

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Officer Decision Record

Decision Maker	Jonathan Woods – Strategic Manager Countryside
Title	Dedication of public bridleway rights between Bridleway 501 and Woodhams Farm, Parish of Kings Worthy

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1. The decision:

- 1.1. That authority be given for the County Council to dedicate a public bridleway 4 metres in width over land within its ownership, running between Kings Worthy Bridleway 501 and Woodhams Farm.

2. Reason(s) for the decision:

- 2.1. In 2020 authority was given for the County Council to dedicate a public bridleway between the points outlined in paragraph 1.1. Part of the route to be dedicated as bridleway was previously dedicated as a public footpath in 2002 (Kings Worthy Footpath 502).
- 2.2. The 2020 decision record specified that the width of the dedicated route was to be 3 metres in width. However, upon completion of the deed it was realised that Footpath 502 had an existing width of 4 metres, meaning that the newly dedicated bridleway was narrower than the pre-existing right of way. In order to address this anomaly it is therefore proposed that a new deed of dedication is prepared which will create bridleway rights extending to 4 metres in width, thus coinciding with the extent of the existing footpath.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

- 3.1. N/A

4. Conflicts of interest:

- 4.1. N/A

5. Dispensation granted by the Head of Paid Service:

5.1. None

6. Supporting information:

6.1. Proposed dedication plan

Approved by:	Date:
_____ (signature)	18/02/2021
Jonathan Woods – Strategic Manager Countryside	

On behalf of the Director of Culture Communities and Business Services	

CORPORATE OR LEGAL INFORMATION:

Links to the Corporate Strategy

Hampshire safer and more secure for all:	no
Corporate Improvement plan link number (if appropriate):	
Maximising well-being:	no
Corporate Improvement plan link number (if appropriate):	
Enhancing our quality of place:	no
Corporate Improvement plan link number (if appropriate):	

Section 100 D - Local Government Act 1972 - background documents

The following documents discuss facts or matters on which this report, or an important part of it, is based and have been relied upon to a material extent in the preparation of this report. (NB: the list excludes published works and any documents which disclose exempt or confidential information as defined in the Act.)

Document

Reference: Dedication of bridleway rights between Bridleway 501 and Woodhams Farm, Kings Worthy

Location

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IMPACT ASSESSMENTS:

1 Equalities Impact Assessment:

N/A

2. Impact on Crime and Disorder: N/A

3. Climate Change:

How does what is being proposed impact on our carbon footprint / energy consumption?

N/A

How does what is being proposed consider the need to adapt to climate change, and be resilient to its longer term impacts? **N/A**