**Proposed amendments to Rights of Way Committee minutes of 22 October 2019**.

## **15.** Definitive Map Modification Order

Climping and Littlehampton CP: Applications for Definitive Map Modification Orders (Application No's: 2/17, 3/17 and 4/17) to add to the Definitive Map and Statement for Chichester a *restricted byway* between points D and E on plan 01733a and upgrade of a section of Footpath 829 between points A to D on Plan 01733a and to upgrade footpath 174 between points E and F on the Plan to a restricted byway, in the parish of Climping and town of Littlehampton

15.2 Mr Sean Manning representing Littlehampton Golf Club, one of the landowners, spoke in objection to the application. Mr Manning referred to a letter sent to the County Council dated <del>13</del> **15** March 2019 (shown by Officers to Committee members following Mr Manning's representation). There are strong concerns particularly in relation to application route D to E which crosses the 12<sup>th</sup> hole of the golf course, posing significant safety issues for the business, golfers and users of that proposed route. This section was legally stopped up in 1936. The current route (D to Y to Z) is regularly used by families, *cyclists* and many children. In relation to section E to F, part of the route runs directly in front of the 16<sup>th</sup> hole *tee*, it is a blind crossing and whilst the golf club has warning signage in place it is felt that this footpath is not suitable for additional traffic that might result from an upgrade to a restricted byway. Furthermore, the golf club is believed to own land beyond footpath 174 and this application raises concerns about the impacts on its ongoing maintenance.