

SUFFOLK COUNTY COUNCIL (VARIOUS ROADS, LOWESTOFT) (PROHIBITION OF MOTOR VEHICLES, ONE-WAY TRAFFIC AND REVOCATION) ORDER 2023

On 14 August 2023 Suffolk County Council made the above order under Sections 1, 2 and 4 and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended. The effect of which is to prohibit motor vehicles on:

- London Road North from a point 37 metres north-east of the centre of its junction with Regent Road, to a point on the southern side of its junction with Milton Road East (Schedule 1)
- High Street from a point 5 metres south of the southern kerb line of the east/west section of St Peters Street in a southerly direction to its junction with the A47 Artillery Way (Schedule 2)
- Triangle Market from a point 5 metres south of the southern kerb line of the east/west section of St Peters Street, that triangular shaped area bounded by High Street to the east and the footway outside Nos. 122 and 123 High Street and Nos. 1-11 (odd) St Peters Street to the west (Schedule 2)

Exemptions to both Schedule 1 and Schedule 2 of the order include emergency service vehicles; vehicles being used for building, industrial or demolition works; vehicles used for maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of the said length of the road; vehicles removing any obstruction to traffic; vehicles laying, erecting, altering or repairing the road or the land adjacent to the said length of road of any sewer or any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water, or electricity or any telecommunications system; vehicles being used by any owner, occupant or employee of a business or residential property adjacent to the said length of road and is authorised by East Suffolk Council for the purpose of loading and unloading goods;

Exemptions to Schedule 1 of the order also include any goods vehicle proceeding in the said length of road to gain access or to egress from the land or premises situated in that length of road for the purpose of loading or unloading goods between the hours of 4pm and 10am; and security vehicles being used to make a collection or delivery to premises situated in the length of road specified.

Exemptions to Schedule 2 also include any vehicle proceeding in the lengths of road specified if the vehicle is being used in connection with the market and is authorised to do so by East Suffolk Council for the purpose of setting up and dismantling of market stalls only.

The order will also prohibit motor vehicles from travelling on High Street from its junction with the east/west section of St Peters Street (the old 'Triangle Link Road') in any direction but a southerly direction to its junction with the A47 Artillery Way.

This order will revoke parts of the following previous orders:

- The District of Waveney (St Peters Street, Old Market Plain, Old Market Street, High Street, Lowestoft) (Waiting and Loading Restrictions) (Prohibition of Driving) (Prohibition and Restriction of Entry) and (One Way) Order 1998
- The Suffolk County Council (Various Roads, Lowestoft) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Loading, Additional Measures and Consolidation) Order 2005.

- The Suffolk County Council (Various Roads, Lowestoft) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Loading, Prohibition of Driving with Exemptions, Parking Places and Suspension) order 2005
- The Suffolk County Council (Gordon Road, Lowestoft) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Loading, Prohibition of Driving with Exemptions, Parking Places and Revocation) Order 2007.

A copy of the order, which comes into effect on 18 August 2023, and plans showing the road affected, may be seen with advance notice at the address below 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Monday – Friday; also at Lowestoft Library, Clapham Road South, Lowestoft, NR32 1DR: 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Monday, 8:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Tuesday – Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Saturday and 10:00 a.m. – 4.00 p.m. Sunday.

If anyone wishes to question the validity of the Order or of any provision contained in it on the grounds that it is not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended, or on the grounds that any of the requirements of that Act or any instrument made under it have not been complied with in relation to the Order, they may within six weeks of the date on which the Order was made apply to the High Court for this purpose.

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