

Walking the Wolds – Sunday Lunch Saunter 17.11.24

| What are the hazards? | Who might be harmed and how? | What are you already doing to control the risks? | What further action do you need to take to control the risks? | Who needs to carry out the action? | When is the action needed by? |
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| Any potential risks that result in walkers being unable to carry on and / or needing hospital treatment | All | Devise emergency plan with access routes for vehicles, what3words locations, share emergency plan with all volunteer helpers | Ensure that there is a qualified first aider with the party. Remain in contact with helpers via walkie-talkies at all times. Keep group together | SM & volunteer helpers | Emergency plan completed in advance of the walk. |
| First aid requirements | Caused by walking in the countryside | SM to carry first aid kit/. Walkers to carry own first aid kits. Advice given along the way if paths uneven or new hazard identified. Steady walking pace. | None | SM | On the day |
| Emergency Contacts | May be required if accidents occur | SM to gather emergency contacts before setting off | None | SM | On the day |
| Toilets | No toilets on route | Use facilities at home or on route or drive to Laurel Vines Vineyard first | Owners to read risk assessment posted on WTW web site | SM | On the day |
| Other dogs | Dogs may react to other dogs arriving to take part. Dog may also get excited, run and trip people up. | Dogs kept on leads and under supervised control by owners. People to remain aware of dogs in the vicinity | Owners to read risk assessment posted on WTW web site | Dog Owners | On the day |
| Uneven ground, slippery and wet underfoot | People may slip, trip and fall | Advise to wear suitable footwear and bring walking poles before hand | Advise to take care on the day and lead the group slowly if ground becomes slippery | Walkers / SM | Prior to the walk and on the day |

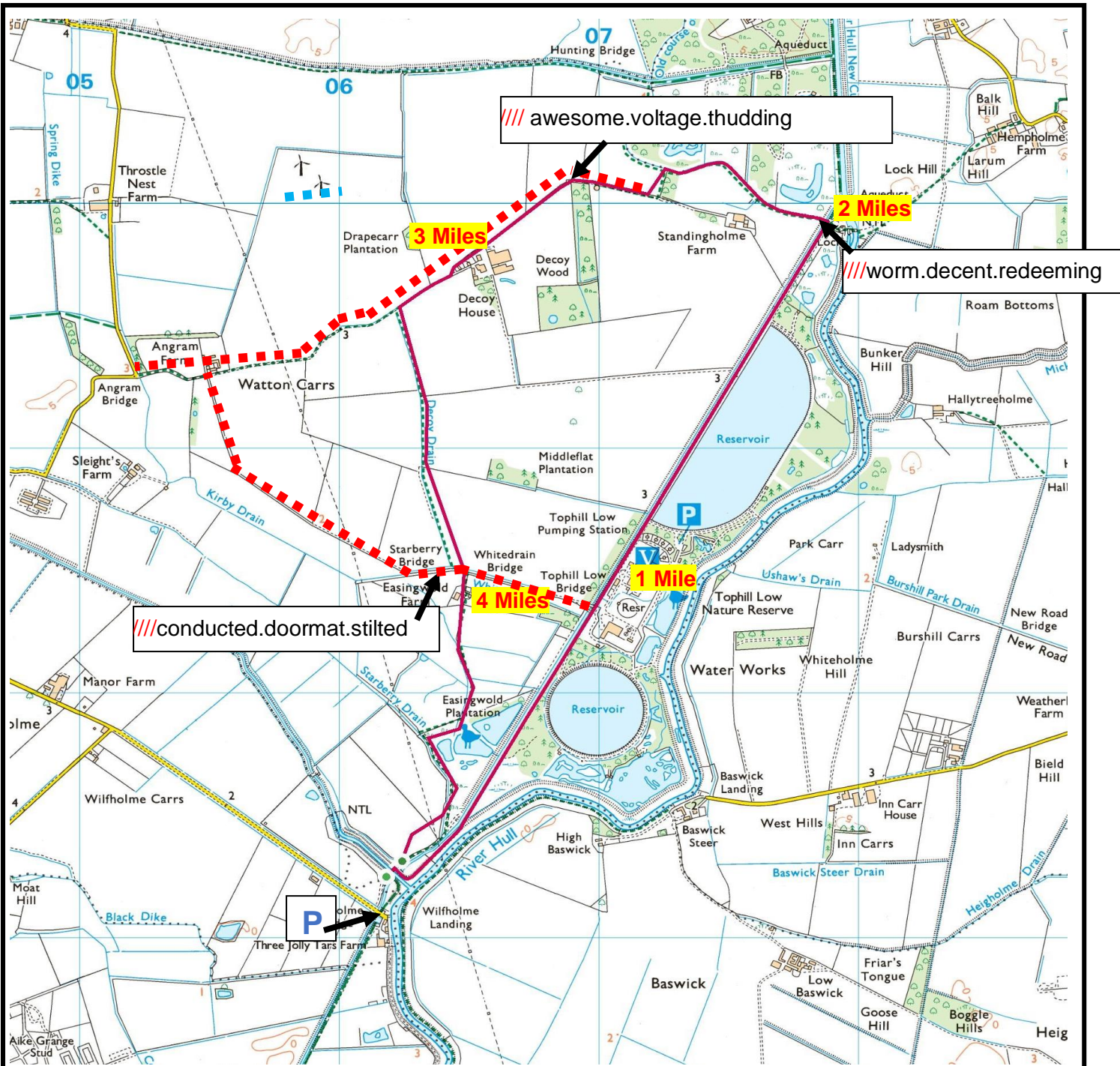
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| Dog mess created along the route | Wild animals and crops | Advise on responsible dog ownership prior to setting off | SM to carry spare doggy bags | Walkers / SM | On the day |
| Horses or cyclists on bridleways or farm road | People may be hit, dogs may be frightened, horses may be frightened | Advise to keep a watch out for other users and keep dogs on leads if horses / cyclists seen | Owners to read risk assessment posted on WTW web site | Dog Owners / Walkers | On the day |
| Footpaths with brambles – particularly low hanging | People may get spiked. | Prior warn walkers to wear long trousers / shirts and to be careful. Emergency numbers to be taken on the morning before setting off | Restate on the day as we approach footpaths to take care | Walkers and SM | Prior to the walk and on the day |
| Walkers / Dogs become unwell | People fall ill and cannot continue or fall behind | Advise on difficulty of walk, for people to decide if they are able to undertake it (and if their dogs can do the same) | Post a back-marker walker (with high vis-vest) to ensure no one is left. Use walkie-talkies and walk at a pace that all walkers can do. | SM / Back marker | Prior to the walk and on the day. |
| Game shooting near farms | People and dogs harmed | No shooting known to be taking place | Check on day | SM | 17.11.24 (checked) |
| Car Parking area Wilfholme Landing– cars moving around – people & dogs | Dogs may run in front of or behind cars if not controlled and hit / be hit by cars | Dogs kept on leads and under supervised control by owners. | Owners to read risk assessment posted on WTW web site | Dog Owners | On the day |
| Horses in field near start | Dogs and people may be scared of horses – if dogs bark they may spook the horses (horses are friendly) | Dogs kept on leads – proceed in small groups – make sure that gates are secure and horses can't escape | Owners to read risk assessment posted on WTW web site | Dog Owners / Walkers | On the day |

