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**Reference** 3/2025/0346  
**Location** Dowsons Dairies Ltd Hawkshaw Farm Longsight Road Clayton le Dale BB2 7JA  
**Proposal** Change of use of agricultural land to create an additional 95 car parking spaces

Dear Planning Department

Lancashire County Council Public Rights of Way Team raises no objection to the application and provides the following.

#### **Comments/Objections**

Footpath FP0313003 is recorded along the access to the parking spaces. Included within the application is a draft Order plan for the diversion of footpath FP0313003 under Section 119 of the Highways Act 1980 (HWA80 S119). Should the Order Plan be confirmed the parking spaces will conflict with the HWA80 S119, as shown on the attached plan, and as such the layout of the parking spaces requires reconfiguration to give provision for the realignment of the right of way or contact is to be made with Lancashire County Council's Public Path Order Officer to address the proposed conflict as the infringement or obstruction of a public right of way would be a criminal offence.

#### **Ground level/drainage**

Any changes in ground level or installation of drainage should ensure that surface water is not discharged onto a public right of way either within the proposed development site or in close proximity – this is to ensure public rights of way are not exposed to potential flooding or future maintenance issues.

#### **Temporary closure**

If works relating to the proposed development are likely to cause a health and safety risk to users of a public right of way a temporary closure order must be made and in effect prior to commencing those works. Applications should be made 8 weeks before commencement to avoid delay to the works. Further details on closure can be found at [Request a temporary closure of a public right of way - Lancashire County Council](#)

#### **Publicity of Application**

All planning applications that affect a public right of way (footpath, bridleway or byway), must be publicised by site notice in at least one place on or near the land to which the application relates for not less than 21 days; and by publication of the notice in a newspaper circulating in the locality in which the land to which the application relates is situated.

Regards

Public Rights of Way

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