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RECORDED DELIVERY

Your ref:

1 April 2019

Dear Sir/Madam

**Highways Act 1980 – Section 116(3)
Proposed Stopping-Up Order
Land at Stowey Lane, Holford**

The County Council as Highway Authority intends making an application to the appropriate Magistrates' Court for an Order under Section 116 of the Highways Act 1980 to stop-up an area of highway at Stowey Lane, Holford. The area of highway concerned is shown hatched red on the attached plan.

For your information, this process was originally commenced in 2014 but did not proceed to completion due to the need for clarification in relation to the area to be stopped-up.

In order to comply with the provisions of Section 116(3) of the Highways Act 1980, I now serve upon your Council formal notice of the County Council's intention of making this application. You have a period of two months from the date of this letter in which you can object to the making of this application.

Should your Council decide to object, I would be grateful to receive a copy of the appropriate Minute for my file.

If you have no objections to the proposal, I would be obliged if you could please sign and return the duplicate letter enclosed.

I have written in similar terms to the Chief Executive of Somerset West and Taunton Council.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully

[Redacted signature box]

for County Solicitor

On behalf of Holford Parish Council, I would like to confirm that we consent to the making of an application for the stopping-up of the highway land hatched red on the attached plan.

Signed 

Name Hema Stanley (Clerk/RFO)
On behalf of Holford Parish Council

Date 13 May 2019

Highway Act 1980 - Section 16(2)
Proposed Stopping-Up Order
Land at Stowey Lane, Holford

The County Council as Highway Authority has received an application from the applicant for an order under section 16(2) of the Highway Act 1980 to stop up the highway land shown hatched red on the attached plan.

For information the Council has received a copy of the application and the attached plan from the applicant on 13 May 2019.

In order to comply with the provisions of Section 16(2) of the Highway Act 1980, the applicant must submit an application to the Council for the stopping-up of the highway land shown hatched red on the attached plan.

Should your Council decide to object, I would be grateful to receive a copy of the application and the attached plan.

If you have no objections to the proposal, I would be obliged if you could please sign and return the enclosed letter enclosed.

I have written in similar terms to the Civil Engineers at Somerset Water and Tawton Council.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully,


Mr County Solicitor