

GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE REPORT FOR HINDON FOOTPATHS and CORRIDORS

Hindon is particularly well endowed with both local and national footpaths with The Monarch's Way and The Ridgeway passing through the village. These footpaths are well utilised by both local residents and a major attraction for visitors to come to Hindon to make use of them.

A small selection have the added benefit of not only being footpaths, but also corridors for wildlife to access and link gardens with the surrounding countryside. Those selected as being of particular importance are:

1. **The Ridgeway , footpaths HIND 7** running from the B3089 opposite the track to the allotments and emerging opposite the surgery in the High Street, and **HIND6** from just above the surgery and heading NE to the Chicklade road. HIND07, known locally as The Back Way forms the NW boundary of the village with wide views into the open countryside and back into the village.



Photo



1A

Photo 1B



Photo 1C

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2. **The Allotment track, HIND 9 & 11** running from the B3089 down to The Dene alongside the allotments and Conservation area with views to the south, and access to the High Street via the following 2 footpaths



Photo 2A



Photo 2B



Photo 2C

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3. **Queen's Head Mews HIND12** is an attractive path passing through a small Mews with cobbled paving and heading west to meet the allotment path.



Photo 3A



Photo 3B Queen's head Mews

4. **Baker's Arch path HIND13** similar to 3 above but further down the High Street, following a small terrace of old cottages before winding passed back Burgage garden plots and joining the Allotment path.



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Photo 4A

Photo 4B

5. **The Monarch's Way** path **HIND22** and linking path **HIND29**. The former is an extension of Chalk Lane at the southern ridge of the village heading east to Pinchers Down where it is joined by **HIND29** coming from the High Street at the bottom of the High Street by the eastern section of The Dene passing old cottages and views to the north including unusual and attractive glimpses of the church and High Street.



Photo 5A

The Dene Footpath HIND 29 leading to Pinchers Down

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Photo 5B Pinchers Down Footpath HIND22