

RECORD OF DECISION TAKEN BY SERVICE DIRECTOR - LOCAL SERVICES

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Introduction of new 'No Waiting' Restrictions on The Peth, Wooler Cabinet Member: Glen Sanderson - Environment & Local Services

31 January 2020

Purpose of Report

This report sets out the background to the proposed implementation of new 'No Waiting at Any Time' restrictions (Double Yellow Lines) on The Peth Wooler.

Recommendations

It is recommended that the proposed new No Waiting At Any Time restrictions (Double Yellow Lines) on The Peth, Wooler, be introduced.

Link to Corporate Plan

Living - "We want you to feel safe, healthy and cared for"
Enjoying - "We want you to love where you live"
Learning - "We want you to achieve and realise your potential"

Key Issues

- 1. There is an issue with indiscriminate parking on The Peth Wooler, which is causing road safety concerns.
- 2. The scheme is supported by County Councillor Murray, Wooler Parish Council and local residents.

Background

Introduction of 'No Waiting at Any Time' Restrictions (Double Yellow Lines)

Council Officers have been notified by County Councillor Murray and Wooler Parish Council that instances of indiscriminate parking are taking place on The Peth Wooler. This is causing road safety concerns to residents and road users. Motorists are parking on either side of the road approaching a bend on The Peth, causing visibility issues when travelling in both directions.

It is therefore recommended to introduce 'No Waiting at Any Time' restrictions (double yellow lines) on road safety grounds at this location. The rationale is to prevent parking where it is considered unsafe to do so in key locations. Civil Enforcement will be carried out by Parking Services on their routine visits to the town.



Photograph 1: View showing the approximate location of the proposed restrictions on The Peth in Wooler

Details of the proposals are shown on the plan - Appendix A.

A formal consultation did not take place. However residents were canvassed on the proposals by the County Councillor and Parish Council. Council Officers have worked closely with County Councillor Murray and Wooler Parish Council on proposals to resolve these issues.

Northumbria Police, other emergency services and relevant statutory

consultees will be notified of these amendments as part of the process for making the permanent Orders.

Implications Arising out of the Report

Policy	Consistent with existing policies
Finance and value for money	Scheme will be financed from the 2019/20 Local Transport Plan
Legal	Traffic Regulation Orders (reference TRO_005_42)
Procurement	Signage and road markings to meet Regulations for Traffic Regulation Orders
Human Resources	None
Property	None
Equalities	N/A
(Impact Assessment attached)	
Yes No N/A	
Risk Assessment	N/A
Crime & Disorder	Reduction in indiscriminate parking
Customer Consideration	Residents and road users will benefit from the introduction of these restrictions
Carbon reduction	N/A
Wards	Wooler

Delegated Decision

Background papers:

File reference - S:\Highways\PROJECT\19\HE Minor Improvements\HED19323 Traffic Regulation Orders\HED19323-29 Peth Head Wooler

Appendix A - Scheme Plan -

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DECISION TAKEN

Title of Officer:	Service Director, Local Services.
Subject:	Proposed introduction of new 'No Waiting at Any Time' restrictions (Double Yellow Lines) on The Peth, Wooler
Consultation:	Local residents were canvassed on the proposals and were in favour. The scheme is supported by the local County Councillor and Wooler Parish Council.
Decision Taken:	To introduce new 'No Waiting at Any Time' restrictions (Double Yellow Lines) on The Peth, Wooler
Signature of Director	AM
Date	11/2/20

Appendix A

