

Northumberland County Council

RECORD OF DECISION TAKEN BY ACTING DIRECTOR OF LOCAL SERVICES AND HOUSING

Paul Jones

Proposed No Waiting at Any Time Restrictions, C123 Albion Terrace / Lyne Terrace, Lynemouth

14th December 2016

Purpose of Report

To consider the the introduction of a "No Waiting at Any Time" restriction adjacent to the Health Centre at the junction of C123 Albion Terrace / Lyne Terrace, Lynemouth.

Recommendations

 It is recommended that the following restrictions are introduced on Albion Terrace / Lyne Terrace, Lynemouth: No waiting at any time, (double yellow lines).

Key Issues

- 1. This area has been the subject of traffic safety concerns over a period of time i.e. obstruction of a junction, resulting in visibility issues, raising concerns with residents, local Councillor and Parish Council.
- 2. The Scheme is funded and supported by Councillor Milburn Douglas.

Background

- Safety concerns have been identified to Councillor Douglas by residents and staff of the Health Centre on a number of occasions with regard to obstruction of the junction.
- 2. It is proposed to introduce no waiting at any time restriction in this area
- 3. This would help improve traffic safety for the residents, Health centre visitors and road users of Albion terrace and Lyne Terrace, Lynemouth.

Consultation

- These proposals were the subject of a consultation exercise, conducted on the 15th April 2016. This involved the delivery of a consultation letter to 12 properties and 26 statutory consultees, including the emergency services and various disabled and transport associations/organisations. A plan showing the proposals is attached together with a copy of the consultation letter (see Appendix A).
- 2. The consultation exercise ended on 6th May 2016 and responses were received from 1 consultee, with 1 in favour (with conditions), 0 against and 0 neither for nor against the proposal. A summary of the response is attached as Appendix B.

Comments

- 1. Councillor Douglas was notified of the results of the consultation.
- 2. Suggestions resulting from the consultation prompted a site meeting and discussions between the Vice Chair of Lynemouth Parish Council and an Officer of the Council, a revised plan was proposed and agreed upon, attached as Appendix C.
- Councillor Douglas confirms he wishes to proceed with a revised version of the proposal, this will be funded through his allocation in the Member Local Improvements Programme.
- 4. This scheme will be carried out at the same time as a similar scheme on Albion Terrace Lynemouth, which has also been proposed and agreed with Councillor Douglas. Thereby, making a saving in advertising costs for the traffic regulation order and programming.

Recommendations

- It is recommended that the revised proposal as detailed in Appendix C should proceed. A further consultation was not deemed required as the revision takes into consideration the comments and observations provided within the original consultation.
- 2. The Council has the power to hold a public inquiry before making any traffic regulation order. Such an inquiry might enable disputed evidence to be tested under cross-examination and the need for an order to be

critically examined by an independent inspector. In this particular case, officers believe that the extensive consultation process and involvement with interested parties, means that such an inquiry is unlikely to bring any fresh information to light and it is therefore recommended that an inquiry is not held.

File References

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Appendix A – Consultation Letter and Plan

Appendix B – Consultation Response

Appendix C – Revised Parking Restriction Plan

Implications Arising out of the Report

Policy	None	
Finance and value for money	Funded through the Member's Local Improvement Programme allocation for Councillor Milburn Douglas	
Legal	Preparation of Traffic Regulation Orders (TRO)	
Procurement		
Human Resources	None	
Property	None	
Equalities	None	
(Impact Assessment attached)		
Yes No N/A		
Risk Assessment	Introduction of no waiting at any time restriction	
Crime & Disorder	Traffic safety concerns i.e. obstruction	
Customer Consideration	Scheme is anticipated to improve road safety for residents in the area	
Carbon reduction		
Wards	Lynemouth	

Background papers:

None

Report sign off.

