

Agenda Item	17
Report No	CIA/60/18

HIGHLAND COUNCIL

Committee: City of Inverness Area Committee

Date: 22 November 2018

Report Title: Traffic Order Amendments (DRAFT)

Report By: Director of Community Services

1. Purpose/Executive Summary

1.1 In line with the adopted Highland Council [Parking Policy](#) officers wish to inform Members of current traffic management changes being actioned for Inverness.

2. Recommendations

2.1 Members are asked to:-

- i. Note the updates on Inverness traffic management issues.

3. Margaret St EV TAXI bays.

- 3.1 The Highland Council have supported HITRANS in the installation of two EV charging bays on Margaret Street to be allocated to electric vehicles only. Both TAXI and PHC vehicles will be able to use the charging bays.

4. Ballifeary Road

- 4.1 Officers have been working with residents and the local community council for a year to explore a Residents parking scheme on Ballifeary road engaging through community council meetings, questionnaires and letter drops and public meetings. A final layout and operational details of the scheme will be presented and promoted to the public in the coming weeks.

5. Eden Court Theatre Car Park

- 5.1 At the request of the theatre the car park at Eden Court is operating as a public pay & display car park to regulate the car park usage to improve availability for customers and to raise income for the theatre.

6. Introduction of Inverness Permit Zones

- 6.1 Officers will be advertising the introduction of Permit Zones within Inverness in the coming weeks. This is an administrative change to the operation of the existing permit schemes which will increase flexibility for users and improve efficiency of enforcement and simplify the current scheme.

The zones will allow residents to use adjacent streets within their zone to park without fear of penalty.

The exact list of streets and specific zones will be published online. See Appendix 1

7. Decriminalised Parking Enforcement (DPE)

- 7.1 The 3rd of October 2018 saw the second anniversary of DPE in Highland and officers have completed the Inverness Central and West role out. The team are currently expanding enforcement to a further 19 townships across Highland before returning to Inverness to consolidate the Inverness Outer areas (mostly in the South of the city) during 2019. A report was presented to [EDI committee on the 16th of August - Item 23](#) with an update on the service.

All traffic management issues not directly related to enforcement activity should now be channelled through the area roads team at Ward level.

8. Implications

- 8.1 Resource - None.
- 8.2 Legal – The promotion of Traffic Orders may be required.
- 8.3 Community (Equality, Poverty and Rural) - No implications.

8.4 Climate Change / Carbon Clever - No implications.

8.5 Risk - No implications.

8.6 Gaelic - No implications.

Designation: Head of Roads & Transport

Date: 9th November 2018

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Background Papers: EDI Committee, 16th August 2018, Item 23

https://www.highland.gov.uk/meetings/meeting/4006/environment_development_and_infrastructure_committee

The Highland Council Parking Policy 2018 to 2023

https://www.highland.gov.uk/downloads/file/19425/thc_parking_policy_2018_to_2023

Appendix 1

ZONE A Douglas Row Glebe Street Friars Street	ZONE B Balnain Street Celt Street Duff Street Gladstone Place Harrowden Road Car Park Huntly St 40 - 74 Huntly Court Kenneth St 56 - 99 Kenneth St Car Park Muirtown St Wells St	ZONE C Bell Tower Duncraig St 1 - 22 Duncraig Court Fairfield Lane Greig Street Huntly St 1 - 39 Huntly Terrace Kenneth St 28 - 55 King St	ZONE D Alexander Place Ardross Place Ardross St Ardross Terrace Ness Walk Tomnahurich St May Court
ZONE E Duncraig St 23 - 28 Fairfield Road Montague Row Perceval Road Plainfield Road	ZONE F Ardconnel Terrace Ardconnel St Charles St Connel Court Crown St Denny St Hill St Kingsmills Road 1 - 20 Reay St Southside Road	ZONE G Argyle St Argyle Terrace Argyle Court Denny St Duffy Drive Fairfield Lane Gordon Terrace Mitchells Lane Porterfield Road Porterfield Bank	ZONE H Bellfield Terrace Bellfield Park Fraser St Godonville Road Grove Terrace Haugh Road Ness Terrace Paton St Rosebery Place

Stand Alone Permit Streets

Abertarff Road	Island Bank Road	Raining Stairs Access
Auldcastle Road	Kingsmills Road	Road
Beaufort Road	Leys Drive	Reay Street
Broadstone Avenue	Leys Park	Richmond Terrace
Broadstone Park	Lovat Road	Southside Place
Bruce Gardens	MacDonald Street	Southside Road
Cavell Gardens	MacEwen Drive	Stephens
Cawdor Road	May Court	Street/Stephens Brae
Crown Avenue	Mayfield Road	Union Road
Crown Circus	Midmills Road	Victoria Drive
Crown Drive	Millburn Road	Victoria Terrace
Culduthel Road	(including cul-de-sac)	View Place
Darnaway Road	Montague Row	Waterloo Place
Davis Square	Montague Row (School	
Deveron Street	Access)	
Elm Park	Ness Bank	
Falconer Court	Ness Terrace	
Friars Place	Old Edinburgh Road	
George Street	Perceval Road	
Innes Street	Portland Place	