



**THE CITY OF SOUTHAMPTON
(BUS LANES, BUS-ONLY STREETS AND BUS GATES) ORDER 2016**

Southampton City Council in exercise of its powers under Sections 1, 2, 4 and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 and of all other enabling powers, after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the 1984 Act hereby makes the following Order:

PART ONE – INTRODUCTION

CITATION

- 1.1** This order shall come into operation on the 23rd May 2016 and may be cited as The City of Southampton (Bus Lanes, Bus-only Streets and Bus Gates) Order 2016.

INTERPRETATION

- 1.2** In this Order, except where otherwise stated, any reference to an Article or Schedule shall be construed as a reference to that article or schedule in this order.
- 1.3** In this Order any reference to an Act, Statutory Instrument or Order shall be construed as a reference to that Act, Statutory Instrument or Order as amended.
- 1.4** In this Order the following expressions shall have the respective meanings assigned to them:
- “Authorised Vehicle” means any vehicle or class of vehicle listed on the Authorised Vehicles Register
- “Authorised Vehicles Register” means a register managed by the Council which specifies the vehicles or classes of vehicles that are authorised vehicles for the purposes of this Order
- “Bus Lane” means the areas of carriageway described in Columns 1, 2 and 3 of Schedule 1, bounded on the nearside by the edge of the carriageway and on the offside by a road marking complying with the diagram at Schedule 9, Part 6, Item 11 of The Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016 or bounded on the nearside and offside by a road marking complying with the diagram at Schedule 9, Part 6, Item 11 of The Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016
- “Bus” means a motor vehicle constructed or adapted to carry more than 8 passengers (exclusive of the driver) and local buses not so constructed or adapted
- “Bus-only Street” means the lengths of road described in Columns 1 and 2 of Schedule 3
- “Contra-flow Bus Lane” means the lengths of road described in Columns 1 and 2 of Schedule 2
- “Council” means Southampton City Council
- “Local Bus” means a Public Service Vehicle used for the provision of a local service not being an excursion or tour
- “Local Service” has the meaning given in section 2 of the Transport Act 1985

“Motor Vehicle” means a mechanically propelled vehicle intended or adapted for use on roads

“Pedal Cycle” means a unicycle, bicycle, tricycle, or cycle having four or more wheels, not being in any case mechanically propelled unless it is an electrically assisted pedal cycle of such class as is to be treated as not being a motor vehicle for the purposes of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984

“Public Service Vehicle” has the meaning given in section 1 of the Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981

“Taxi” means a vehicle licensed under section 37 of the Town Police Clauses Act 1847

PART TWO – BUS LANES, BUS-ONLY STREETS AND BUS GATES

WITH-FLOW BUS LANES

- 2.1 No person shall cause or permit any vehicle, other than those specified in Column 4 of Schedule 1, to be in a Bus Lane during the hours specified in Column 5 of Schedule 1.
- 2.2 No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to wait, including waiting for the purposes of loading or unloading goods from that vehicle, in a Bus Lane during the hours specified in column 6 of schedule 1.

CONTRA-FLOW BUS LANES

- 2.3 No person shall cause or permit any vehicle, other than those specified in column 3 of schedule 2, to proceed along a Contra-flow Bus Lane in the direction specified in Column 4 of Schedule 2 during the hours specified in Column 6 of Schedule 2. All other vehicles must proceed in the direction specified in Column 5 of Schedule 2.
- 2.4 No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to wait, including waiting for the purposes of loading or unloading goods from that vehicle, in a Contra-flow Bus Lane during the hours specified in column 7 of schedule 2.

BUS-ONLY STREETS AND BUS GATES

- 2.5 No person shall cause or permit any vehicle, other than those specified in column 3 of schedule 3 to be in a Bus-only Street during the hours specified in column 4 of schedule 3.
- 2.6 No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to wait, including waiting for the purposes of loading or unloading goods from that vehicle, in a Bus-only Street during the hours specified in column 5 of schedule 3.

