



Downton Bridge Project

Following on from our earlier press release, the Avon Bridge and Footpath Working Group asked the Longford Estate Trustees to rethink their decision to withdraw permission from allowing this proposed route to cross their land. However, a letter has since been received from the Trustees stating that their view remains unchanged.

The Working Group has not abandoned the project so much useful developmental work has been done...but we do now need to consider the best way to move forward.....

..... so, firstly, a public consultation is planned, to be held when restrictions are lifted, to see whether this project is still as popular and wanted as when the first one was done over 5 years ago.

We appreciate that since the first consultation there has been considerable new housing, and people have come and gone in Downton. A large majority of those originally surveyed were in favour of the project.

For further information or to express a view, please contact Cllr. Jane Brentor on 07979 630588 or Ian Campbell on 01725 512113