

Notice of Modification Order Confirmation

Section 53 of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981

**West Berkshire District Council Second Consolidated
Definitive Map and Statement**

**West Berkshire District Council (Aldworth, Westridge Green)
Definitive Map Modification Order 2025 (WB081)**

The above order was confirmed without modification by West Berkshire District Council on 24th February 2026.

The effect of the order is to add to the Definitive Map and Statement a public footpath in the parish of Aldworth running from point A (Grid Reference 456270 179845) at the easternmost end of Byway Open to All Traffic Aldworth 24 by Westridge House, Westridge Green, in a generally southerly direction for 172 metres to point C (Grid Reference 456254 179676) on the Aldworth-Westridge Green road (B4009), via point B (Grid Reference 456255 179799) as shown on the Order plan, with width 4 metres between points A and B, and 3.5 metres between points B and C.

A copy of the order and map is attached. Contact Stuart Higgins (Definitive Map Officer) for details or copies (Tel: 01635 503251, email: stuart.higgins@westberks.gov.uk).

The order came into force on 24th February 2026, but if any person aggrieved by the order wants to question its validity, or that of any provision contained in it, on the ground that it is not within the powers of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 or on the ground that any requirement of the Act, or of any regulation made under the Act has not been complied with in relation to the order, he or she may, under paragraph 12 of Schedule 15 of the Act within 42 days of this notice, make an application to the High Court.

Dated: 12th March 2026
Jon Winstanley (Service Director: Environment)
West Berkshire Council Offices
Market Street
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WB081

Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981
West Berkshire District Council Second Consolidated Definitive Map and Statement
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This Order is made by West Berkshire District Council (“the Council”) under section 53(2)(b) of the Wildlife and Countryside Act 1981 (“the Act”) because it appears to that authority that the West Berkshire District Council Second Consolidated Definitive Map and Statement require modification in consequence of the occurrence of an event specified in section 53(3)(c)(i), namely, the discovery by the Council of evidence which (when considered with all other relevant evidence available to them) shows that a right of way which is not shown in the map and statement subsists or is reasonably alleged to subsist over land in the area to which the map relates, being a right of way such that the land over which the rights subsists is a public footpath.

The Council has consulted with every local authority whose area includes the land to which the order relates. The Council hereby order that:

1. For the purposes of this Order the relevant date is 8th December 2025
2. The West Berkshire District Council Second Consolidated Definitive Map and Statement shall be modified as described in Part 1 and Part 2 of the Schedule and shown on the map attached to the Order
3. This Order shall take effect on the date it is confirmed and may be cited as the West Berkshire District Council (Aldworth, Westridge Green) Definitive Map Modification Order 2025

THE COMMON SEAL of WEST BERKSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL
hereunto affixed this 9th..... day of
December..... 2025
is authenticated by:-

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Seal ID: 34503

C. Jay

Claire Say 09 Dec 2025 11:42:40 GMT (UTC +0)

Authorised Signatory

CONFIRMATION OF ORDER

This Order was confirmed by the West Berkshire District Council on the
24th day of February 2026

C. Jay

Authorised by the Council to sign in that behalf



SCHEDULE

PART 1

Modification of Definitive Map

Description of path to be added

Public Footpath Aldworth 26

A public footpath in the parish of Aldworth running from point A (Grid Reference 456270 179845) at the easternmost end of Byway Open to All Traffic Aldworth 24 by Westridge House, Westridge Green, in a generally southerly direction for 172 metres to point C (Grid Reference 456254 179676) on the Aldworth-Westridge Green road (B4009), via points B (Grid Reference 456255 179799) as shown on the Order plan, with width 4 metres between points A and B, and width 3.5 metres between points B and C, as shown on the order plan.

