

**THE SOUTHEND BOROUGH COUNCIL (WAITING, LOADING, STOPPING AND PARKING PLACES) (MAP BASED) (CONSOLIDATION) ORDER 2021**

**THE SOUTHEND-ON-SEA CITY COUNCIL (WAITING, LOADING, STOPPING AND PARKING PLACES) (MAP BASED) (HIGHLANDS BOULEVARD) AMENDMENT NO.1 ORDER 2026**

Notice is hereby given that Southend-on-Sea City Council (hereinafter referred to as "the Council") in exercise of its powers under Sections 1, 2, 4, and 122 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, and of all other enabling powers, and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the 1984 Act has made the following Orders:

The effect of the Traffic Regulation Order (TRO) would be as follows:

**PTO1195 – Highlands Boulevard**

- a) At the junction of Buxton Avenue and Highlands Boulevard, extend the No Waiting at Any Time (double yellow line) restrictions to 10 metres.
- b) At the junction of Ewan Way and Highlands Boulevard, extend the No Waiting at Any Time restrictions to 10 metres.

The amendments shall come into operation on 19<sup>th</sup> January 2026 and may be cited as 'The Southend Borough Council (Waiting, Loading, Stopping and Parking Places) (Map-Based) (Consolidation) Order 2021':

- 'The Southend-on-Sea City Council (Waiting, Loading, Stopping and Parking Places) (Map-Based) (Highlands Boulevard) Amendment No.1 Order 2026'.

The changes for On-street parking will amend the following Order: 'The Southend Borough Council (Waiting, Loading, Stopping and Parking Places) (Map Based) (Consolidation) Order 2021'. A copy of this Consolidation Order, can be found online using the following link, under the 'Consolidation Orders' heading: <https://www.southend.gov.uk/transport-policies-traffic-regulation-orders/traffic-regulation-orders-consultations/2>

Copies of the Order, which will come into operation on 19<sup>th</sup> January 2026, the statement of reasons for making the Order and plans showing the affected streets can be inspected during normal office hours, inclusive for a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders were made at the Civic Centre, Victoria Avenue, Southend-on-Sea, SS2 6ER and at <https://www.southend.gov.uk/tro>.

Any person desiring to question the validity of the Orders or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it is not within the powers of the relevant section of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, or that any of the relevant requirements thereof or of any relevant regulations made thereunder has not been complied with may, within six weeks from the date on which the Orders were made, make an application for the purpose to the High Court.

Date: 16<sup>th</sup> January 2026

THE SOUTHEND BOROUGH COUNCIL (WAITING, LOADING, STOPPING AND PARKING PLACES) (MAP BASED) (CONSOLIDATION) ORDER 2021

THE SOUTHEND-ON-SEA CITY COUNCIL (WAITING, LOADING, STOPPING AND PARKING PLACES) (MAP BASED) (WOODFIELD GARDENS) AMENDMENT NO.\* ORDER 2025

THE SOUTHEND-ON-SEA CITY COUNCIL (WAITING, LOADING, STOPPING AND PARKING PLACES) (MAP BASED) (HIGHLANDS BOULEVARD) AMENDMENT NO.\* ORDER 2025

THE SOUTHEND-ON-SEA CITY COUNCIL (WAITING, LOADING, STOPPING AND PARKING PLACES) (MAP BASED) (HAMSTEL ROAD) AMENDMENT NO.\* ORDER 2025

Southend-on-Sea City Council (hereinafter referred to as “the Council”) in exercise of its powers under Sections 1, 2, 4 and 122 under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (as amended) (“the 1984 Act”) and the Traffic Management Act 2004 (“the 2004 Act”) and of all other enabling powers, and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the 1984 Act, hereby give notice that it intends to make the following Amendment Orders:

- The Southend-on-Sea City Council (Waiting, Loading, Stopping and Parking Places) (Map-Based) (Woodfield Gardens) Amendment No.\* Order 2025
- The Southend-on-Sea City Council (Waiting, Loading, Stopping and Parking Places) (Map-Based) (Highlands Boulevard) Amendment No.\* Order 2025
- The Southend-on-Sea City Council (Waiting, Loading, Stopping and Parking Places) (Map-Based) (Hamstel Road) Amendment No.\* Order 2025

