

**NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY COUNCIL
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984
(BRIDGE STREET BLYTH 20 MPH SPEED RESTRICTION)
ORDER 2024 (TROM_310)**

Northumberland County Council, in exercise of their powers under Sections 81 to 84 and Part III and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 ("the Act") and all other enabling powers, and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 of the Act, hereby make the following Order:

1. (1) This Order shall come into operation on the 26th February 2024 and may be cited as "Northumberland County Council (Bridge Street Blyth 20 MPH Speed Restriction) Order 2024."
- (2) The restrictions imposed by this Order shall be in addition to and not in derogation from any restriction or requirement imposed by any regulation made or having effect as if made under the Act or by or under any other enactment.
- (3) Except where otherwise stated, any reference in this Order to a numbered article or schedule is a reference to the article or schedule bearing that number in this Order.
2. Save as provided in Articles 3 and 4, this Order shall render it unlawful for a person to drive a vehicle at a speed in excess of 20 mph on those lengths of highways detailed in The Schedule to this Order.
3. Nothing in Articles 1 and 2 shall make it unlawful for a person to drive in excess of 20 mph on the lengths of highways specified in The Schedule to this Order, if it is being used for police, fire and rescue or ambulance purposes.
4. Nothing in Articles 1 and 2 shall make it unlawful for a person to drive in excess of 20 mph on the lengths of highways specified in The Schedule, if the vehicle is used by a member of the special forces and is being driven in response, or for practice in responding, to a national security emergency by a person who has been trained in driving vehicles at high speeds or for the purpose of training a person in driving vehicles at high speeds.

THE COMMON SEAL of NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY COUNCIL

was hereunto affixed this 15th day of February 2024 in the presence of:-



Duly Authorised Officer



Seal Number: 26429

THE SCHEDULE

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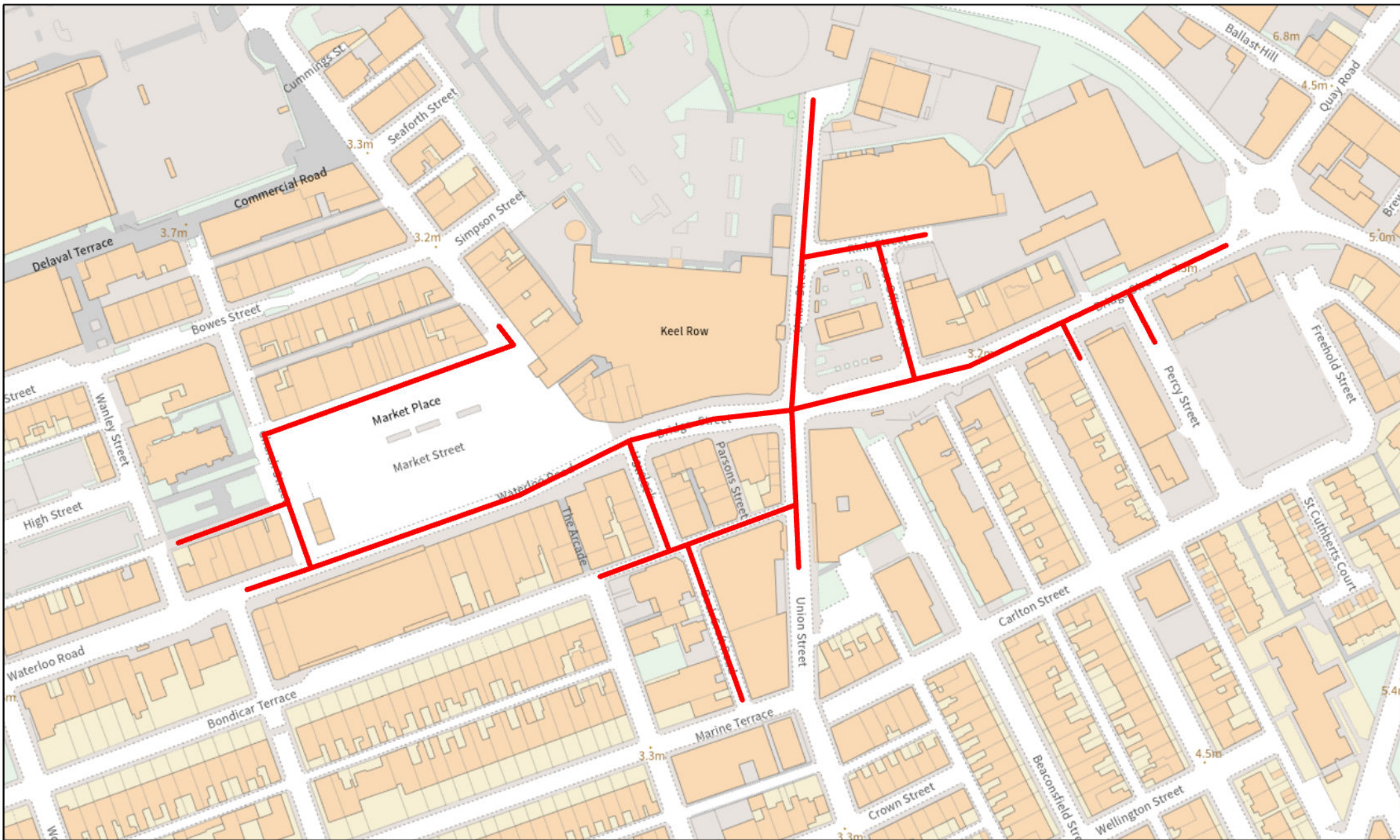
**20 mph speed restriction on the following lengths of highways
(and for reference only, detailed on the attached plan)**

USRN	Street	Town	Description
3204844	MARKET STREET	BLYTH	For its entire length
3201654	CHURCH STREET	BLYTH	At its junction with Market Street to its junction with Waterloo Road
3219016	U9503 WATERLOO ROAD BACK LANE	BLYTH	At its junction with Church Street to its junction with Wanley Street
3202955	WATERLOO ROAD	BLYTH	At its junction with Coomassie Road to its junction with Bridge Street
3200597	HAVELOCK STREET	BLYTH	For its entire length
3202083	BONDICAR TERRACE	BLYTH	At its junction with Croft Road to its junction with Union Street
3206151	CROFT ROAD BACK	BLYTH	For its entire length
3203046	UNION STREET	BLYTH	At a point 25 metres south of its junction with Bondicar Terrace for its full length in a northerly direction
3202018	BRIDGE STREET	BLYTH	At its junction with Waterloo Road to its junction with Inner Relief Road
3200891	FYNES STREET	BLYTH	For its entire length
3205547	RINK STREET	BLYTH	For its entire length
3204226	POST OFFICE STREET	BLYTH	For its entire length
3219047	U9513 U9514 STANLEY STREET PERCY BACK LANE	BLYTH	At its junction with Bridge Street to a point 13 metres south east of its junction with Bridge Street
3204266	PERCY STREET	BLYTH	At its junction with Bridge Street to a point 25 metres south east of its junction with Bridge Street

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**STATEMENT OF THE COUNCIL'S REASONS FOR
MAKING THE ORDER**


The Order is necessary to improve road safety by reducing traffic speeds in Blyth town centre, where pedestrians and cyclists are likely to be more prominent due to the new road layout and high number of commercial properties situated here.




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Title: Proposed 20 MPH Speed Limit The Link (Bridge Street, Blyth)		
Drn: JB	Date: August 2023	Scale: NTS

Key:
 **Proposed 20 MPH Speed Limit Extents**