PART 2

Modification of Definitive Statement

Variation of particulars of path or way

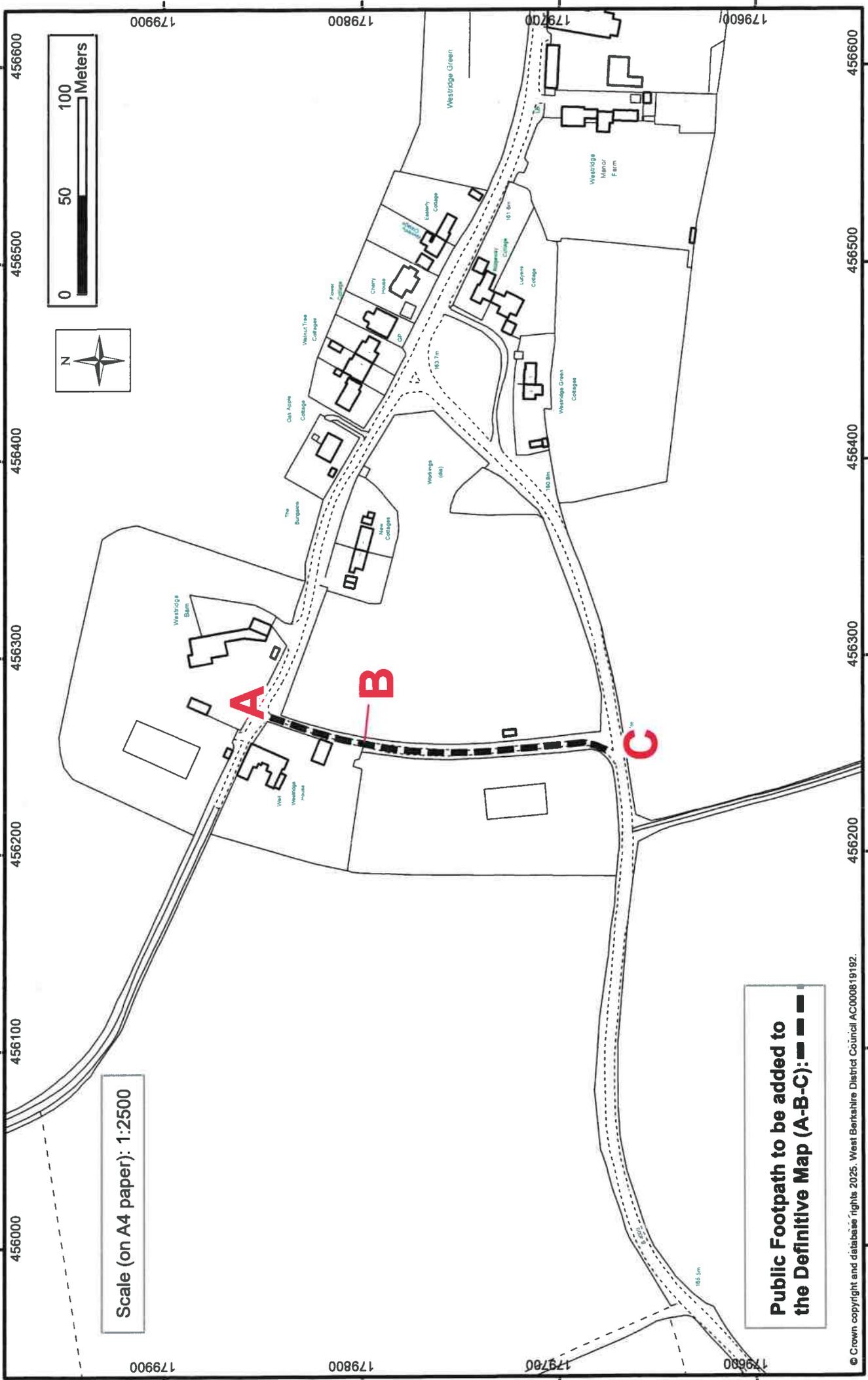
Public Footpath Aldworth 26:

From: BOAT 24, by Westridge House, S

To: B4009

Width: 4 metres from BOAT 24 S to grid reference 456255 179799, and then 3.5m S to B4009.

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Scale (on A4 paper): 1:2500

Public Footpath to be added to the Definitive Map (A-B-C):