

Routes where any possible rights for recreational motor vehicles have been extinguished in the Yorkshire Dales National Park

Apart, possibly, from some very rare exceptions, the NERC Act makes it illegal to ride a motorcycle or other motor vehicle on anything which is recorded on the Definitive Map as a Bridleway or Footpath (up to date OS maps are the readily available nearest indication of that). This also includes a number of routes that are recorded on both the definitive map and the 'list of streets' and are sometimes known as dual status routes

The table below gives details of footpaths, bridleways, restricted byways and 'dual status' routes that were used by motor vehicles prior to the NERC Act in the belief that they might have motor vehicular rights. The NERC Act extinguishes the possibility of motor vehicular rights on these footpaths, bridleways and restricted byways. Recreational motor vehicle users are liable to prosecution if using these routes without lawful permission.

ROUTE NAME	GRID REF FROM	TO	RIGHT OF WAY STATUS	UCR NUMBER	COMMENTS
Kirk Syke Lane	SD 902 588	SD 903 566	Bridleway		
Langber, Dacre and Haw Lanes	SD 860 591	SD 882 576 and SD 864 576	Footpath		Unsurfaced unclassified road (UUR) leads to footpath. No through route for motor vehicles.
Craven Way	SD 764 811	SD 724 857	Bridleway		
Long Lane, Clapham to Selside	SD 751 694	SD 787 746	Bridleway		Traffic regulation order (TRO) in place
Lambert Lane, Settle	SD 828 625	SD 835 630	Bridleway		
Banks Lane, Settle	SD 823 643	SD 829 653	Bridleway		Short section of UUR but no through route
Lodge Road, Settle	SD 812 622	SD 828 623	Bridleway		
Stockdale Lane	SD 852 638	SD 891 640	Bridleway		Application for BOAT refused. No evidence of vehicular rights.
Dean Moor	SD 888 649	SD 893 657	Bridleway		
Cowside Road to Winskill	SD 829 665	SD 832 667	Bridleway		
Austwick to Feizor (Hale Lane)	SD 771 688	SD 783 674 & SD 789 676	Bridleway		
Hetton Moor Lane & Common	SD 925 631	SD 962 589	Bridleway		
Calton to Weets Top	SD 925 631	SD 909 592	Bridleway		

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Lainger Hse to Mastile Gate etc	SD 951 628	SD 944 662	Bridleway		
Arncliffe Cote	SD 909 663	SD 947 705	Bridleway		Short section of BOAT leads to Great Close Mire, but no through route for motor vehicles.
Threshfield Moor & Boss Moor	SD 975 631	SD 955 619 & SD 965 670	Bridleway		
Walden Road	SD 986 807	SD 953 752	Bridleway		
Starbotton Cam & Tor Dyke	SD 955 748	SD 989 762	Bridleway		
Topmere Road	SD 972 724	SD 971 753	Bridleway		
Hunter Sleets	SD 986 757	SE 009 764	Bridleway		
Buckden Raike	SD 942 773	SD 944 797	Bridleway		
Scot gate Lane	SD 985 679	SD 030 712	Bridleway		
Swinden Lane	SD 985 624	SD 974 599	Bridleway		
Hebden Gill	SE 016 659	SE 025 633	Bridleway		
Appletreewick Pasture	SE 063 622	SE 042 607	Bridleway		
Castle Bolton to Apedale Road	SE 034 919	SE 031 943	Bridleway		
Castle Bolton to Heugh	SE 009 918	SD 963 918	Bridleway		Short section of UCR but no through route
Addleborough southside	SD 968 884	SD 943 873	Bridleway		Short section of UCR but no through route
Addleborough northside (Whorton Pasture)	SD 951 892	SD 936 884	Bridleway	U235	
Hardraw to Cotterdale	SD 867 913	SD 833 943	Bridleway		
Burtersett to Wether Fell	SD 891 892	SD 882 869 & SD 874 864	Bridleway		
Marsett Bridge to Cam High Road	SD 903 863	SD 885 872	Mixed and none		
Stake Moss to Thoraby	SD 938 847	SD 998 867	Bridleway		
Apedale Road	SE 031 943	SD 983 964	Bridleway		
Occupation Road	SD 723 822	SD 679 861	Bridleway		
Nunhouse Outrake	SD 710 845	SD 719 854	Bridleway		
Flintergill Outrake	SD 703 865	SD 698 859	Bridleway		
Monkey Beck Grains	SD 779 880	SD 792 861	Bridleway		
Cowgill to Dandra Garth	SD 756 869	SD 753 897	Bridleway	U5508	
Arten Gill to Arten Gill Moss	SD 771 859	SD 793 863	Bridleway	U5512	

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Whiterow Road to Braidley and Horsehouse	SE 017 836	SE 047 813	Bridleway	U940	
Carlton Moor/Thupton Gill	SE 018 854	SE 060 845	Bridleway	U7020	
High Birkwith to Cam End via Ling Gill	SD 800 768	SD 801 804	Restricted byway		Order to upgrade footpath to restricted byway confirmed. Traffic regulation order (TRO) in place from Old Ings.
Cam High Road (Far Gearstones section)	SD 786 803	SD821 827	Restricted byway/byway		Order to record a restricted byway on majority of the route confirmed. Traffic regulation order (TRO) in place.
Harber Scar Lane	SD 807 726	SD 822 784	Restricted byway/byway		Order to make restricted byway confirmed between Horton-in-Ribblesdale and parish boundary in Greenfield. Dead end byway through to High Greenfield.
Foxup Road	SD 808 724	SD 871 767	Bridleway		Traffic regulation order (TRO) in place.
Black Rake Road	SD 789 810	SD 786 835	Bridleway		
Stockdale Lane	SD853 639	SD892 640	Bridleway		Detailed investigation showed no evidence of vehicular rights
Moorhead Lane	SD817 697	SD833 685	Restricted byway/byway		The western part of this route is a restricted byway with no public rights for motor vehicles.

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