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DECISION TAKEN

Title of Officer(s) and Portfolio Holder	Director of Local Services and Housing
Subject:	Proposed introduction of No waiting at any time restriction
Consultation	1 Response1 For0 Against0 Neither for nor against
Decision Taken:	Introduce No Waiting at Any Time Restriction (revised).
Signature of Director	711
Date	21/12/16



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Friday 15th April 2016

Dear Sir/Madam

Proposed No Waiting at Any Time Parking Restrictions, Albion Terrace. (Health Centre), Lynemouth

Residents have raised concerns with County Councillor Douglas, about indiscriminate parking near the Health Centre, Albion Terrace, Lynemouth and this is causing potential road safety issues. Councillor Douglas has therefore requested that "No Waiting at Any Time" Parking Restrictions be introduced in order to alleviate these concerns.

I am therefore writing in accordance with Regulation 5 of the Local Authorities Traffic Orders (Procedure) (England and Wales) Regulations 1998 (as amended) to formally advise you on the proposed introduction of "No Waiting At Any Time" parking restrictions at Albion Terrace, Lynemouth as shown on the attached plan.

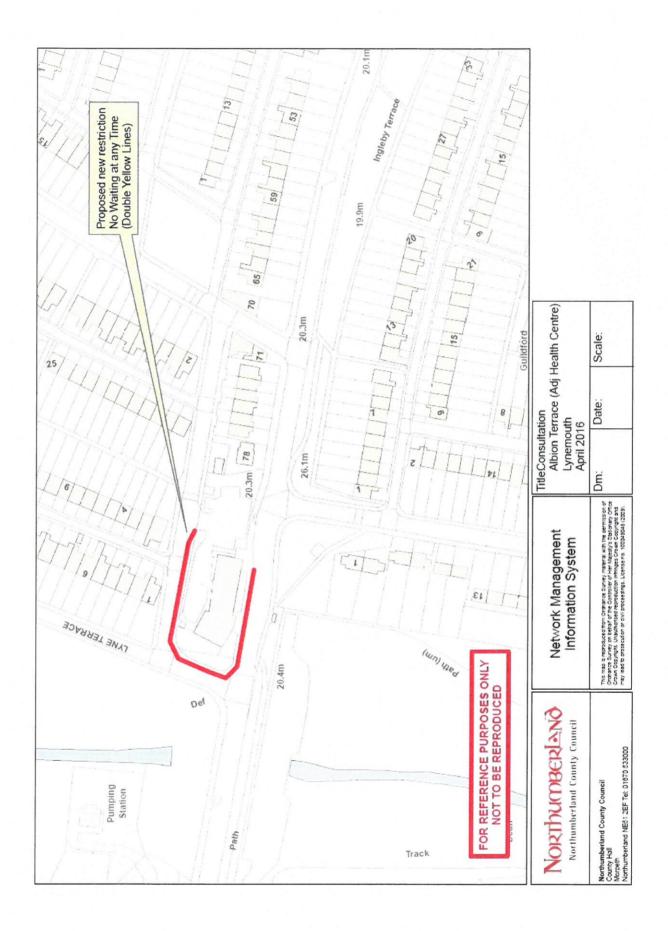
If you have any comments or observations regarding this proposal please can you email or write to Highways Programme and Production, County Hall, Morpeth NE61 2EF

Yours faithfully

Terry Luck

Programme Officer





Appendix B



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22/04/2016

Mr T Luck Programme Officer Northumberland County Council County Hall Morpeth NE61 2EF

Dear Mr Luck

Re: Proposed No Waiting at Any Time Parking Restrictions, Wellway Medical, Albion Terrace, Lynemouth

Further to your letter of 15th April, Wellway Medical has considered the proposed new parking restrictions outside the surgery particularly those on Albion Terrace which is the main thoroughfare through Lynemouth, we are aware that this is an issue and have asked patients not to park outside our front entrance.

However we are confused and concerned by the inclusion of the adjacent roads - Lyne Terrace and the back street of Albion Terrace. We have received no complaints about parking on either of these two streets and note that most of the domestic parking throughout Lynemouth is on side streets precisely the same as these.

We would therefore fully support the no waiting at any time restrictions on Albion Terrace, but object to the inclusion of the other two sides of the surgery in the absence of a similar policy concerning side streets in Lynemouth.

Yours sincerely

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Appendix C

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