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**BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL (BEDFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
(BEDFORD CONTROLLED PARKING ZONE)) (PROHIBITION AND
RESTRICTION OF WAITING AND LOADING AND PARKING PLACES)
ORDER 2008 (AMENDMENT NO. 13) ORDER 2012**

BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL in exercise of the powers under section 1(1), 2(1) to (3) and 4(2) and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 ("The Act") and all other enabling powers and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act, hereby makes the following Order

The Bedfordshire County Council (Bedford Controlled Parking Zone) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Loading and Parking Places) Order 2008 as amended shall have effect subject to the following amendments:-

Article 56(1) – Period for which vehicle may be left after penalty charge notice affixed to vehicle.

Delete entry 56(1)(d) and substitute with the following:-

"56(1)(d) where the vehicle is left within a parking place listed in Schedule 7, ten hours"

Schedules 3, 4, 5, 7 and 8 identifying streets having a pay and display parking period limited to 1 hour, 2 hours, 4 hours, 8 hours and 30 minutes respectively.

Delete the entry in each of the five schedules "Charging hours Monday-Saturday 9am -5pm" and substitute with "Charging hours Monday-Saturday 8am-6pm"

Schedule 7 Identification of streets having a pay and display parking period of up to 8 hours

- (i) Delete the description for Schedule 7 and substitute with "Identification of streets having a pay and display parking period of up to 10 hours).
- (ii) Delete schedule entry "maximum stay – 8 hours" and substitute with "Maximum stay – 10 hours"

1. This order shall come into operation on 1st April 2012 and may be cited as "Bedford Borough Council (Bedfordshire County Council (Bedford Controlled Parking Zone) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Loading and Parking Places) Order 2008) (Amendment No.13) Order 2012

2. As from the date upon which this Order comes into operation, the provisions of "Bedfordshire County Council (Bedford Controlled Parking Zone) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Loading and Parking Places) Order 2008, as amended shall be varied as follows:


The current Plan Schedules for grid reference below are deleted and replaced with new Plan Schedules for the same grid references identified by Revision numbers as indicated below :-

Plans Schedule (Grid Reference)	Deleted Revision Number	Replacement Number	Revision
H24	1	2	
H25	1	2	
H26	2	3	
I24	3	4	
I25	4	5	
I26	1	2	
I27	2	3	
I28	2	3	
J24	3	4	
J25	3	4	
J26	2	3	
J27	3	4	
J28	5	6	
K23	1	2	
K24	2	3	
K25	3	4	
K26	4	5	
K27	3	4	
K28	4	5	
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L24	2	3	
L27	1	2	
L28	1	2	
L30	1	2	
L26	1	2	

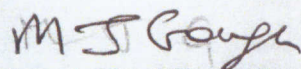
THE COMMON SEAL of the
BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL
Was hereunto affixed this

29th day of March 2012

In the presence of



Executive Director for Environment and Sustainable Communities



Assistant Chief Executive (Governance) and Solicitor to the Council

AUTHORITY FOR EXECUTION		
COUNCIL/COMMITTEE	MINUTE No.	DATE
DELEGATED POWER	By whom executed EDESC	DATE
	OFFICERS INITIALS	DATE
ORIGINATED AND CHECKED BY	TS	23/03/12
APPROVED BY	PA	26/3/12



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Statement of Reasons

Bedford Borough Council (Bedfordshire County Council (Bedford Controlled Parking Zone) (Prohibition and Restriction of Waiting and Loading and Parking Places) Order 2008) (Amendment No.13) Order 2012

The Borough Council has a policy that charges for on street parking shall be set at a level that provides sufficient revenue to cover the cost of implementing and enforcing the on street parking controls without any residual costs being borne by the General Rate Fund.

Given the current financial climate, the Council considers it inappropriate at this time to increase on street parking charges for this would affect all motorists parking in the Controlled Parking Zone (CPZ) area of Bedford.

However, some measures are necessary to address the expected short fall in necessary revenue and to this end, the Council proposes in this Order to extend the chargeable parking hours in most parts of the CPZ area. Details of the changes can be found in the Public Notice included as part of these documents.

The charge for all day parking currently set at £8.00 will not change but under the proposals "all day" parking effectively will now become a period of 10 hours rather than the present 8 hours.

The extended "chargeable hours" should/could provide more available parking space for resident permit holders during the additional chargeable hours. It is known that residents in some areas have for some time requested that the chargeable hours be increased from the present 9am-5pm.