



Northumberland County Council

RECORD OF DECISION TAKEN BY SERVICE DIRECTOR - LOCAL SERVICES

Paul Jones

2 December 2021

Proposed Keep Clear Restriction Palace Road Bedlington

Cabinet Member: Councillor John Riddle

Purpose of Report

This report sets out the background to the proposed introduction of a Keep Clear Restriction on Palace Road, Bedlington.

Recommendations

It is recommended the proposed Keep Clear Restriction (yellow zig-zag markings Monday to Friday 8am to 5pm) are introduced on Palace Road, Bedlington, adjacent to Bedlington Academy.

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. As a result of a planning condition
2. The road markings are proposed following road safety considerations.
3. The Academy and Local County Councillor fully supports this proposal.

Delegated Decision

Background

As part of the development of the old Bedlingtonshire Community High School into the new Bedlington Academy, one of the planning conditions is to provide Keep Clear Markings adjacent to the Academy entrance. This is also in line with County Council Policy.

NCC Design Section were requested to provide an appropriate design – See Appendix A.

A Traffic Regulation Order (TRO) will be drafted and implemented as part of this requirement and enforcement will be carried out by NCC Parking Services. The parking restrictions will be enforceable Monday to Friday 8am to 5pm.



Palace Road southbound adjacent to Bedlington Academy

Delegated Decision

Implications Arising out of the Report

Policy	Consistent with existing policies
Finance and value for money	Scheme will be financed by Northumberland County Council – Education and Skills Department via the development of the school site
Legal	Traffic Regulation Orders (reference TRO_011_117)
Procurement	Signage and road markings to meet Regulations for Traffic Regulation Orders
Human Resources	None
Property	None
Equalities (Impact Assessment attached) Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Risk Assessment	N/A
Crime & Disorder	Will enable enforcement of indiscriminate parking
Customer Consideration	It is anticipated to reduce road safety concerns adjacent to the Academy
Carbon reduction	None
Wards	Sleekburn

Delegated Decision

Background papers:

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Community High School\TRO and Notices

Appendix A - Scheme Plan

Author and Contact Details

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Delegated Decision

DECISION TAKEN

Title of Officer: Service Director, Local Services.

Subject: Proposed implementation of Keep Clear Restriction (yellow zig-zag markings Monday to Friday 8am to 5pm) on Palace Road Bedlington, adjacent to Bedlington Academy

Consultation: Formal consultation was carried out as part of the Planning process and the restrictions are introduced on road safety considerations. Local County Councillor, Town Council, Northumbria Police and Statutory Consultees notified via TRO Amendment legal process.

Decision Taken: To implement Keep Clear markings (Yellow zig-zag markings) on Palace Road Bedlington.

Signature of Director



Date

15th December 2021

Appendix A – Scheme Plan

