

CORRESPONDENCE

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**From:**

**Sent:** 31 October 2021 12:24

**To:**

**Subject:** Public right of way and Nature Reserve at the bottom of Meadow Lane Willington.

Hello all,

Whilst walking my dog today (Sunday) I have had numerous parishioners complain that the public right of way at the end of Meadow Lane towards the Wetlands and viewing platforms (runs between the river and the old gravel workings) has been blocked by a locked gate, the concrete bollards have also been moved and a barrier put in place.

Have any of our councillors seen this, or are aware of why this is ?

It does not appear to be mentioned in any of the documentation that I have seen from the Wildlife Trust.

If it is the case and unless there is a valid reason, which has been formally agreed to temporarily block this track, it appears to be a blatant disregard for our right to access !

I am aware that the Fishing Club Bailiff and local members have the same concerns.

Can I respectfully suggest that the Parish Council formally write to the Wildlife Trust to clarify this matter and to establish what works are currently occurring and how they impact on current and proposed public access ?

Kind Regards