

NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR PROPOSING TO MAKE

THE NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL
(SUN STREET, BALDOCK) (PARKING PLACES)
ORDER 2022

Proposals

The proposal is described in the attached draft Traffic Regulation Order and accompanying plan as well as Public Notice of proposals.

North Hertfordshire District Council proposes to create additional residents parking within an existing length of parking bays.

Supporting Information

Following representations made to the Council, it has been recognised that the described restrictive length of carriageway should be amended to include residents permit parking. Residents of Sun Street are currently entitled to purchase Zone A permits. Due to the proximity of the town centre, residents of Sun Street are unable to find parking close by. Church Street, immediately adjacent to Sun Street falls under Zone B and quite often has empty parking spaces. As the residents of Sun Street are not eligible to purchase Zone B permits it has been concluded that an alternative solution could be found.

At present a length of carriageway immediately to the rear of businesses 1 – 7 Whitehorse Street and fronting 2 – 8 Sun Street benefits from parking described as Limited Waiting Mon-Fri 9.00 – 17.00, Sat 9.00 – 13.00 No return within 2 hours.

The proposal is to retain this element of free parking for town centre visitors whilst also allowing permit holders from Zone A to purchase permits in order park their vehicles giving them the opportunity to use the spaces for longer parking or visiting tradesmen to their properties.

Further Information

The proposed Order and Plans can be viewed at:

<https://www.north-herts.gov.uk/baldock-parking-review>

Any comments or objections must be sent by email to mark.hindmarch@north-herts.gov.uk or in writing, stating the grounds on which they are made by **5.00pm on #### December 2022** to the contact options set out below.

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