

PROW 19K – TPO application

This application is related the following TPO : HA/03/TPO/03

The purpose is to reinstate the Public Right of Way 21K along its original line and to provide a hard crushed stone type surface to enable use all-year use.

The work will require trimming back shrubbery and undergrowth including mainly Blackthorn Ivy Brambles and Nettles and fallen dead wood on both sides of the route to allow a 1.4metre wide path to be constructed.

In addition, 9 places where significant clearance is required have been identified:

1. Clearance of shrubbery and dead wood (covered in ivy) lying across the path
2. Trimming back Laurel bushes restricting the path width
3. Removal of 7 small trees (2 Oak / 4 Ash with die-back symptoms / 1 Blackthorn)
4. Removal of low branches of hazel (which will be coppiced) and overhanging Willow
5. Removal of dead tree leaning across path
6. a) Removal of dead tree leaning across path & b) Removal of 3 low branches from Willow
7. Removal of dead tree (blackthorn covered in ivy) leaning across path
8. Clearance of shrubbery and blackthorn obstructing the path
9. Clearance of shrubbery and blackthorn obstructing the path

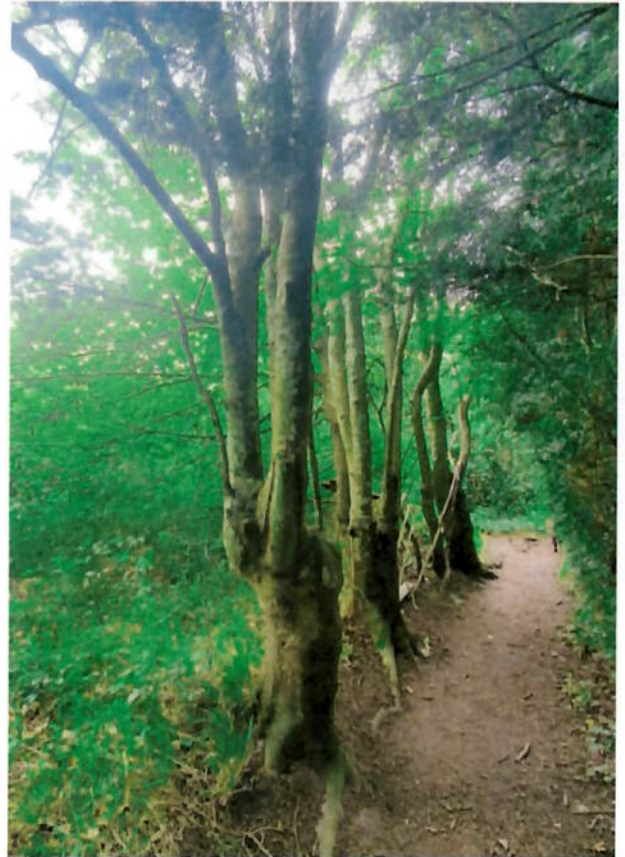
It is proposed to provide 6 saplings of Oak and/or Ash to replace the trees removed.

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Location 3



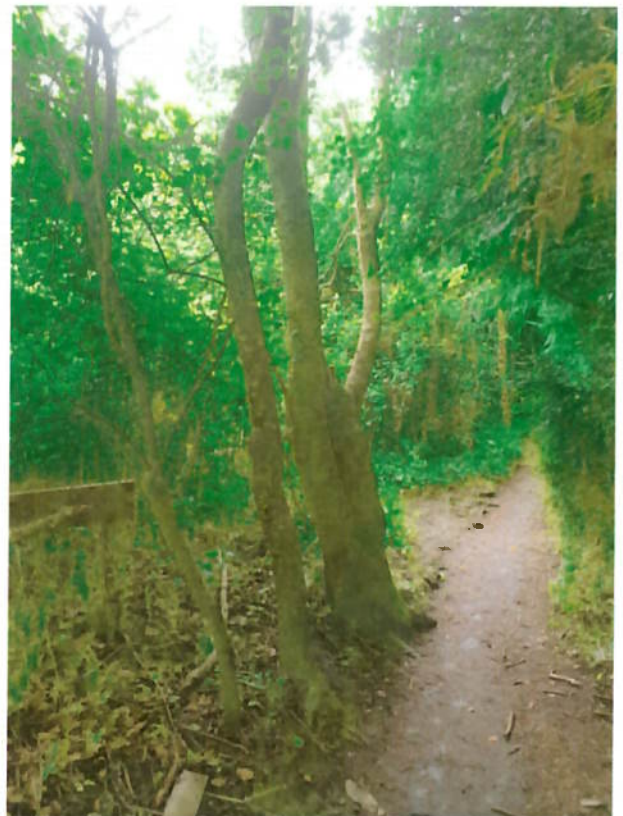
Tree 1 - Oak



Trees 2 & 3 - Ash (foreground)



Tree 4 - Small Oak (behind Tree 3)



Trees 5,6&7 -Blackthorn, Ash, Ash

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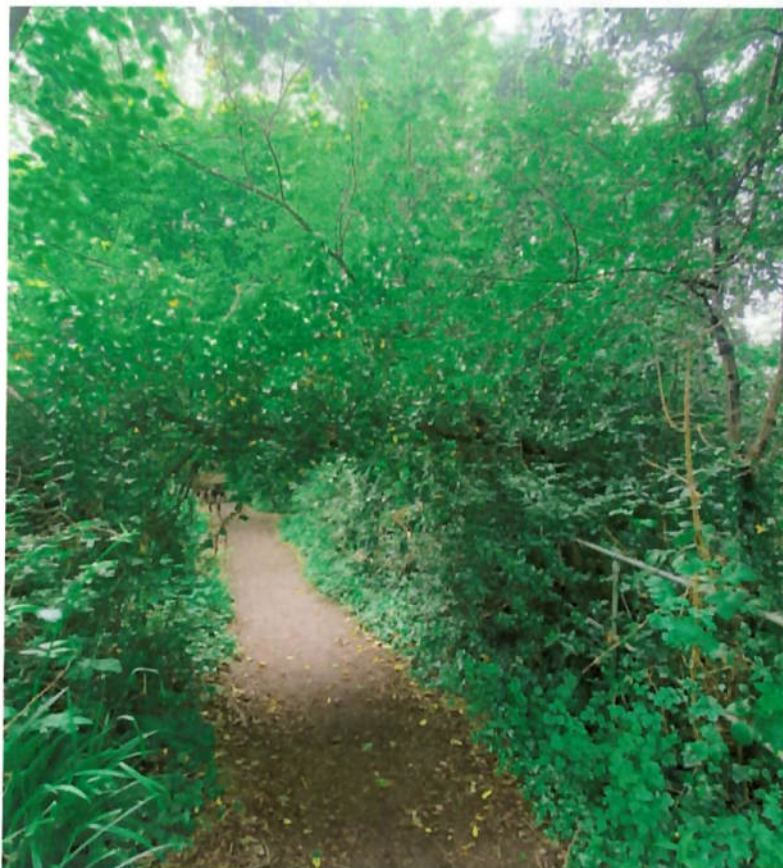
Location 6a and 6b



**Dead Tree
Location 7**



Willow overhanging



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