

STATEMENT OF REASONS

ST ALBANS CITY AND DISTRICT COUNCIL

THE ST ALBANS CITY AND DISTRICT COUNCIL (CONTROL OF PARKING) ORDER 2023 (AMENDMENT No.9) STOPPING AND WAITING (EXPERIMENTAL) LATTIMORE ROAD ORDER 2025

St Albans City and District Council (pursuant to arrangements made with Hertfordshire County Council) is proposing to introduce new experimental waiting restrictions in parts of Lattimore Road, St Albans.

The proposals comprise of:

- Converting sections of 'No waiting at any time' (double yellow line) restrictions in parts of Lattimore Road, St Albans to single yellow lines.
- Operational hours of the single yellow line will be Monday-Sunday 08:00-18:30.

It is intended that these experimental measures will:

- Increase the available provision of parking places for residents, visitors and local businesses in Lattimore Road.
- Reduce instances of inappropriate or inconsiderate parking.
- Improve road safety.

The Experimental Traffic Regulation Order (ETRO) is proposed to enable the Council to ascertain and evaluate the effectiveness of new restrictions in improving the environment for users.

The ETRO will be utilised to trial the impact of a single yellow line on sections of Lattimore Road and stakeholder feedback received from residents, businesses and visitors will be monitored and assessed.

This will allow the parties involved the opportunity to make a decision about whether to retain the physical changes on the highway, modify them or remove them and revert to the original layout.

The proposal has been subject to consultation with local and County Councillors representing the area and Hertfordshire County Council. The local Police, Ambulance, Fire & Rescue Services, Hertfordshire County Council Passenger Transport Unit, and local residents are also being consulted.

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