

**NEATH PORT TALBOT COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL
CYNGOR BWRDEISTREF SIROL CASTELL-NEDD PORT TALBOT**

(NEATH PEDESTRIAN AREA)

ORDER 2015

The Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council in exercise of its powers under Sections 1, 2, 32, 35 and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (hereinafter referred to as "the Act of 1984") and of all other powers them enabling and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 of the Act of 1984 hereby make the following Order: -

1. This Order shall come into operation on the 12th day of October 2015 and may be cited as the "Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council (Neath Pedestrian Area) Order 2015".

2. (1) In this Order -

"Disabled Person's Vehicle" has the same meaning as in the Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Exemptions for Disabled Persons) (Wales) (Amended) Regulations 2000;

"Disabled Person's Badge" has the same meaning as in The Disabled Persons (Badges for Motor Vehicles) (Wales) (Amended) Regulations 2000;

"Parking Disc" means a parking disc issued by a Local Authority, capable of showing the quarter hour period during which a period of waiting begins;

"Relevant Position" has the same meaning as in The Disabled Persons (Badges for Motor Vehicles) (Wales) (Amended) Regulations 2000;

"Mechanical Cleansing Vehicle" shall mean a street/drain cleaning vehicle owned by or contracted to the Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council;

"Traders Permit" means a permit issued by the Council to Traders whose business fronts the pedestrian area;

"Pedestrian Area" means those sides and lengths of roads as set out in the Schedules to this Order;

"Universal Service Providers" means those operators of postal services who are licensed to provide all or part of a Universal Postal Service under the provisions contained in the Postal Services Act 2000.

- (2) Except where otherwise stated, any reference in this Order to a numbered Article or Schedule is a reference to the Article or Schedule bearing that number in this Order.

- (3) The Interpretation Act 1978 shall apply for the interpretation of this Order as it applies for the Interpretation of an Act of Parliament.
3. The provisions of the Order specified in Schedule 1 to this Order are hereby revoked.
 4. Save as provided in Articles 5, 6, 7 and 13 no person except on the direction of a Police Constable in uniform or a Parking Attendant shall cause or permit any vehicle to be driven between the hours of 8.00am to 5.00pm on the lengths of sides of roads set out in Schedule 2 to this Order.
 5. The provisions contained in Article 4 of this Order shall not apply to the holder of a valid Disabled Persons Badge between the hours of 8.00am to 10.30am.
 6. The provisions contained in Article 4 of this Order shall not apply to any vehicle which requires access for the purposes of loading or unloading goods, between the hours of 8.00am to 10.30am.
 7. The provisions contained in Article 4 of this Order shall not apply to any vehicles which displays a valid Traders Permit between the hours of 8.00am to 10.30am.
 8. Save as provided in Article 9 of this Order no person shall cause or permit any vehicle to proceed along the lengths of roads set out in Schedule 5 to this Order other than in the direction specified therein.
 9. Nothing in Article 8 of this Order shall apply to a Mechanical Cleansing Vehicle whilst engaged in any street/drain cleaning operations on behalf of the Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council.
 10. Save as provided in Articles 12, 13 and 14 of this Order, no person except on the direction of a Police Constable in uniform or a Parking Attendant shall cause or permit any vehicle to wait between the hours of 8.00am to 10.30am on the lengths of sides of roads set out in Schedule 4 of this Order.
 11. Save as provided in Articles 12 and 13 of this Order, no person except on the direction of a Police Constable in uniform or a Parking Attendant shall cause or permit any vehicle to wait, load or unload between the hours of 10.30am to 5.00pm on the lengths of sides of roads set out in Schedule 3 of this Order.
 12. Nothing in Articles 10 and 11 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to wait on the lengths of sides of roads specified therein for so long as may be necessary to enable:
 - (A) A person to board or alight from a vehicle;
 - (B) The vehicle, if it cannot conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road, to be used in connection with any of the following operations namely:

- (i) building, industrial or demolition operations;
 - (ii) the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
 - (iii) the laying, erection, alteration or repair in or on land adjacent to the said lengths of sides of road or any sewer or of any main pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or of any telecommunications apparatus defined in the Telecommunications Act 1984;
 - (C) The vehicle, if it cannot conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road, to be used in the service of a Local Authority or a Water Authority in pursuance of statutory powers or duties;
 - (D) The vehicle to be used by a Universal Service Provider for the purpose of delivering or collecting postal packets.
13. The prohibitions imposed by Articles 4, 10 and 11 of this Order shall not apply to Police, Fire, Ambulance or other Emergency Service vehicles or to Local Authority vehicles when in pursuance of statutory duties or powers.
14. Nothing in Article 10 of this Order shall render it unlawful to cause or permit a disabled person's vehicle which displays in the relevant position a Disabled Person's Badge and a parking disc (on which the driver, or other person in charge of the vehicle, has marked the time at which the period of waiting began) to wait on the lengths of sides of the roads referred to in the Article for a period not exceeding 3 hours (not being a period separated by an interval of less than 1 hour from a previous period of waiting by the same vehicle on the same length of side of road on which that vehicle had previously been waiting).

