

# Bures Hamlet Parish Council (BHPC) Public Rights of Way (PROW) Report: July 2024

FP/ByW/BrW Number	Location & Issue	Description of Action	Date & Ref. Number if Reported	Follow-Up
FP2 short	N34/EC.	Gateway cleared.		
FP3 short	N34/EC.			
FP5 long	S34/C-D. (boardwalk/copse/tree lane)			
FP7 long	N34/ED. Lamarsh track to halfway up hill twds rail line)	I have cut back all stinging nettles etc on RC's fence.  Tree arch at end of track given a good cut back.	30/6: Wall along Secretaries looks good; well done to whoever cleared the bottom of it. Sterling job.	
FP8 med	S34/WD. (Ferrier's Lane to Colne Rd)	All cut back at top gateway area and wooden bridge with walkway up to field at the bottom.		
FP11 short	N33/EE. (Bures Mill)			
FP12 short	N33/EE. (Bures Mill to Colch Rd)			
FP13 med	S33/WB.	Entrance/steps cleared		
FP14 med+	S33/acrossB.	Bottom tree-lined path cleared of broken branches. Broken and head-height branches cut away. Used these to try and line boggy areas.		

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ByW15 med-long	S34/EB.	All okay.		
FP16 med-long	33/C-D. (twds Laraine's. In front of barns)	Being kept trimmed back as much as possible.		
FP17 med-long	N32/C.			
FP18 med-long	33/D. (SW of Baker's Hall)			
BrW19 short-med	S33/WD.			
FP20 med	N32/D.			
FP21 med	33/D-SE.			
BrW22 med+	S34/W-ED.			
FP23 short	S33/D.			
ByW25 med	N32/C.	Rutting caused by 4 wheeled vehicles still holding water and not pleasant to walk.		Will keep monitoring

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		Contractor asked to look at this.		
FP27 short	N32/WB.	Actual signposted FP is completely covered with crops grown by the farmer; as per the rest of the field. Most people seem to use the stone track nearby instead of the actual FP.		
FP28 short	32/WB.	Tried to trim the gateways either end, but grass very long and strimmer couldn't cope very well. I will return asap to trim again. What seemed to be wild grass has been left to completely cover FP.		Will return asap. This FP is not kept accessible by farmer. Also gateway chains deter walkers from using them!
FP29 short	S32/WB.	Steps and signpost etc cleared and made safer. Wet grass was covering steps.		
FP30 short-med	S34/ED. (side of Tenter Fld)	A few thorny branches cut back as necessary. (Tenterfield) Also (Paddocks – Normandie Way) trimmed.		Will assess and clear asap once workmen have finished digging & cable-laying
FP31 med-long	S33/WE. (Plantation/Craig's Lane)			
FP33 short-med	33/E. (Left of Hall Rd to Mnt Bures crossing)	Contractor asked to clear as extremely overgrown.		