The effect of the Traffic Regulation Orders (TROs) would be as follows:

**PTO1212 – Woodfield Gardens**

- a) To introduce No Waiting at Any Time (double yellow line) restrictions on the north side of the road, from the existing restrictions at its junction with Hillside Crescent to the turning circle outside No.59.
- b) To introduce 10 metres (m) of No Waiting at Any Time on the south side of the road outside No.18 to No.20.
- c) To introduce No Waiting at Any Time restrictions on the south side of the road outside No.2 to outside No.48 Hillside Crescent – in line with the existing 10m junction protection restrictions.

**PTO1195 – Highlands Boulevard**

- a) At the junction of Buxton Avenue and Highlands Boulevard, extend the No Waiting at Any Time (double yellow line) restrictions to 10 metres.
- b) At the junction of Ewan Way and Highlands Boulevard, extend the No Waiting at Any Time restrictions to 10 metres.

**PTO1165 – Hamstel Road**

- a) To revoke 9 metres of the Limited Waiting bay outside No.241 Hamstel Road, replacing this with No Waiting at Any Time (double yellow lines).
- b) To revoke 6.5 metres of the Limited Waiting bay outside No.231 Hamstel Road, replacing this with No Waiting at Any Time (double yellow lines).

Copies of the Notice of Intent (NOI), proposed draft Amendment Orders, the Statement of Reasons for proposing to make the Orders and designs showing the proposals can be inspected;

- Online via our map based Order system, TraffWeb App using the following link:  
<https://southend.traffweb.app>,

- Online via the Councils website using the following link, under the 'Static Traffic Regulation Orders (TROs) - Public Consultation' heading:  
<https://www.southend.gov.uk/transport-policies-traffic-regulation-orders/traffic-regulation-orders-consultations/2> and,
- At the Civic Centre, Victoria Avenue, Southend-on-Sea, SS2 6ER.

**The public consultation period will be live from 10<sup>th</sup> November 2025 until 1<sup>st</sup> December 2025.** Any persons desiring to make a comment on the proposals, only within the given dates, can do so by: making a comment on TraffWeb system under 'Public Consultation' using the following link, <https://southend.traffweb.app/traffweb/2/PublicConsultation>, or by emailing [traffweb@southend.gov.uk](mailto:traffweb@southend.gov.uk), or stating the grounds thereof in writing addressed to the Traffic Management Team to the address stated above. The following scheme references must be quoted:

- *PTO1212 – Woodfield Gardens*
- *PTO1195 – Highlands Boulevard*
- *PTO1165 – Hamstel Road*

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Date: 10<sup>th</sup> November 2025

THE SOUTHEND BOROUGH COUNCIL (WAITING, LOADING, STOPPING AND PARKING PLACES) (MAP BASED) (CONSOLIDATION) ORDER 2021

THE SOUTHEND-ON-SEA CITY COUNCIL (WAITING, LOADING, STOPPING AND PARKING PLACES) (MAP BASED) (HIGHLANDS BOULEVARD) AMENDMENT NO.1 ORDER 2026

Southend-on-Sea City Council in exercise of its powers under Sections 1, 2, 4 and 122 under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (as amended) (“the 1984 Act”) and the Traffic Management Act 2004 (“the 2004 Act”) and of all other enabling powers, and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the 1984 Act, hereby makes the following Order:

1. Without prejudice to the validity of anything done or to the liability incurred in respect of any act or omission before the coming into operation of this Order, The Southend Borough Council (Waiting, Loading, Stopping and Parking Places) (Map Based) (Consolidation) Order 2021 (as amended) (To be known as ‘The 2021 Order’) shall have effect as though:
  - (i) The items represented on the plans in Schedule 1 to this Order shall replace those corresponding plans as listed in the appropriate Schedule to the 2021 Order (as amended).
2. The effect of this Order is to (this article is an explanatory note and does not form part of the Order):
  - a) At the junction of Buxton Avenue and Highlands Boulevard, extend the No Waiting at Any Time (double yellow line) restrictions to 10 metres.
  - b) At the junction of Ewan Way and Highlands Boulevard, extend the No Waiting at Any Time restrictions to 10 metres.
3. The remainder of The Southend Borough Council (Waiting, Loading, Stopping and Parking Places) (Map Based) (Consolidation) Order 2021 (as amended) shall remain in full force and effect.
4. This Order shall come into effect on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026 and may be cited as “The Southend Borough Council (Waiting, Loading, Stopping and Parking Places) (Map Based) (Consolidation) Order 2021. The Southend-On-Sea City Council (Waiting, Loading, Stopping and Parking Places) (Map Based) (Highlands Boulevard) Amendment No.1 Order 2026”.

