

STATEMENT OF REASONS

(A brief statement of the general nature and effect of the proposed traffic regulation Orders)

Titles of the proposed traffic regulation Orders:

MILTON KEYNES CITY COUNCIL

(THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES) (VARIOUS ROADS WITHIN MILTON KEYNES AND SURROUNDING AREAS) (PROHIBITION OF STOPPING OUTSIDE SCHOOLS) ORDER 2008) VARIATION ORDER 2024

MILTON KEYNES CITY COUNCIL

(THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES) (VARIOUS ROADS, HAVERSHAM) (PROHIBITION OF WAITING) ORDER 2009) VARIATION ORDER 2024

The Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes proposes to make the above two Traffic Regulation Orders, under sections 1(1), 2(1) and (2), 4(2), and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

The general effect of the Order will be:

- to introduce no waiting at any time restriction (double yellow lines) along parts of both sides of Manor Drive in Haversham;
- to introduce no stopping during prescribed hours (Monday to Friday, 8.00am to 6.00pm) along part of the north side of Manor Drive in Haversham.

The above proposed restrictions come as a result of road safety concerns expressed by residents during school pick up/drop off times.

Currently motorists are parking on those parts of Manor Drive during school pick up/drop off times which are causing obstruction to other motorists, pedestrians and cyclists.

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

The proposed restrictions will be marked out and signed in accordance with Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016.

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

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.

The Councils statutory reasons for proposing the above Orders are as follows: -

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

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