## **APPENDIX 2**

## BUCKINGHAMSHIRE LOCAL ACCESS FORUM

Rob Morris Natural England County Hall Spetchley Road Worcester WR5 2NP

4th March 2022

The Buckinghamshire Local Access Forum is an independent, statutory advisory body on all matters relating to countryside access, with 13 members representing a wide range of interests including farmers, landowners, walkers, cyclists, equestrians, parish councils, National Trust and those with disabilities.

## **Chawley Manor Farm, Bledlow HP14 4BS**

Case Reference: 2012026254 (2nd)

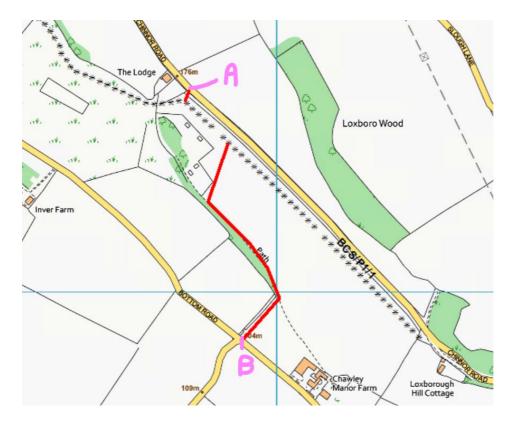
Dear Rob,

Thank you for inviting the Local Access Forum to comment on the proposed restriction at the above location.

The matter was discussed at our meeting on 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2022 and members welcomed the proposal which simplifies the existing restrictions and requires dogs to be kept on a lead along the marked route. However, members also agreed the 'marked route' needs to follow the path being used currently, to the south-west of the fenced corridor running parallel with Chinnor Road.

One area of concern was highlighted that walkers should release their dog if cows perceive a threat from dogs when protecting their young, which may be useful to mention on any notice.

Further, the member for the Chiltern Society suggested two locations [A and B] where additional gates could be considered to facilitate improved pedestrian access through the site [annotated red] with wider strategic connections to the surrounding network.



Yours sincerely,

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Richard Pushman (Chairman)