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Date: 4th August 2014
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Dear Councillor Wootten,

BRIDLEWAY CREATION - OAKHAM TO EGLETON

Thank you for your letter dated 28th July, which has been passed to me for my attention as Senior Manager responsible for Rights of Way.

I can understand your disappointment that the proposal to create a public bridleway from Oakham to Egleton has been abandoned.

As you rightfully state in your letter the proposal did not receive support from the Parish Council. In the interest of Localism, Rutland County Council's policy is that any schemes requiring capital funding have to be supported by the Parish Council.

In this case therefore, without the support of the Parish Council it becomes irrelevant whether the case goes to public enquiry because in the event of success, the Council would still be unable to approve the necessary funding to build the path.

I apologise that I cannot be more helpful on this occasion.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs S Killips

Senior Manager Transport

