

NE15 / L57

**PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY EVIDENCE FORM**  
**BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM, PLEASE SEE THE NOTES AT THE END**

**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)

ROUTE CUSTOMS HOUSE TO WAPPING STREET 1985 approx till 2000  
THEN CAPTAINSWHARF TO CUSTOMS HOUSE, THEN BACK ALONG TO  
WAPPING STREET AND FURTHER.

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)

YES till ~~RECENT~~ RECENT CHANGES/DEVELOPMENT

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**Your Use of the Alleged Route**

When did you first use the route? 1985

When did you last use the route? 2024 LIMITED BY RECENT FENCING + GATES

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

NO

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

FOOT AND CYCLE

How often did you use the route?

MONTHLY → WEEKLY

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

**The Nature of Your Use**

What was the purpose of your journeys? WALKING OR CYCLING, TAKING IN VIEWS

WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS, WATCHED TRANSPORT OF <sup>MILLENNIUM</sup> ~~MILLENNIUM~~ BRIDGE

DOWN TYNE, + VARIOUS SHIPS VISITING, ALSO TALL SHIPS RACE IN

1985 AND 2005

Did you see other people using the route? YES

Did other people see you using the route? YES

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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)

LOCKED GATES + FENCES NOT EASILY MOVEABLE

Did you ever ask for permission to use the route? (If yes give details) NO, BUT A LIGHTING WAS IN PLACE TO FACILITATE PUBLIC USE

Were you ever given permission to use the route? (If yes give details) NO, BUT STREET LIGHTING INDICATED PUBLIC USE ORIGINAL CALL CENTRE DESIGNED FOR ACCESS BY PUBLIC

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

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

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, ONLY RECENTLY BY GATES + FENCES

Any other information you consider relevant

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

Signature

Date:

11/11/2024

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

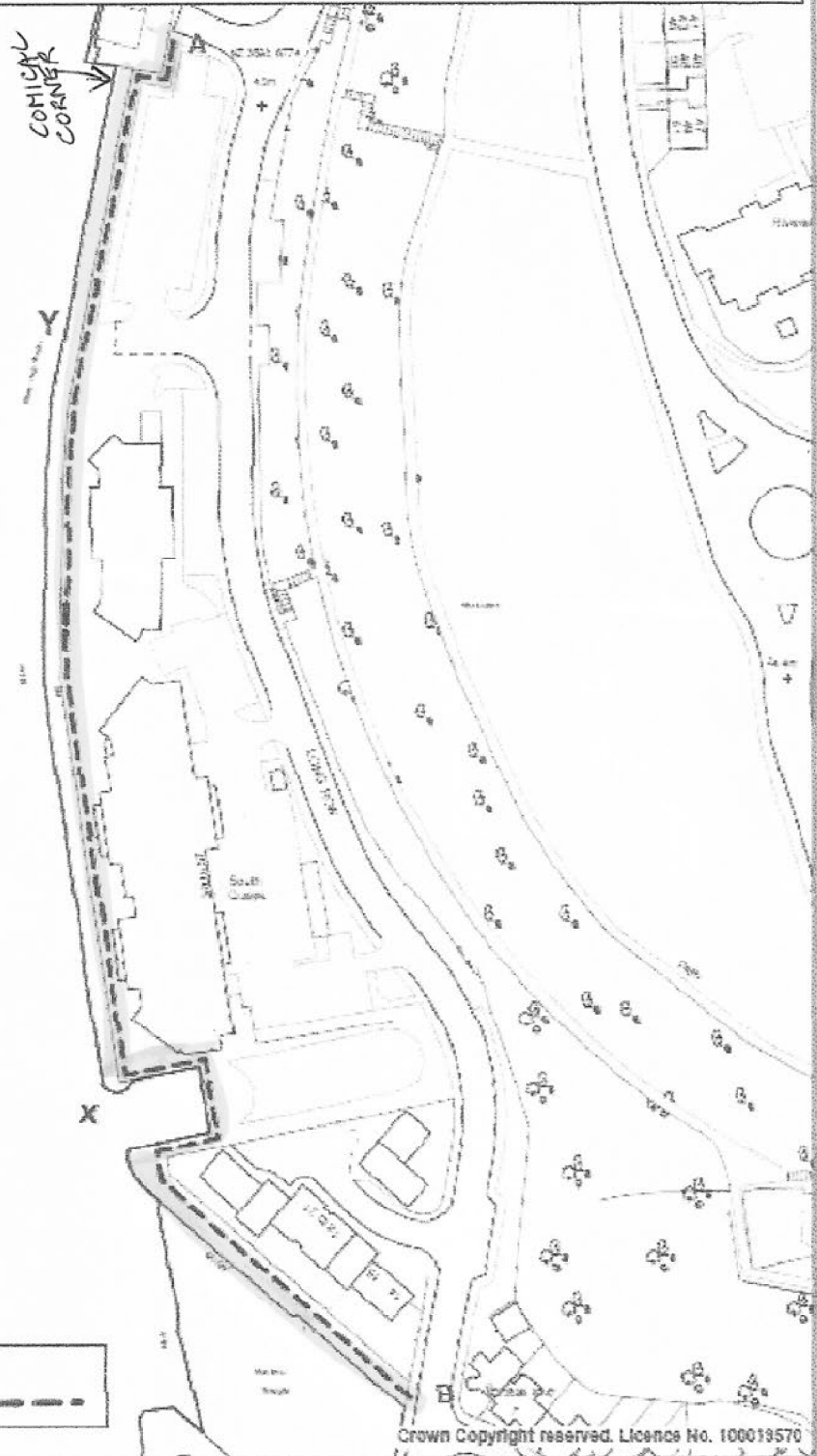
S21 - Long Row

Scale 1:1250



NZ 35 67

ROUTE USED BEFORE  
FENCES + GATES ERECTED



**KEY**

Path to be added: - - - - -

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**Friends of Market Dock Pathway**

c/o Emma Lewell-Buck MP, 19 Westoe Rd,  
South Shields, Tyne & Wear, NE33 4LS

Dear [REDACTED]

Please find enclosed our evidence form along with a spare copy.

Please could you complete this form to the best of your recognition and return it to Emma Lewell-Buck or [REDACTED]

Thank you very much for assisting our fight and once you provide evidence you should get an invitation to the upcoming public inquiry and be involved with the process moving forward with the planning inspectorate.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Kind Regards

[REDACTED]  
Chairperson, Friends of Market Dock Pathway  
c/o Emma Lewell-Buck MP, 19 Westoe Road, South Shields, Tyne & Wear, NE33 4LS

*Call centre parking issues  
and planning permission for New Flats in  
Captains Wharf - Covered by South Shields  
Gazette Resident won case to Limit parking  
and Limit number of Flats to be built.  
Flats built 2003  
∴ Must have been 2002 not.*

*2017 - CALL CENTRE TO FLATS  
empty from 2014  
Flats 2003*