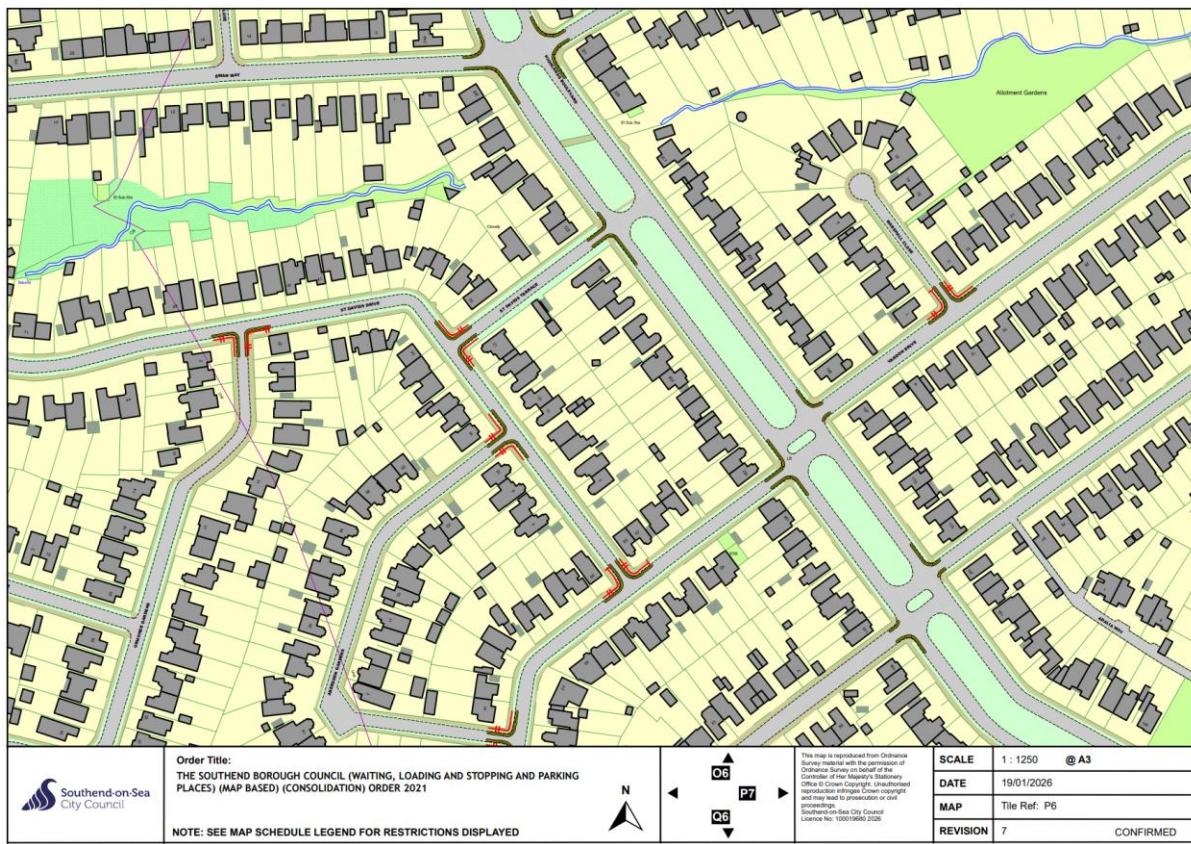
Given under the Common Seal of Southend-on-Sea City Council the 16<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026.

