



Bothenhampton & Walditch
Parish Council since 1886

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Bridport Town Council

Via email

Dear Daryl

REQUEST FOR FOOTPATH FROM W1/13

Residents of the parish have requested a pedestrian crossing on Sea Road South where Footpath W1/13 ends and Footpath W5/5 begins, currently crossing at this point is dangerous. This is some 100m south of a light-controlled pedestrian crossing at East Road roundabout. Common sense indicates that it may not be welcomed by the Highways Agency.

Alternatively, the parish council suggests that there could be a footpath along Sea Road South from the end of Footpath W1/13 to the Fire Station, about 25m in length, to join the existing pavement that leads to the existing light-controlled crossing. A waymark could indicate this diversion.

This will create access across the meadow to the existing pedestrian crossing where people from Walditch and Bothenhampton will be able to cross the A35 safely.

The parish council would erect a waymark at the beginning of W5/5 to indicate the diversion on the opposite side of the road.

If this is not something you can progress please let me know and I will contact Dorset Council Highways.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

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