SCHEDULES

Schedule 1 – Revocation

Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council (Neath Pedestrian Area) Order 2009

Schedule 2 – Prohibition of Driving 8.00am to 5.00pm (Except for Loading and Blue Badge Holders, 8.00am to 10.30am)

- 2.1 **Queen Street, Neath**
From its junction with Green Street to its junction with Orchard Street, a distance of approximately 190 metres.
- 2.2 **Green Street, Neath**
From its junction with Windsor Road to its junction with New Street, a distance of approximately 155 metres.
- 2.3 **Wind Street, Neath**
From its junction with Old Market Street to its junction with New Street, a distance of approximately 100 metres.
- 2.4 **Orchard Street, Neath**
From its junction with New Street for a distance of approximately 7 metres in a south easterly direction.
- 2.5 **Church Place, Neath**
From its junction with Wind Street to its junction with New Street, a distance of approximately 160 metres.

- 2.6 **New Street, Neath**
From its junction with The Parade to its junction with Orchard Street, a distance of approximately 95 metres.
- 2.7 **Angel Street, Neath**
From its junction with The Parade to its junction with Croft Road, a distance of approximately 103 metres.
- 2.8 **The Parade, Neath**
From its junction with Croft Road to its junction with Cattle Street, a distance of approximately 40 metres.
- 2.9 **Cattle Street, Neath**
From its junction with Angel Street to its junction with Old Market Street, a distance of approximately 108 metres.
- 2.10 **Water Street, Neath**
From its junction with Wind Street to its junction with Fairfield Way, a distance of approximately 68 metres.

Schedule 3 – No Waiting, Loading or Unloading 10.30am to 5.00pm

- 3.1 **Queen Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with Green Street to its junction with Orchard Street, a distance of approximately 190 metres.
- 3.2 **Green Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with Windsor Road to its junction with New Street, a distance of approximately 155 metres.
- 3.3 **Wind Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with Old Market Street to its junction with New Street, a distance of approximately 100 metres.
- 3.4 **Orchard Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with New Street for a distance of approximately 7 metres in a south easterly direction.
- 3.5 **Church Place, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with Wind Street to its junction with New Street, a distance of approximately 160 metres in a north westerly then south westerly direction.
- 3.6 **New Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with The Parade to its junction with Orchard Street, a distance of approximately 72 metres.
- 3.7 **Angel Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with The Parade to its junction with Croft Road, a distance of approximately 120 metres.
- 3.8 **The Parade, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with Croft Road to its junction with New Street, a distance of approximately 30 metres.
- 3.9 **Cattle Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with Angel Street to its junction with Old Market Street, a distance of approximately 110 metres.
- 3.10 **Water Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with Wind Street to its junction with Fairfield Way, a distance of approximately 70 metres.

Schedule 4 – No Waiting 8.am to 10.30am

- 4.1 **Queen Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with Green Street to its junction with Orchard Street, a distance of approximately 190 metres.
- 4.2 **Green Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with Windsor Road to its junction with New Street, a distance of approximately 155 metres.
- 4.3 **Wind Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with Old Market Street to its junction with New Street, a distance of approximately 100 metres.
- 4.4 **Orchard Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with New Street for a distance of approximately 7 metres in a south easterly direction.
- 4.5 **Church Place, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with Wind Street to its junction with New Street, a distance of approximately 160 metres in a north westerly then south westerly direction.
- 4.6 **New Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with The Parade to its junction with Orchard Street, a distance of approximately 72 metres.
- 4.7 **Angel Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with The Parade to its junction with Croft Road, a distance of approximately 120 metres.
- 4.8 **The Parade, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with Croft Road to its junction with New Street, a distance of approximately 30 metres.
- 4.9 **Cattle Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with Angel Street to its junction with Old Market Street, a distance of approximately 110 metres.
- 4.10 **Water Street, Neath (Both Sides)**
From its junction with Wind Street to its junction with Fairfield Way, a distance of approximately 70 metres.

Schedule 5 – One Way Order

- 5.1 **Green Street, Neath**
From its junction with Windsor Road to its junction with New Street, a distance of approximately 155 metres in a north easterly direction.
- 5.2 **Queen Street, Neath**
From its junction with Green Street to its junction with Orchard Street for a distance of approximately 190 metres in a south easterly direction.
- 5.3 **Wind Street, Neath**
From its junction with Water Street to its junction with New Street for a distance of approximately 100 metres in a south westerly direction.
- 5.4 **Church Place, Neath**
From its junction with Wind Street to its junction with New Street for a distance of approximately 160 metres in a north westerly then south westerly direction.
- 5.5 **New Street, Neath**
From its junction with Cattle Street to its junction with Orchard Street for a distance of approximately 105 metres in a south easterly direction.

THE COMMON SEAL OF)
THE COUNCIL WAS)
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6th DAY OF OCTOBER 2015)
IN THE PRESENCE OF: -)



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PROPER OFFICER