

# Peak District National Park

## Green Lanes Communications Action Plan 2019/20

### Key Messages

- Green lanes are a valuable part of the access network which are accessible for a range of different uses and abilities.
- Green lanes provide a sense of place in the landscape and for the enjoyment of nature.
- Where there is conflict with the conservation of the special qualities of the National Park, action will be taken including the use of TROs as appropriate.
- All users can reduce impact on other users and the environment by using the lanes in a legal, responsible and sustainable manner.
- The well-being of local communities and visitors can be enhanced through a properly maintained, accessible and safe rights of way network.
- A consensus-based approach and partnership working will provide for long-term effective management of green lanes.
- Illegal use is unacceptable.

### NPA's Role & Actions

- Work to conserve the special qualities of green lanes and the National Park.
- Promote opportunities for everyone to understand and enjoy these special qualities in a responsible way.
- Work with Highway Authorities, communities and user groups to minimise damage and disturbance.
- Support the police in their enforcement.

### Highway Authorities' Role & Actions

- Carry out their duties in relation to management of use, maintenance, enforcement, signage and determining legal status.
- Support the PDNP purposes and priorities, work together on delivering improvements and have regard to statutory requirements.

### Police Role & Actions

- Carry out their duties in relation to enforcement.

### Users' Role & Actions

- Use green lanes responsibly and minimise the negative impacts of inappropriate use on the special qualities of the National Park.
- Promote and implement voluntary actions.
- Promote the Green Lanes Code.