



High Weald AONB  
Landscape Character:  
Historic routeways  
**Maresfield Parish**

**Key**

Historic routeways - roads (R1)

Historic routeways - PROW (R1)

Area of parish outside the High Weald AONB for which data is not displayed or not available (NB: only applicable where parishes straddle the AONB boundary)

High Weald AONB boundary

**Summary Character Description:**  
The High Weald AONB is characterised by ancient routeways (now roads, tracks and paths) in the form of ridge-top roads and a dense system of radiating droveways. Ancient routeways are often narrow, deeply sunken, and edged with trees, hedges, wildflower-rich verges and boundary banks.

**Management Plan Objectives**  
*R1 Objective: To maintain the historic pattern and features of routeways.*  
*R2 Objective: To enhance the ecological function of routeways.*

For further info please refer to the High Weald AONB Management Plan, which may be downloaded from our website (see address below).

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