OXFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (VARIOUS ROADS - WEST OXFORDSHIRE) (PROHIBITION AND RESTRICTION OF WAITING AND PERMITTED PARKING) (VARIATION No.35) ORDER 2025

NOTICE is given that on 31 March 2025 Oxfordshire County Council made the above orders under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984. The effect of Order, which comes into force on 7 April is to help manage the provision of residential and short-stay parking in parts of Witney town by introducing various restrictions as follows:

1. Parking places:

- a) Shared use parking bays, 'Permit holders unlimited time or general 2 hours waiting no return within 2 hours, Mon-Sat 8am-6pm' introduced on the following roads, replacing the previous time limited & unrestricted parking bays:
 - Church Green (eastern arm):
 - east side four separate bays between its junctions with Market Square & Farm Mill Lane,
 - Church Green (southern arm):
 - south side two separate bays adjacent to St Marys Church.
 - Corn Street:
 - o north side − a) two bays adjacent to Nos.58-76, b) three bays adjacent to Nos.88-110, and c) two bays adjacent to Nos.154-170,
 - o south side a) two bays adjacent to Nos.45-63, b) two bays adjacent to Nos.71-109, and c) two bays adjacent to Nos.117-129.
 - Market Square (south of Buttercross):
 - east side one bay between its junction with Langdale & Church Green,
 - west side one bay between its junction with Langdale & Church Green.
- b) 'Shared use parking bays, 'Permit holders unlimited time or 4 hours waiting no return within 1 hours, on all days 6am-10pm' introduced on the following road, replacing the previous time limited & unrestricted parking bays:
 - <u>Church Green</u> (central arm): west side three separate bays between its junction with Market Square & the southern arm of Church Green.

2. Eligible properties:

Residents will be able to apply for annual Residents and Visitors` Parking Permits and a local identifier of `WY` will be shown on permits and on road signage for bays where restrictions apply. Properties eligible to apply will be residents of Nos.1 – 24 Charter Place; Church Green (even Nos.2-44, Odd Nos.1-29); Corn Street (Even Nos.36-172, Odd Nos.27-151), Market Square (even Nos.52-58 & odd Nos.29-39); all properties in Marlborough Lane; and 2-20 (even numbers) Station Lane.

3. Residents permits:

Will be limited to one per resident with a maximum of two permits per property. A resident may obtain a temporary permit for a replacement vehicle while their permanent vehicle is off the road.

4. Visitors permits:

Will be available for residents at the above eligible addresses, usually a maximum of 50 days' worth of permits will be issued per year and provided in blocks of 25. A temporary resident will be entitled to 25 visitors permits.

5. Charges:

- a) for residents, per permit will be £65 per annum. Visitors permits for residents aged 70 or over will be free of charge, for all other residents the first block of 25 visitors permits will be free, and the second block will cost £25.
- b) The charge for each Business Permit will be £50.50 for 3 months; £95.00 for 6 months; £145.00 for 9 months and £190.00 for 12 months.
- c) Contractors may apply for a permit to use a resident's parking place at a charge of £31.50 for any period not exceeding a week.

6. Other Matters:

- a) A permit may be withdrawn if found to be granted based on false information, or a permit has not been used in accordance with the provisions of the Order, where it has been abused, or where the agreed terms have not been complied with. This may result in suspension of eligibility for further permits.
- b) Exemptions to the waiting restrictions and the restrictions on the use of parking places will include following exemptions: For disabled badge holders (maximum of three hours where there are `No Waiting` restrictions are in force), Carers Permit holders, for loading and unloading, people boarding or alighting a vehicle, emergency services, universal service providers and vehicles being used in connection with road works and works to the utility services, and official funeral vehicles.
- c) The Order further amends the Oxfordshire County Council (Various Roads West Oxfordshire) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Permitted Parking) Order 2012 to bring the proposed measures into that base order.
- d) Order 2. will amend the (Carers Permit) Order 2023 to include permission for eligible carers vehicles to park temporarily in the proposed new resident bays.

Documents giving more details of the proposals are available for public inspection online by visiting: https://letstalk.oxfordshire.gov.uk Copies may also be made available on request.

Objections to the proposals and other representations specifying the grounds on which they are made may be sent in writing to the address below by the end of 15 November 2024. The Council will consider objections and representations received in response to this Notice. They may be disseminated widely for these purposes and made available to the public.

Traffic Regulation Order & Schemes (Ref: CM/12.6.410/P0279) for the Director of Environment & Highways, Oxfordshire County Council, County Hall, New Road, Oxford, OX1 1ND. (Email: christian.mauz@oxfordshire.gov.uk Telephone: 0345 310 1111)