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North Devon Highways and Traffic Orders Committee
15 March 2019

Annual Local Waiting Restriction Programme

Report of the Chief Officer for Highways, Infrastructure Development and Waste

Please note that the following recommendation is subject to consideration and determination by the Committee before taking effect.

Recommendation: It is recommended that *work on the annual waiting restrictions programme process for 2019/2020 is noted.*

1. Background

This report updates members on progress with the 4th year of this project, which is a countywide initiative. The project is intended to deliver only non-contentious proposals unlikely to attract substantial objection.

2. Proposal

To ensure that proposals can be delivered within the 2019/20 financial year, a closing date of 18 January 2019 for submission of proposals has been agreed with the Cabinet Member for Highway Management. Proposals received are listed in Appendix I to this report.

3. Consultations

Individual members will be contacted over the coming weeks regarding proposals within their divisions and it is also intended to gauge the support of Parish and Town Councils prior to advertising.

Following advertisement:

- Proposals which do not attract objections will be implemented without the need to report back to Committee.
- Proposals attracting significant objections will be reported to the North Devon HATOC on 31 October 2019.

4. Financial Considerations

The total costs of the scheme are contained within a countywide budget of £100,000 which has been allocated from the On-Street Parking Account.

There will be a cost to the Council in advertising a new Traffic Order for each Committee Area, this will be approximately £1,500. In addition, the costs of any changes to signing or lining will be attributed to that Order.

5. Environmental Impact Considerations

The proposals are intended to rationalise on-street parking and improve mobility and access within the district and are designed to:

- Encourage turnover of on-street parking to benefit residents and businesses.
- Enable enforcement to be undertaken efficiently.
- Encourage longer term visitors to use off street car parks.
- Encourage commuters to make more sustainable travel choices eg Car Share, Public Transport, Walking and Cycling.
- Assist pedestrians and other vulnerable road users in crossing the highway

The Environmental effects of the scheme are therefore positive.

6. Equality Considerations

There are not considered to be any equality issues associated with the proposals. The impact will therefore be neutral.

7. Legal Considerations

The lawful implications and consequences of the proposal have been considered and taken into account in the preparation of this report.

When making a Traffic Regulation Order it is the County Council's responsibility to ensure that all relevant legislation is complied with. This includes Section 122 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 that states that it is the duty of a local authority, so far as practicable, secures the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of traffic and provision of parking facilities. It is considered that the proposals comply with Section 122 of the Act as they practically secure the safe and expeditious movement of traffic in the North Devon District.

8. Risk Management Considerations

There are thought to be no major safety issues arising from the proposals.

9. Public Health Impact

There is not considered to be any public health impact.

10. Reasons for Recommendations

The proposals rationalise existing parking arrangements within the North Devon District by:

- Encouraging turnover of on-street parking to benefit residents and businesses
- Enabling enforcement to be undertaken efficiently.
- Encouraging longer term visitors to use off-street car parks.
- Encouraging those working in the town make more sustainable travel choices eg Car Share, Public Transport, Walking and Cycling.

The proposals contribute to the safe and expeditious movement of traffic in the North Devon District and therefore comply with S 122 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

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Electoral Divisions: All in North Devon

Local Government Act 1972: List of Background Papers

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Background Paper	Date	File Ref.
None		

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2019/20 Annual Waiting Restriction Programme
Proposals to be considered**

Reference	Location	Parish/Town	County Councillor	Proposals	Statement of reasons
1	North Morte Road	Mortehoe	Andrea Davis	Introduce No Waiting At Any Time	To prevent inappropriate parking.
2	Boutport Street	Barnstaple	Brian Greenslade	Request for No loading	To prevent inappropriate parking.
3	Pilton Street	Barnstaple	Brian Greenslade	Introduce extension of No Waiting At Any Time	To prevent inappropriate parking.
4	Tuly Street	Barnstaple	Brian Greenslade	Request for No loading	To prevent inappropriate parking.
5	Lower Park Road	Braunton	Caroline Chugg	Introduce extension of No Waiting At Any Time	To prevent inappropriate parking.
6	North Street	Braunton	Caroline Chugg	Introduce extension of No Waiting At Any Time	To prevent inappropriate parking.
7	Road to Home Park	Horwood, Lovacott & Newton Tracey	Frank Biederman	Introduce an advisory School Keep Clear	To deter inappropriate parking.

Reference	Location	Parish/Town	County Councillor	Proposals	Statement of reasons
8	East Street	South Molton	Jeremy Yabsley	Review the No Waiting outside 78-82	To prevent inappropriate parking without losing any on-street parking spaces.
9	Kingdon Avenue	South Molton	Jeremy Yabsley	Introduce No Waiting At Any Time	To prevent inappropriate parking.
10	South Street	South Molton	Jeremy Yabsley	Request for No loading	To prevent inappropriate parking.
11	Sticklepath Hill	Barnstaple	John Mathews	Change times to residents parking	To provide more parking for residents at the weekend.
12	Bradwell Road	Ilfracombe	Paul Crabb	Introduce No Waiting At Any Time	To prevent inappropriate parking.
13	Broad Street/Lee Place	Ilfracombe	Paul Crabb	To review existing extent of No Waiting Restrictions	To prevent inappropriate parking.
14	Granville Road	Ilfracombe	Paul Crabb	To review existing extent of No Waiting Restrictions	To provide more parking for residents.
15	Marlborough Road	Ilfracombe	Paul Crabb	Request for No loading	Aid enforcement outside the school.
16	Outside 15 Larkstone Terrace	Ilfracombe	Paul Crabb	Introduce No Waiting At Any Time	To prevent inappropriate parking.

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17	Princess Avenue	Ilfracombe	Paul Crabb	Introduce No Waiting At Any Time	To prevent inappropriate parking.
18	Princess Avenue Play Park	Ilfracombe	Paul Crabb	Introduce No Waiting At Any Time	To prevent inappropriate parking.
19	St. Brannocks Road	Ilfracombe	Paul Crabb	Extension to waiting restrictions	To prevent inappropriate parking.