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| Walk along waterways all along the route (drains and dikes) | Dogs may jump in and get into difficulty – water may be deep and be polluted | Dogs kept on leads if unsure and kept under control | Owners to read risk assessment posted on WTW web site | Dog Owners / Walkers | On the day |
| Muddy and rutted paths in places | Uneven – people may trip and fall | Walk steadily and at a pace to suit everyone. Try and pick out drier parts of the path | Owners to read risk assessment posted on WTW web site | All walkers | On the day |
| Wild life on route – deer, geese and swans mainly | Birds / Deer may be spooked or cause dogs to run off | Keep dogs under close control or on leads if they are not good at recall. | Owners to read risk assessment posted on WTW web site | All walkers | On the day |
| Narrow bridge at top of Barmston Drain | People or dogs may fall | Take bridge in a steady manner one at a time | Owners to read risk assessment posted on WTW web site | All walkers | On the day |
| Livestock (cows) at end of walk– keep dogs on leads unless cows get too close | Livestock worried- Cows may charge | Pre-checked and cows in evidence away from the main path (15.11.24) – BUT they may have moved along | Dogs to be put on leads, kept under close control unless cows come too close and it is better to let them off. | Dog Owners and SM | On the day |

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Route – 4.83 miles

Total Ascent – 35 feet

Vehicle Access Route:

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Un-Made Track

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Road, Lane or Farm Track

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Start / Finish – Wilfholme Landing YO25 9BQ

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**Nearest A & E – 19.5 miles away – Hull Royal
Infirmary, Anlaby Rd, Hull HU3 2JZ**

**Nearest Emergency Vet – 12.3 miles away –
Aldgate Veterinary Practice, St John's Place,
Driffield YO25 6QD- (24 hour) - 01377 252087
(Driffield) or 01262 677269 (Bridlington)**

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