

BY HAND

Jeremy Bolam, Chairman of the  
Thursford Parish Council  
Holly Lodge  
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Norfolk NR21 0AS

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Dear Jeremy,

**Re: Modification Application**

We have been informed by the Norfolk County Council (NCC) that the Parish Council (PC) has agreed with and accepted the NCC's finding that the main use of our drive to the Church between 2001 and 2006 was not by Mechanically Propelled Vehicles (MPVs). Hence, it is now legally certain that, by virtue of the Natural Environment and Rural Communities Act 2006, all public rights to drive MPVs on our drive to the Church (even if there were any) have been extinguished.

The NCC also informed us that the PC "feels that MPVs have a private right of access to the Church and Car Park". Only a person can have a 'private right' and it is a question of law. A 'feeling' is not sufficient.

Please let us know forthwith who it is that the PC claims has a 'private right' and how that person intends to prove the existence of any such right.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Yours,

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