



Northumberland

County Council

RECORD OF DECISION TAKEN BY SERVICE DIRECTOR - LOCAL SERVICES

Paul Jones - Service Director - Local Services

PROPOSED PARKING RESTRICTIONS, C74/C76 JUNCTION, CRASTER

Cabinet Member: Councillor Glen Sanderson

Purpose of Report

To consider the results of the consultation exercise regarding a proposal to provide 'No Waiting at Any Time' parking restrictions (double yellow lines) at the C74/C76 junction, Craster.

Recommendations

It is recommended that the proposed No Waiting at Any Time parking restrictions are implemented.

Link to Corporate Plan

Living - "We want you to feel safe, healthy and cared for"
Enjoying - "We want you to love where you live"

Key Issues

The County Council has received concerns via the local ward member about parking close to the C74/C76 road junction at Craster.

Visitors are parking close to the junction making it difficult for motorists to see oncoming traffic.

Delegated decisions

Background

1. The County Council has received concerns via the local ward member about parking close to the C74/C76 road junction at Craster.
2. The junction is located just outside Craster village, where the C76 road from Craster Tower meets the C74 road from Dunstan. The location is shown below.



3. Craster is a popular visitor destination and at busy times parking takes place at the roadside on the approach to the village.
4. When this happens, cars park right up to the junction making it difficult for drivers joining the C74 to see oncoming traffic from the left. The photo below shows the view towards Dunstan from the junction. Double yellow lines are already in place immediately to the south of the junction so visibility to the right is clear.

Delegated decisions



Looking north towards Dunstan. Cars park right up to the junction, interrupting sightlines.

5. Statutory consultees were therefore consulted on a proposal to extend the existing double yellow lines from Craster northwards to keep the junction clear. A copy of the consultation plan is shown in Appendix A.
6. No responses were received, though the local Ward Member supports the proposal.
7. It is therefore recommended that the proposed additional 'No Waiting at Any' time parking restrictions are implemented.

Implications Arising out of the Report

Policy	None
Finance and value for money	None.
Legal	Motorists will be required to comply with the Traffic Regulation Order.
Procurement	None
Human Resources	None
Property	None
Equalities	None

Delegated decisions

(Impact Assessment attached) Yes No N/A	
Risk Assessment	None
Crime & Disorder	None
Customer Consideration	Statutory consultees have been consulted.
Carbon reduction	None
Wards	Longhoughton

Background papers:

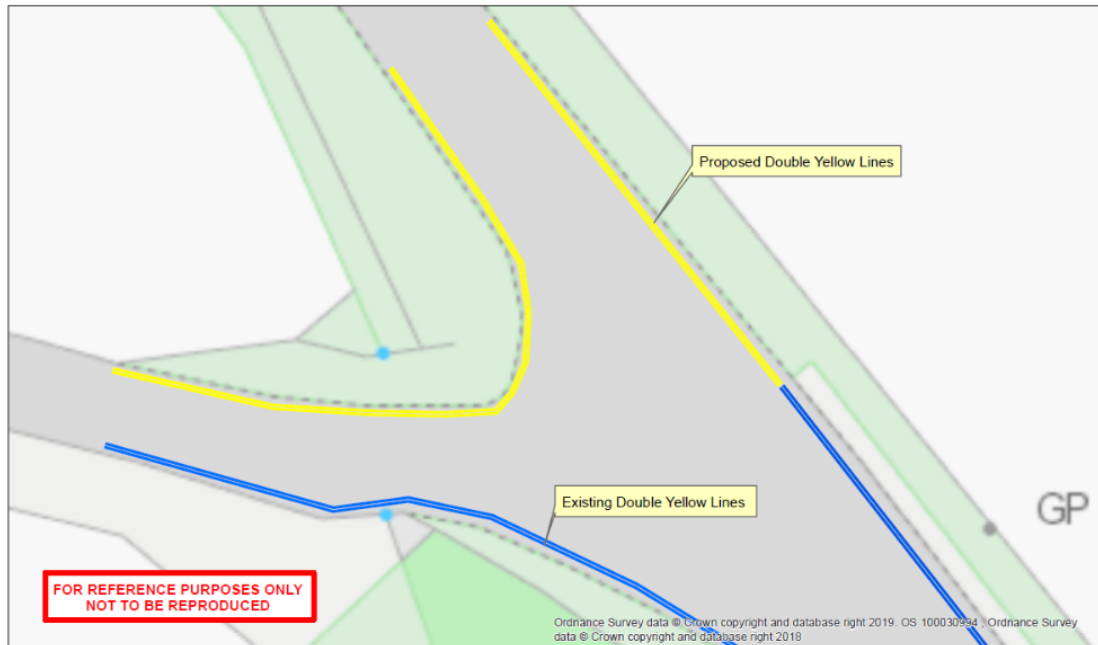
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Appendix A - Consultation Plan



DECISION TAKEN

**Title of Officer(s) and Portfolio
Holder (where appropriate):**

Paul Jones - Service Director - Local Services

Subject:

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JUNCTION, CRASTER**

Consultation

No responses received.

Decision Taken:

It is recommended that the proposed No Waiting at
Any Time parking restrictions are implemented.

Signature of Director/
~~officer/Portfolio Holder~~ (where
appropriate)*



Date

15 April 2020

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