

PUBLIC NOTICE

BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL PROPOSE TO INTRODUCE NEW PARKING RESTRICTIONS ALONG CLAPHAM ROAD, BEDFORD.

Reason for Proposal:

Bedford Borough Council proposes to re-locate a signalled crossing on Clapham Road, Bedford to centralise a pedestrian crossing point, improve location for school users, and allow better vehicular movements into side roads. It will require the revision of existing School Children Keep Clear markings and introduce new parking restrictions along Clapham Road, Bedford.

Effect of the Order.

1. To revoke existing "No stopping on entrance markings, Mon – Fri, 8:00am – 4:30pm" restrictions on the following length of road:

Α	Clapham Road, Bedford
(i)	On its north-eastern kerb, from a point approx. 13.5 metres north-west of the centre of Slade Walk for a distance of approx. 39 metres in a north-westerly direction.

2. To revoke existing "No stopping Mon – Sat 8am – 5pm except buses" on the following length of road:

Α	Clapham Road, Bedford
(i)	On its north-eastern kerb, from a point approx. 52.5 metres north-west of the
	centre of Slade Walk for a distance of approx. 24 metres in a north-westerly direction.

3. To revoke existing "Pay & Display, Maximum Stay 4 Hours, Mon – Sat 8am – 6 pm except Permit Holders (C)" on the following lengths of road:

Α	Clapham Road, Bedford
(i)	On its north-eastern kerb, from a point approx. 76.5 metres north-west of the
	centre of Slade Walk for a distance of approx. 9.5 metres in a north-westerly
	direction.
(ii)	On its south-western kerb, from a point approx. 65.5 metres north-west of the projected centre of Slade Walk for a distance of approx. 21 metres in a north-
	westerly direction.

4. To introduce 'No Waiting at Any Time' restrictions (double yellow lines) on the following lengths of road:

Α	Clapham Road, Bedford
(i)	On its north-eastern kerb, from its junction with Slade Walk to its junction with
	Clarendon Street.
(ii)	On its south-western kerb, from a point approx. 8 metres north-west of the projected centre of Slade Walk extending for a distance of approx. 54 metres in a south-easterly direction (to the end of the existing 'No waiting at any time' restriction).

5. To introduce "No stopping on entrance markings, Mon – Fri, 8:00am – 4:30pm" restrictions on the following length of road:

Α	Clapham Road, Bedford
(i)	On its north-eastern kerb, from a point approx. 9 metres north-west of the
	centre of Slade Walk for a distance of approx. 30 metres in a north-westerly
	direction.

6. To introduce No stopping Mon – Sat 8am – 5pm except buses" on the following length of road:

Α	Clapham Road, Bedford
(i)	On its north-eastern kerb, from a point approx. 39 metres north-west of the
	centre of Slade Walk for a distance of approx. 33 metres in a north-westerly
	direction.

Relevant Proposal Documents may be examined during normal office hours at Borough Hall, Cauldwell Street, Bedford, MK42 9AP. They will also be available for viewing on the council's website at www.bedford.gov.uk/proposedtro. The documents will be placed on deposit until six weeks after the Order is made or <u>until it</u> <u>is decided not to continue</u> with the Proposal. For more information, please contact Andrew Prigmore at Bedford Borough Council on 01234 276691.

<u>Comments supporting or objecting to the proposal</u> should be put in an email, stating the grounds on which they are made, and sent no later than 14th March 2024 to <u>highways.consultations@bedford.gov.uk</u>

Order Title if made will be:

1. <u>Bedford Borough Council (Bedford Controlled Parking Zone) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Loading and Parking Places) Order 2017 (Amendment No.**) Order 20**</u>

Dated: 15th February 2024

Borough Hall, Cauldwell Street Bedford, MK42 9AP Craig Austin Director of Environment.