PART THREE – EXEMPTIONS

EXEMPTIONS

- 3.1 Nothing in this Order shall prohibit any vehicle from being in, proceeding along or waiting in a Bus Lane, Contra-flow Bus Lane or Bus-only Street in the following circumstances:
 - (a) The vehicle is directed to, by or with the permission of a Police Officer or Civil Enforcement Officer
 - (b) The vehicle is being used for fire and rescue authority (within the meaning of the Fire and Rescue Services Act 2004), ambulance (including providing a response to an emergency at the request of an NHS ambulance service), bomb or explosive disposal, special forces, police or National Crime Agency purposes and the observance of a provision of this order would be likely to hinder the use of that vehicle for the purpose for which it is being used

- (c) Where necessary due to circumstances beyond the drivers control or in order to prevent an accident
- (d) To gain access to or exit from a road where such access is only possible from within the Bus Lane, Contra-flow Bus Lane or Bus-only Street
- (e) The vehicle is being used in connection with any building, industrial or demolition operations, the removal of any obstruction of traffic, the maintenance improvement or reconstruction of the road, the laying, erection, alteration or repair of any sewer, or of any main, pipe or apparatus, for the supply of gas, water or electricity or of any telecommunications apparatus where the vehicle cannot be conveniently used for this purpose in any other place
- (f) The vehicle is being used by or on behalf of the Council in pursuance of a statutory power or duty where the vehicle cannot be conveniently used for this purpose in any other place
- (g) The vehicle is being used by or on behalf of a Statutory Undertaker in pursuance of a statutory power or duty where the vehicle cannot be conveniently used for this purpose in any other place

PART FOUR – CONTRAVENTION & REVOCATIONS

CONTRAVENTION

- 4.1** Any person or vehicle failing to comply with the provisions of this Order shall be in contravention of it.

REVOCATIONS

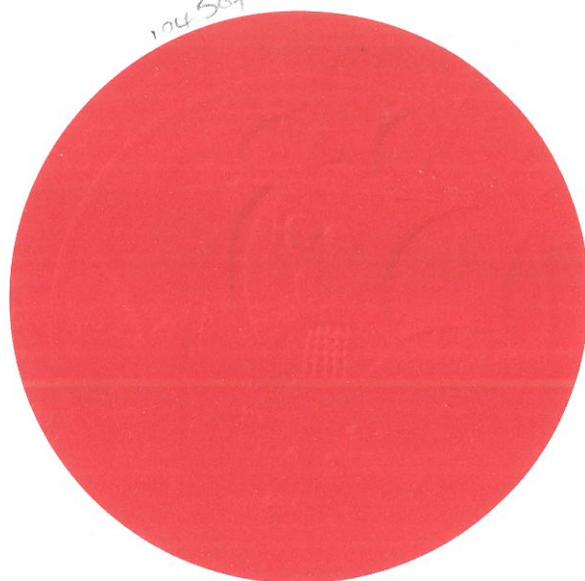
- 4.2** The contents of Schedules 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10 and 11 to the City of Southampton (Various Roads) (Movement Restrictions) Traffic Regulation Order 2010 shall be deleted and replaced with the following:

“Bus priority restrictions now contained in The City of Southampton (Bus Lanes, Bus-only Streets and Bus Gates) Order 2016”

THE COMMON SEAL of
SOUTHAMPTON CITY COUNCIL
was hereunto affixed this 18th day
of May 2016 in the presence of:

K. H. Nicholwood

Authorised Signatory



SCHEDULE 1 – WITH-FLOW BUS LANES

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6
Road	Side	Description	Permitted Vehicles	Bus Lane Restricted Hours	Prohibition of Waiting and Loading Restricted Hours
A33 (Northbound Carriageway) Chilworth Roundabout to Chilworth Road slip road	West	From 57m north of the southern boundary of 218 Bassett Green Road northwards for 150m	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
Bitterne Road (Lance's Hill)	South-west	From 20m north-west of its junction with Peartree Avenue north-westwards for 140m	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
Bursledon Road	South-west	From 47m north-west of the south-eastern kerbline of Orpen Road north-westwards for 477m	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	7am – 9:30am Monday to Friday	N/A
Civic Centre Road	North	From its junction with West Marlands Road eastwards to its junction with Above Bar Street	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
Link Road from Paynes Road to Millbrook Road West	South	The nearside lane for its entire length	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
London Road	East	From 15m north of its junction with Cumberland Place northwards for 15m (offside lane only)	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
London Road	West	From 40m north of its junction with Carlton Crescent northwards to its junction with the Avenue	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
Maybray-King Way (westbound carriageway)	South-west	From its junction with Bursledon Road (western section) north-westwards for 60m	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
New Road	North	From Park Walk eastwards to 50m west of East Park Terrace	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A

