

Town and Country Planning Act 1990 – Section 257
Proposed Public Path Diversion Order
Public Footpath No. 37 (part), Caldicot

Please delete as appropriate:

I have no comments to make in respect of the proposed diversion.

~~My comments are attached.~~

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For the last 19 years my husband and myself have regularly walked footpath 37. We have enjoyed walking in open countryside enjoying the solitude of peace and quiet away from the noise of everyday life and traffic, including motor vehicles. The New proposal which has been requested to accommodate a new housing development will take away everything we have become accustomed to and enjoy. Walking is a way of life for us, it has contributed to our mental health + well being. If you agree to the new proposal then you can hardly class it as a public right of way any longer. The proposed new path is nothing more than a walkway through a housing estate and would require us to cross no less than 5 estate roads. This seriously obstructs our right of way and would clearly be unsafe to relax whilst walking such a route for fear of traffic. I sincerely hope you will consider the feelings of members of the public who regularly use this footpath before making your decision.

Name (please print): JULIE GRIFFITHS

Signed: J. Griffiths

Date: 11/05/2020

Organisation: resident of Caldicot