Anti-social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014

Public Spaces Protection Order (Three Rivers District Council)

Shepherd Primary School, Daybreak Nursery,

Rickmansworth Children's Centre

Hereafter referred to as PSPO 1 of 2018

NO DROP OFF OR PICK UP OF PUPILS FROM SHEPHERD PRIMARY SCHOOL OR CHILDREN ATTENDING DAYBREAK NURSERY OR RICKMANSWORTH CHILDREN'S CENTRE ON MORNINGS AND AFTERNOONS IN TERM TIME

Three Rivers District Council (in this Order called "the Authority") in exercise of its powers under Section 59 of the Anti-social Behaviour Crime and Policing Act 2014 ("the Act") hereby makes this Public Spaces Protection Order. The Authority has complied with the requirements of Section 72 of the Act and undertaken the necessary consultation.

This Order shall come into force on 4th June 2018 and shall remain in force for a period of two years.

Preliminary

The Authority, in making this Order, is satisfied on reasonable grounds:

- a) That the following activities in relation to dropping off and collecting pupils from Shepherd Primary School and children attending Daybreak Nursery and Rickmansworth Children's Centre, Shepherds Lane, Rickmansworth WD3 8JJ have been carried out within the Authority's area and have had a detrimental effect on the quality of life of those in the locality:
- i. Hazardous parking causing obstruction and preventing school pupils and children crossing the road safely
- ii. Vehicles blocking the school crossing point on Shepherds Lane
- iii. Vehicles parked in the bus stop on Shepherds Lane
- iv. Vehicles blocking residents' driveways and dropped kerbs
- v. Vehicles parked on the mini-roundabout at Shepherds Lane and Tudor Way causing danger
- vi. Obstruction of the highway causing congestion

and that:

- b) The effect, or likely effect, of the activities is, or is likely to be, of a persistent or continuing nature; is, or is likely to be, such as to make the activities unreasonable; and justifies the restrictions imposed by the Order
- c) The prohibitions and requirements imposed by this Order are reasonable to impose in order to prevent the detrimental effect of these activities from continuing, occurring or recurring, or to reduce that detrimental effect or to reduce the risk of its continuance, occurrence or recurrence.
- d) It has had regard to the rights and freedoms set out in the European Convention on Human Rights as defined in s.21 (1) of the Human Rights Act 1998, and in

particular, to those rights set out in Article 10 (right of freedom of expression) and Article 11 (right of freedom of assembly) and has concluded that the restrictions on such rights and freedoms imposed by this Order are lawful, necessary and proportionate.

Prohibitions

No driver shall drop off or pick up pupils from Shepherd Primary School or children attending Daybreak Nursery or Rickmansworth Children's Centre from any vehicle (regardless of whether those pupils and children are accompanied by any person) within the Restricted Area on Monday to Friday between:

8.00 am - 9.30 am and

2.30 pm - 3.45 pm

during each term of the Shepherd Primary School academic year.

Restricted Area

This Order applies to those areas being the highway consisting of designated sections of the following roads:

- Shepherds Lane
- Tudor Way
- Church Lane

and shown edged pink and hatched on the plan annexed as Schedule 1 of this Order.

Exemptions to the prohibitions imposed by this Order

- Drivers of vehicles delivering and collecting pupils and children with physical disabilities to and from the School, Nursery and Children's Centre
- Disabled drivers who are holders of a Blue Badge or similar disabled authorisation
- Persons who are habitually resident in properties which abut the highway within the Restricted Area

Criminal Offence

Failure without reasonable excuse to comply with the prohibitions of this Order is a summary offence under Section 67 of the Anti-social Behaviour Crime and Policing Act 2014. A person guilty of an offence is liable to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale (maximum £1000).

Fixed Penalty Notice

A police constable or police community support officer (PCSO) or an authorised officer of the Authority may, under Section 68 of the Anti-social Behaviour Crime and Policing Act 2014, issue a Fixed Penalty Notice (maximum £75) to any person he or she has reason to believe has committed an offence, payment of which will discharge any liability to conviction for the offence.

Dated this 30th day of May 2018

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