

STATEMENT OF REASONS

(A brief statement of the general nature and effect of the Order)

MILTON KEYNES CITY COUNCIL (VARIOUS ROADS, OLD WOLVERTON) (PROHIBITION OF WAITING) ORDER 2023

Milton Keynes City Council in exercise of its powers under sections 1(1), 2(1) and (2), 4(2), and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 proposes to make the above traffic regulation Order.

The general effect of the Order will be to introduce no waiting at any time restrictions (double yellow lines) along parts of **Bridgeturn Avenue, Colts Holm Road, Deans Road, Dickens Road and Old Wolverton Road in Old Wolverton.**

The proposed restrictions will help to alleviate obstruction and encourage a safer environment for pedestrians, cyclists and motorists.

As the Highway Authority for the above lengths of road, Milton Keynes City Council is satisfied that the introduction of the above proposed restrictions will help encourage a safer environment throughout.

The Council's reasons for proposing the above Order are as follows: -

- 1) To maintain a safe environment throughout the road, particularly to encourage and facilitate pedestrian and cyclist movements along those parts of the road;
- 2) For avoiding danger to people or other traffic using the above roads, or to prevent the likelihood of any such danger arising.

The proposed restrictions will be operational at all times and will be marked out in accordance with Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016.

The Council will continue to monitor the way in which highway facilities are used and address any issues that come to its notice and following meaningful consultation with all stakeholders do what it considers necessary to facilitate the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of vehicular and pedestrian traffic.

Dated: 6th March 2023