The COMMON SEAL of )  
SOUTHEND-ON-SEA CITY )  
COUNCIL was pursuant to a )  
resolution of the Council )  
hereunto affixed in the )  
presence of: )



L. Delahunty  
Head of Traffic and Parking

## Schedule 1



### **Statement of Reason**

### **THE SOUTHEND-ON-SEA CITY COUNCIL (WAITING, LOADING, STOPPING AND PARKING PLACES) (MAP BASED) (HIGHLANDS BOULEVARD) AMENDMENT NO.1 ORDER 2026**

#### **Proposal**

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- b) At the junction of Ewan Way and Highlands Boulevard, extend the No Waiting at Any Time restrictions to 10 metres.

#### **Reason**

The proposal to extend the junction protection on Buxton Avenue from 5 metres to 10 metres aims to improve visibility between approaching vehicles and support safer turning movements. It will also reduce the likelihood of larger vehicles blocking sight lines at the junction.

The feasibility study identified that the nearby junction of Ewan Way and Highlands Boulevard requires the same restriction.

It is also recommended that existing double yellow lines and give-way markings be refreshed where faded to maintain compliance and visibility.

#### **Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984**

The sections which the City Council are using for the implementation of the proposed scheme as above are 1, 2, 4 and 122. The grounds that encompassed the reason for these proposals in Section 1 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 are:

- (a) for avoiding danger to persons or other traffic using the road or any other road or for preventing the likelihood of any such danger arising, or
- (b) for preventing damage to the road or to any building on or near the road, or
- (c) for preserving or improving the amenities of the area through which the road runs.

In addition, thorough consideration was given to the factors set out in Section 122 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 in proposing this scheme.

#### **Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016**

All of the associated signing and lining will be in accordance with Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions (TSRGD) 2016.

#### **Equality Act 2010**

Thorough consideration was given to the equalities duty of Southend-on-Sea City Council under Section 149 of the Equality Act 2010.

## Due Regard for Traffic Orders and Notices

The Southend-on-Sea City Council has a duty to give 'due regard to' the following three aims of the public sector equality duty (section 149 of the Equality Act 2010) during the development of the policy.

- Eliminate discrimination, harassment and victimisation and any other conduct prohibited by the ACT;
- Advance equality of opportunity between people who share a protected characteristic and people who do not share it; and
- Foster good relations between people who share a protected characteristic

An initial assessment against each of the protected groups is provided below – any issues highlighted through the consultation process will be considered and reported at the end of the consultation period.

Proposal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>a) At the junction of Buxton Avenue and Highlands Boulevard, extend the No Waiting at Any Time (double yellow line) restrictions to 10 metres.</li><li>b) At the junction of Ewan Way and Highlands Boulevard, extend the No Waiting at Any Time restrictions to 10 metres.</li></ul>
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Protected group	Challenge or opportunity considered and what we did
Age(A)	No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.
Disability (D)	No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.  Blue badge holders have certain concessions to park on certain restrictions, free of charge, when displaying a valid blue badge, as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Disabled bays on roadside or in car parks (for up to the period indicated on the adjacent sign)</li><li>• Any roadside pay-by-phone or pay-and-display bays (free of charge)</li><li>• Any council-owned car park where pay-by-phone or pay-and-display is in use (free of charge)</li><li>• Up to three hours on single or double yellow lines, where there is no loading/unloading restriction. (Blue badge and clocks must be displayed).</li></ul>

	Additional blue badge bay provision located close to local facilities to improve access.
Sex (S)	No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.
Race (including Gypsy & Traveller) (R)	No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.
Gender reassignment (GR)	No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.
Marriage & civil partnership (MCP)	No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.
Pregnancy & maternity (PM)	No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.
Religion and/or Belief (RAOB)	No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.
Sexual Orientation (SO)	No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.

Name: L. Delahunty  
 Dated: 16<sup>th</sup> January 2026

Signed:



Head of Traffic and Parking

### **Monitoring and Review**

Please identify any aspects that require reconsideration following the TRO consultation process, identify any amendments made in relation to due regard and give reasoning.

Name: L. Delahunty  
 Dated: 16<sup>th</sup> January 2026

Signed:



Head of Traffic and Parking

