

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

(VARIOUS ROADS, NORTHAMPTON)

(WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS AND ON-STREET PARKING PLACES)

(CONSOLIDATION) ORDER 2018 (AMENDMENT No. 15) ORDER 2020

STATEMENT OF REASONS

Billing Road (access road to Woodstock House), Northampton – TRO

Further to concerns raised to the County Council from Northampton Borough Council regarding obstructive parking on the existing marked double yellow lines, the highways authority have agreed to promote a Traffic Regulation Order for the no waiting at any time restrictions in order to prevent obstruction of the access road.

Therefore the aim of this initiative is to ensure the free passage of traffic, to avoid danger to persons or other traffic using the road.

Subsequently, the highways authority have agreed to advertise the introduction of no waiting at any time restrictions (double yellow lines) Traffic Regulation Order to ensure the free passage of traffic throughout this access road.

For the purposes of the Traffic Regulation Order the County Council are promoting the introduction of parking restrictions in order to;

- Facilitate the passage of traffic.
- Avoid danger to persons or other traffic using the road.

St Matthews Parade, Northampton

Further to concerns raised to the County Council regarding obstructive parking which is causing access and visibility issues for pedestrians the highways authority have carried out an assessment, which have concluded that no waiting at any time restrictions are required in order to prevent obstruction of the highway and footways and improve visibility for motorists and pedestrians.

Therefore the aim of this initiative is to avoid danger to persons or other traffic using the road and footway.

Subsequently, the highways authority have agreed to advertise the introduction of no waiting at any time restrictions (double yellow lines) and no loading restrictions to ensure that the footway is kept clear of obstruction by parked vehicles.

For the purposes of the Traffic Regulation Order the County Council are promoting the introduction of parking restrictions in order to;

- Avoid danger to persons or other traffic using the road.
- Preventing damage to the road/footway or to buildings nearby.