



Northumberland

County Council

RECORD OF DECISION TAKEN BY

Director of Environment and Transport

Paul Jones

Proposed Parking Restrictions – Unity Terrace, Cambois

Cabinet Member: Councillor John Riddle

01 September 2023

Purpose of Report

This report sets out the background to the proposal to introduce an extension of 'No Waiting at Any Time' restrictions (double yellow lines) on Unity Terrace in Cambois.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the proposed parking restrictions are implemented in order to improve road safety in the area.

Link to Corporate Plan

This report is relevant to the following key themes in the Corporate Plan for 2023-26:

'Thriving Places and Culture – Neighbourhoods are safe, clean and well maintained'

Key Issues

1. Northumberland County Council has received concerns regarding obstructive and indiscriminate parking on Unity Terrace adjacent to the War Memorial at St Andrew's Church in Cambois.
2. Additional 'No Waiting at Any Time' restrictions in the form of double yellow lines are proposed in order to alleviate these concerns.

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3. The proposal is supported by the local County Councillor and East Bedlington Parish Council.
4. The scheme is to be funded through the 2023/24 Local Transport Plan (LTP) programme.

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Background

The War Memorial at St. Andrew's Church is situated directly adjacent to the carriageway on Unity Terrace in Cambois. 'No Waiting at Any Time' (double yellow lines) restrictions are in operation at its junction with the back lane to Selbourne Terrace, however the rest of the road is derestricted.

Concerns have been raised by church representatives regarding obstructive and indiscriminate parking at this location which results in pedestrians being unable to access the entrance into the memorial due to vehicles also parking partially on the footway.



Fig. 1: War Memorial layout at Unity Terrace, Cambois

As a result, an extension of the existing double yellow lines demonstrated in Figure 1 is proposed in order to prohibit this practice and allow visitors to the memorial to enter and leave in a safe manner.

The proposal is intended to increase road safety for all road users, to maintain the free flow of traffic where possible and to protect the amenity of the area overall. A plan of the proposal is shown in Appendix A.

Northumbria Police, other emergency services and relevant statutory consultees will be notified of this amendment as part of the process for making the Traffic Regulation Order.

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Implications Arising out of the Report

Policy	Consistent with existing policies.
Finance and value for money	Scheme will be financed through the LTP 2023/24 programme.
Legal	Motorists will be required to comply with the Traffic Regulation Order.
Procurement	None
Human Resources	None
Property	None
Equalities Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A
Risk Assessment	The proposal is designed to reduce the risks associated with obstructive and indiscriminate parking.
Crime & Disorder	Regulations in place to carry out enforcement.
Customer Consideration	Statutory consultees will be consulted.
Carbon reduction	None
Ward	Sleekburn

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Background Papers

File reference – S:\Highways\PROJECT\21\HE Minor Improvements\HE213537D - TROs\HE213537D-49 Unity Terrace Cambois

Appendix A – Scheme Plan

Author

Report Author **William Binks, Programme Officer**

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DECISION TAKEN

Title of Officer	Director of Environment and Transport
Subject	Proposed 'No Waiting at Any Time' restrictions at Unity Terrace, Cambois
Consultation	Not required on the grounds of road safety, however statutory consultees have been informed.
Decision Taken	To introduce new 'No Waiting at Any Time' restrictions at Unity Terrace, Cambois

Signature of Director






Date

26th September 2023

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Appendix A - Scheme Plan



 Northumberland County Council	Network Management Information System	Title: Unity Terrace, Cambois			Key:  Proposed 'No Waiting At Any Time' Restriction (Double Yellow Lines)  Existing 'No Waiting At Any Time' Restriction to Remain
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