

CROW working group report

The past 12 months have been a frustrating time for a campaign with any political content, thanks to Brexit and its immense fallout.

I have recently been able to discuss the issue of CROW Act access for cavers with a senior Labour MP who is involved with environmental matters, and he has kindly agreed to table parliamentary questions on our behalf. We will be drafting these soon, though it may prove wise to wait until the autumn as parliament will soon be rising for the summer recess.

When the Tories have chosen their new leader, we will make a renewed effort to make our case known to whomever is appointed Environment Secretary, initially via their special adviser. Other than this, there is nothing to report.

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