

**THE CITY OF SOUTHAMPTON
(RESIDENTS PARKING) (ZONES 1-12 & 16) (AMENDMENT 24) ORDER 2021**

Statement of Reasons

This Order is being proposed for the following reasons:

- For avoiding danger to persons or other traffic using the road or for preventing the likelihood of any such danger arising
- For facilitating the passage on the road or any other road of any class of traffic
- For preserving or improving the amenities of the area through which the road runs

The no loading restrictions are intended to prevent obstructive parking outside the Fire Station.

The pay & display restrictions are intended to encourage passing trade and provide parking facilities for drivers visiting the local shops. Currently the bays are often filled by permit holders for long periods limiting vehicle turnover. A goods vehicle loading bay is proposed to provide loading and unloading facilities for the nearby businesses.

In authorising the advertisement of these proposals the Council has given consideration to its duty under s122 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 to secure the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of vehicular and other traffic (including pedestrians) and the provision of suitable and adequate parking facilities on and off the highway (while having regard to the matters specified in s122 subsection (2) of that Act).