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Road	Side	Description	Permitted Vehicles	Bus Lane Restricted Hours	Prohibition of Waiting and Loading Restricted Hours
New Road	North	From East Park Terrace eastwards for 175m	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
New Road	South	From 173m east of Palmerston Road westwards to 46m east of Palmerston Road	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
New Road	South	From its junction with Kingsway to its junction with Kingsway	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
New Road and Civic Centre Road	South	From 13m west of the junction of New Road with Palmerston Road westwards to 22m east of the junction of Civic Centre Road with Havelock Road	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
Northam Road	East and South-east	From 99.5m north of the northern kerbline of Kent Street to 52.5m north-east of the eastern kerbline of Britannia Road	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	All
Northam Road	South	From 50m east of the eastern kerbline of the spur of Northam Road situated between Nos 33 and 37 eastwards for 57m	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
Portsmouth Road	South	From the western kerbline of Oak Road eastwards for 60m	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
Redbridge Road	South-west	From its junction with Old Redbridge Road north-westwards to its junction with Redbridge Roundabout	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
Shirley Road	North-east	From 93m south-east of the south-eastern kerbline of Malmesbury Road to 47m north-west of the north-western kerbline of Howard Road	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	All

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Shirley Road	North-east	From 20m north-west of the north western kerbline of Tintern Grove south-eastwards for 160m	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
Six Dials (Westbound Carriageway)	South	The entire length of the nearside one of the two lanes leading to New Road on the approach to the junction with Kingsway	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
The Avenue	West	From its junction with London Road northwards to 33m south of the southern kerbline of Archers Road	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
The Avenue	West	From 15m north of the northern kerb-line of Archers Road northwards to 8m south of the northern kerbline of Banister Road	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
West End Road	South-east	From 10m south-west of its junction with the slip road from the eastbound carriageway of Maybray-King Way south-westwards for 80m	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A

SCHEDULE 2 – CONTRA-FLOW BUS LANES

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7
Road	Description	Permitted Vehicles	Direction of Travel for Permitted Vehicles	Direction of Travel for all other vehicles	Restricted Hours	Prohibition of Waiting and Loading Restricted Hours
Above Bar Street	From 9m south of the southern kerbline of Brunswick Place southwards for 25m	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis	North	South	All	N/A
Kathleen Road	From its junction with Bursledon Road to its junction with High Firs Road	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles	South-west	North-east	7am – 9:30am Monday to Friday	N/A
Orpen Road	From its junction with Bursledon Road to its junction with Butts Road	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles	South-west	North-east	7am – 9:30am Monday to Friday	N/A
Park Street	From its junction with Shirley High Street to its junction with Carlisle Road	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis	South-west	North-east	All	N/A

SCHEDULE 3 – BUS-ONLY STREETS

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5
Road	Description	Permitted Vehicles	Restricted Hours	Prohibition of Waiting and Loading Restricted Hours
Aldermoor Road	The entire length of the turning bay situated on the eastern side of Aldermoor Road near its junction with Coxford Road	1 - Buses	All	N/A
Bargate Street	From its junction with Portland Terrace eastwards to its junction with Hanover Buildings	1 - Local Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles	All	N/A
Eastbound link road from Bitterne Road West to Bitterne Road (Lance's Hill)	From its junction with the eastbound carriageway of Bitterne Road West to its junction with the westbound carriageway of Maybray-King Way	1 - Buses 2 - Taxis 3 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A
Hanover Buildings	From its junction with Bargate Street eastwards to a point 10m west of the western kerb-line of York Walk	1 - Local Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles	All	N/A
The slip road on the northern side of the junction of Wright's Hill and Weston Lane	From its junction with Wright's Hill eastwards to its junction with Weston Lane	1 - Buses	All	N/A
The Itchen Bridge Bus Lane	For its entire length	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles	All	N/A
Vincent's Walk	From 56m south of the southern kerbline of Poundtree Road southwards for 32m	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	All
Wilton Road	From its junction with Bellemoor Road north-westwards for 23m	1 - Buses 2 - Pedal Cycles 3 - Taxis 4 - Authorised Vehicles	All	N/A

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