

LEGAL NOTICE

Your council intends to make changes under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984. You have a right to support or object to these proposed changes. If you wish to do this, please follow the details in section C below

A. Details of the proposed changes:

Proposed changes to Prohibition of Driving

Roads affected: HIGH STREET and THE CLOSE, Thornbury

South Gloucestershire Council (High Street and The Close, Thornbury) (Prohibition of Driving) Experimental Order 2020

Reference: L3/DFA/STOP/PT.6609

The Council has made an order which will:-

- prohibit the driving of motor vehicles other than in a southerly direction on a length of **High Street** from Castle Court to The Close; and
- prohibit the driving of motor vehicles on a length of **High Street** from The Close to Chapel Street and the entire length of **The Close**.

Exemptions apply which include loading and unloading of goods and access to premises, accessible only from the lengths of road specified with a valid written authorisation.

B. Where can I find out more?

Full details of the scheme are contained in the experimental order. If you would like to see a copy of the experimental traffic order, a map, copies of any orders to be varied/suspended and a copy of the Council's Statement of Reasons for making the order, you may do so by visiting the Council's website at www.southglos.gov.uk/consultation. If you are unable to do this but would like copies of the documents to be either emailed or posted to you, please contact the Council quoting the reference below by writing to the address at the bottom of this notice. You may also telephone Rob Wiltsher on 01454 863756 or email rob.wiltsher@southglos.gov.uk. You may view the documents at Patchway One Stop Shop which will be **by appointment only**.

IMPORTANT

Due to the Covid-19 emergency restrictions, limited One Stop Shops are open and access is by appointment only. The safe and preferred option to access documents is by means of the links above.

In due course the Council will be considering whether the provisions of the experimental traffic order should be continued in force indefinitely. Any person may object to the indefinite continuation of the experimental order within six months of the experimental order coming into operation. Objections must be in writing stating the grounds on which the objection is made to the indefinite continuation of the experimental order or, if the order is varied, beginning with the day on which the variation came into force. The reason for proceeding by way of an Experimental Traffic Order is to assess the effects of the measures for a trial period before consideration is given to whether the provisions of the Experimental Traffic Order should be made permanent.

C. What if I want to write to you about the proposals?

If you would like to send us a letter or an email about the proposals, or upload a document via the council's website, please check that you:

- Include reasons for any comments you make for, or against, the proposals.
- Quote the reference L3/DFA/STOP/PT.6609 on your letter or email.
- Our preferred method of response is via the consultation webpage by completing the online questionnaire at www.southglos.gov.uk/consultation. You may also comment in writing to the Head of Legal, Governance and Democratic Services at the address below or email placefeedback@southglos.gov.uk;
- Send all comments to the Head of Legal, Governance and Democratic Services and Monitoring Officer at the address below by **31 January 2021**.

Please note that all comments received may be considered in public by the council. The content of letters/emails, together with the name and address of the person making it, could become available for public inspection.

Date of notice: **21 July 2020**