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Murton Parish Council

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Dear Murton Parish council

Highways Act 1980 Section 118

Proposed Extinguishment of Public Footpath No. 27 Murton Parish

I am considering a proposal under the provisions of Section 118 of the Highways Act 1980, to extinguish a section of the above-mentioned Public Right of Way, as shown on the enclosed plan.

The extinguishment is requested by the landowner as this section of footpath is not needed for public use due to an alternative route being available that leads to the same destination (Footpaths 26 and 18 Murton parish). The landowner is willing to work with Durham County Council to facilitate improvements to Footpath 26.

I would be pleased to receive any comments or objections you may wish to offer, within 30 days of the date of this letter. If there are no objections, the application may be determined by the Corporate Director of Resources in consultation with the Corporate Director of Regeneration and Local Services, and if there are objections, it will be determined by the Highways Committee. If you need more time to consider the matter please let me know.

Please note that if you do make representations, then by virtue of the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985, the County Council may make them available for public inspection. Additionally they may also be disclosable under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,

Owen Shaw
Rights of Way Officer

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