

THE CITY OF SOUTHAMPTON (VARIOUS ROADS) (PROHIBITION AND RESTRICTION OF WAITING) (A78) 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 any other road for preventing the likelihood of any such danger rising, or
- For facilitating the passage on the road or any other road of any class of traffic

In authorising the advertisement of these proposals the Council has given consideration to its duty under s.122 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 s.122 subsection (2) of that Act).

Along Westwood Road at its junction with The Avenue there is a continuous footway which was introduced as part of the SCN5 cycle route. Continuous footways give priority to pedestrians and cyclists (where a cycle track exists). Following concerns raised by members of the public, the Order proposes to address concerns of safety, by improving driver visibility at this location.