

Appendix 4

Email from local resident regarding the gate being locked, dated 11th March 2017

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 11 March 2017 06:05
To: ENV - Public Rights of Way
Subject: Public paths being chained

This public right of way (butt lane kissing gates in laceby) is being constantly chained by one of the houses next to it!! It has happened lots of times now and people are removing the chains /locks padlocks themselves... the person doing this has also spread broken glass over the path to stop people walking their dogs down there as he is apparently annoyed with people using the right of way!! He doesnt seem to care thst a dog or person will be injured by this!!

Tonight i walked that way and there is yet again a big metal chain and lock on the gates!!

This has to be stopped and the person whom is doing this prosecuted for the glass he is placing down ! Apparently the laceby parish council know about this but its been going on for over a month now...there is a lot of anger over this from the people and dog walkers of the village but as soon as a chain or lock is removed he is placing another one on the gates!!! Ive enclosed a photo of one of the locks (this one was broken off) but as of tonight there is a big chain n lock round it now!!

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