

Greenway Strategy For West Derbyshire and the High Peak

Table 2: West Derbyshire and High Peak Greenway Strategy Proposed Route Details

No.	Route name	User groups	Network ranking	Route description		
				Section	Landowner	Comments
1	Monks Rd to Hadfield	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Primary	Pennine Bridleway route around Glossop.	Various private landowners & United Utilities.	The work on this route is ongoing through the Pennine Bridleway National Trail Project Officer and will be partially funded by Natural England. The route will complete the Pennine Bridleway in Derbyshire.
2	Glossop Loop	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders where possible	Secondary	Link into the Pennine Bridleway Proposals.	District Council Unknown	This link will provide access into the town of Glossop from the Pennine Bridleway National Trail. The loop will link to shops, leisure centre and Heritage Centre providing a valuable local facility.
3	New Mills to Brook Bottom	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Primary	Goyt Way Route Upgrade	Private	Upgrade of the Goyt Way to link New Mills to Hague Bar nad Brook Bottom and Strines Rail Station.
4	New Mills to Whaley Bridge	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Primary	Midshires Way & Peak Forest Canal Towpath upgrade.	British Waterways	Upgrade of the existing Midshires Way. Potential of SEMMS funding and partnership working with British Waterways.
5	New Mills to Buxworth	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Primary	Footpath and Bridleway upgrade to creat alternative to Sustrans route 68.	Private & Highway authority	Work with Sustrans to develop off road route alternative to National Cycle Network (NCN) route 68. Footpath, Bridleway and minor road works.
6	Whaley Bridge to Chapel en le Frith to	Access for All Walkers Cyclists	Primary	Footpath and minor road upgrade	Private Unknown	Investigate suitability for improved shared use Greenway on West to East route alignment. Route links to Pennine Bridleway via Chapel.

	Pennine Bridleway (Peak Forest)	Horse riders				
7	Chapel Milton to Pennine Bridleway (Roych)	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Secondary	Chapel Farm River Derwent	Private	Secondary link to Pennine Bridleway from route 6 above. Minor Road and footpath upgrade.
8	Dove Holes link	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Tertiary	Footpath upgrade nr Ridge edge Farm	Private	To negotiate footpath upgrade on field edge. Important community link.
9	Peak Forest, Mam Tor	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse Riders	Primary	Footpath and closed road.	Private Highway Authority	Limestone Way upgrade and use of Mam Tor Rd.
10	Castleton and Brough	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Primary	Accommodation of route within Highway corridor	Private & Highway Authority	Separate route within highway corridor.
11	Ladybower Reservoir Routes	Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Tertiary	Footpath Upgrade Forest Tracks	Private Forestry Commission	Footpath upgrade and use of two bridleways on Hagg side, giving access to Fairholmes Visitor Centre. Some severe gradients.
12	Matlock to Hathersage (Derwent Valley Heritage Way Upgrade)	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Primary	Derwent Valley Heritage Way Upgrade	Private- Numerous	Upgrade of the existing Derwent Valley Heritage Way via Chatsworth and Baslow.
12b	Baslow to Rowsley	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Secondary	Derwent Valley Heritage Way Upgrade	Chatsworth	Upgrade of the existing Derwent Valley Heritage Way

13	Whaley Bridge to Buxton to Millers Dale to Monsal Head	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Primary	Vast majority of existing Rights of Way upgrade.	Private	Midshires Way upgrade from Whaley Bridge into Buxton and beyond to link into Pennine Bridleway south of Cowlow. Monsal Trail upgrade through Millers Dale to Monsal Head.
14	Whaley Bridge to Burbage, via Goyt Valley.	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Primary	Goyt Valley route and dismantled railway link into Burbage and Buxton.	Private	Goyt Valley and dismantled railway route into Buxton and route 13 above.
15	Goyt Valley Link	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Secondary	Footpath upgrade	Private	Link from route 17 to 16, adjacent to Elnor Farm.
16	Burbage to Pomeroy (Pennine Bridleway)	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Primary	Footpath Minor Rd	Private Quarry	South of Buxton, extension of route 14. Links into Earl Sterndale. Two Options identified to negotiate landscape in this area. Marked as 19A and 19B.
17	Goyt's Moss link to WDHPGS route 19.	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Secondary	Footpath upgrade	Private Unknown	West of Buxton link through Hartington Upper Quarter and linking into route 19.
18	Curbar to Bakewell Via Hassop & Calver	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Primary	Minor Rd Footpath	Private	Bank Wood footpath upgrade and minor rd crossings. Links from Derwent Valley Heritage Way.
19	Bakewell to Beeley Moor Via Edensor	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Primary	West to East link, majority minor roads.	Private Highway	Upgrade of footpaths necessary, numerous minor road links, severe gradient issue.
20	Matlock to Alderwasley, Via Cromford.	Access for All Walkers Cyclists	Primary	DVHW upgrade	Private	Derwent Valley Heritage Way upgrade, extension to route 12. Difficult in relation to widths and proximity to River Derwent.

		Horse riders				
21	Matlock to Tansley	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Tertiary	Footpath	Private	Tertiary link into Tansley and Safe route to School.
22	Wirksworth Link	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Primary	Unknown	Private	Link from High Peak Trail into Wirksworth and Ecclesbourne Valley Railway, via Leisure Centre.
23	High Peak Trail to Bradbourne Via Brassington	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Secondary	Minor Rds	Highway	High Peak Trail link to Bradbourne and Peak Park BESST routes.
24	Ashbourne to Church Mayfield	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Primary	Dismantled Railway	Private	Link out of Ashbourne, connecting to Sustrans route 68 in Ashbourne, and continuing cross boundary to the East.
25	Doveridge to Sudbury	Access for All Walkers Cyclists Horse riders	Primary	Minor Rds	Highway	East to West link and connection into South Derbyshire Greenway Strategy. Southern tip of study area.