Dear tenant/landowner,

**RE: Request consent to exchange existing stile with stock proof fence**

We as a group and with the support of the Parish Council are making contact to request permission to exchange an existing stile on a public right of way that crosses your land (see plan) with a stock-proof kissing gate. Even well maintained stiles can present an obstacle to some users and across the county there are a great many routes that are now stile free.

The gate/ gates will be supplied and erected at no cost to yourself and are sturdy, long lasting, maintenance free and stock-proof. The existing fencing will be made good and braced appropriately either side of the new gate.

We would be happy to meet with you to look at the site prior to installation.

Yours sincerely