

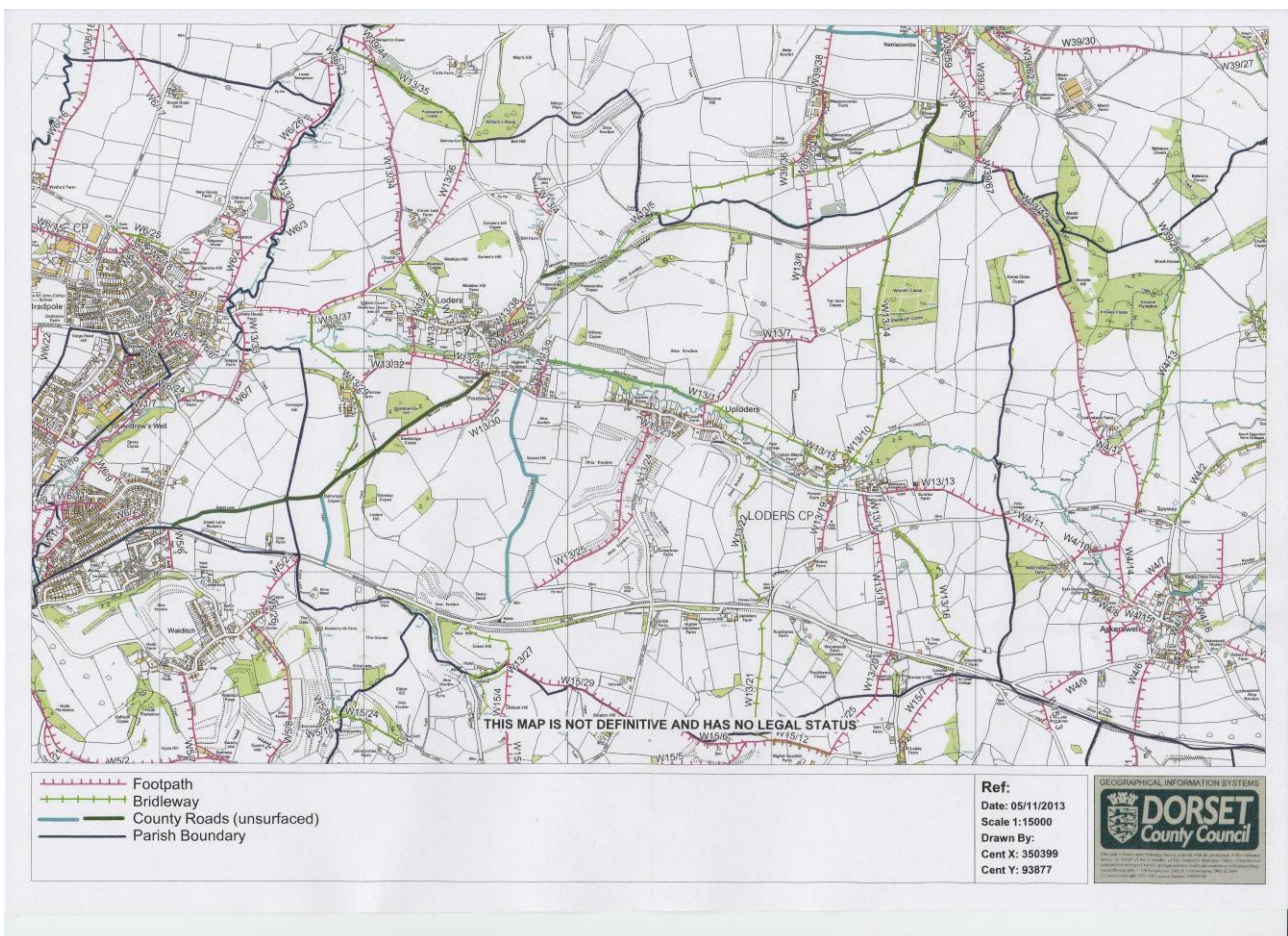
Proposed Bradpole/Loders boundary change

To be read in conjunction with the map below and this map;

<https://explorer.geowessex.com/?layers=2425,41,48,51&basemap=19963&x=348623.63&y=94823.54&epsg=27700&zoom=15>

Currently, Bradpole's RoW (FP2) leaves Higher Street at a point just east of its junction with Forsters Lane in a northerly direction. It has the Mangerton River and the boundary with Loders Parish on its eastern side. Just SE of the abattoir Bradpole's RoW (FP3) forks off right but the Mangerton River and the boundary with Loders Parish remain on its eastern side. However, a little further north, the parish boundary takes a sharp westward turn, leaving the Mangerton River so that the path becomes a Loders' RoW (FP39) at a point NE of Oldhouse Farm, and passes through less than 100m of woodland. As the path continues northward it leaves the woodland and re-crosses the parish boundary which returns to the Mangerton River. The path thus reverts to a Bradpole RoW (FP26). The path continues northward and becomes a Netherbury RoW (FP21) and joins Mangerton Lane.

I am proposing that both parishes agree that the Loders/Bradpole boundary is adjusted so that it continues to follow the Mangerton River from the north end of Bradpole's FP3 to the south end of Bradpole's FP26. This would move the small area of woodland on the western side of the Mangerton River from Loders Parish into Bradpole Parish and have the effect of making the Loders' RoW (FP39) a Bradpole RoW. Dorset Council may want to renumber FP39 as either FP3 or FP26. The benefit of this modest adjustment would be to regularise the monitoring and maintenance of the path.



Cllr. David Cannon, Loders Parish RoW Liaison Officer
Agreed by Loders Parish Council

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