Statement of Reasons
Bitton – Waiting Restriction Review

Background
Funding has been secured to carry out an area wide waiting restriction review for the Bitton ward.

Following meetings and site visits with the local councillor and a review of requests that have been received over a period of time, it is proposed to introduce waiting restrictions to alleviate obstructive and inconsiderate parking on various roads within the Bitton ward to improve safety and visibility for all road users and pedestrians.

Purpose of Scheme
The purpose of the scheme is to address the obstructive and inconsiderate parking on the identified roads and to provide an area of limited waiting on the A4175 access road to enable sufficient parking availability for customers wishing to visit the local businesses on this road.

Proposed Scheme
The proposed scheme is to introduce double yellow lines to improve access and visibility issues on roads that have been identified and to introduce a 1 hour limited waiting bay on the A4175 access road.

The proposed scheme will also include the conversion of existing advisory white keep clear markings and a section of school keep clear markings to double yellow lines.

Drawing Reference
Drawing number T301-304-01 shows an overview of the Bitton ward, indicating each inset of where waiting restrictions are being proposed. Drawing number T301-304-02 inset 1 to 6 shows the existing arrangements and T301-304-03 insets 1 to 6 shows the proposed waiting restrictions.

The affected roads are scheduled below. Roads within the review area where there are NO proposals, are not listed.

- A4175 access road to Marina
- A431 Bath Road
- Aubrey Meads
- Baron Close
- Caldicot Close
- Cherry Gardens
- Cherry Gardens Lane
- Cherry Gardens Road
- Church Road
- Corfe Place
- Edwin Short Close

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Timescale

Depending upon the result of this consultation and public advertisement of the required traffic regulation orders, it is hoped that the proposed scheme will be implemented during the 2020/21 financial year.