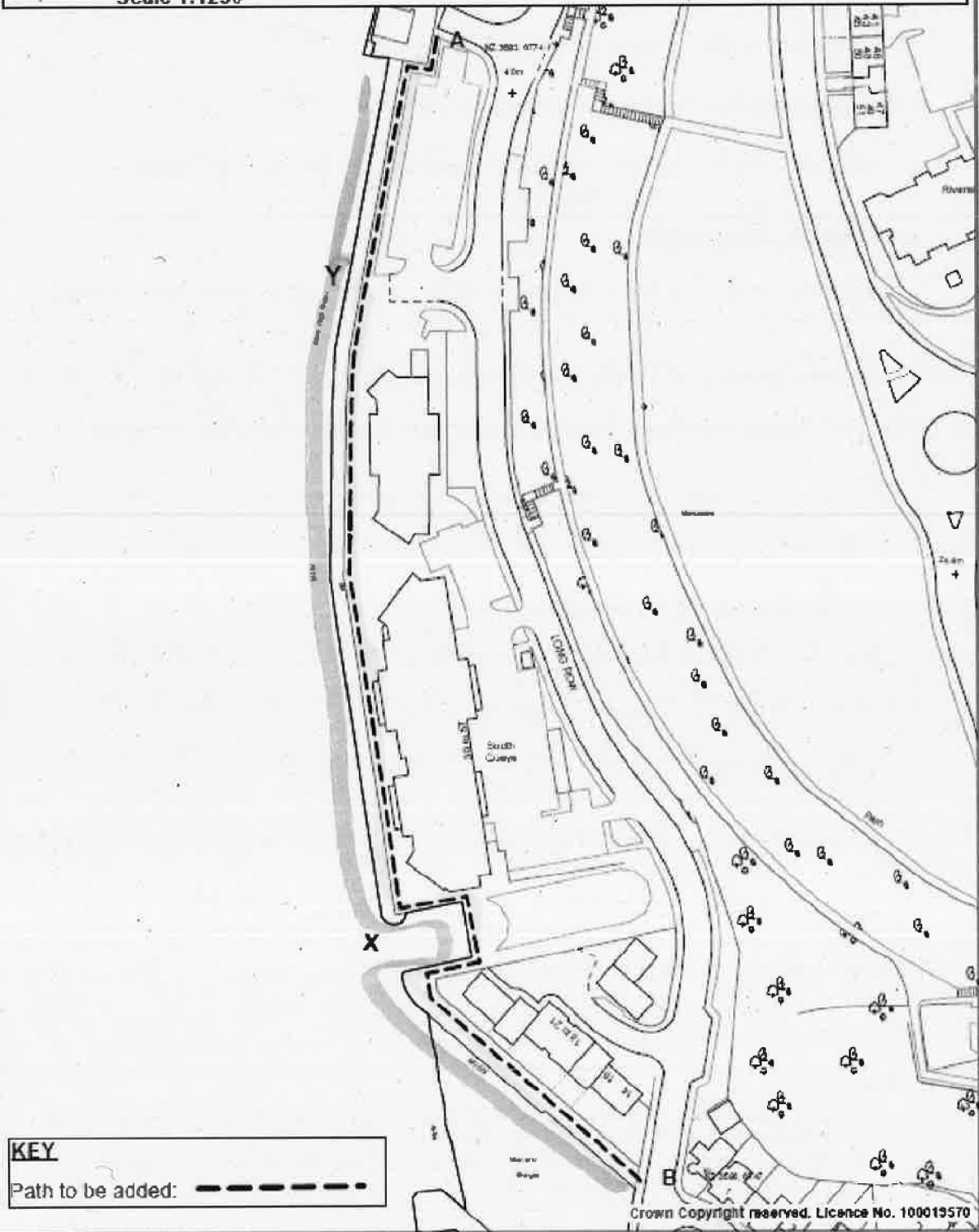
Definitive Map Modification Order Application

S21 - Long Row

Scale 1:1250



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Appendix 1

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