



ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

SOUTH GLOUCESTERSHIRE COUNCIL (HOOPERS WALK, LONGWELL GREEN) (PROHIBITION OF WAITING) ORDER 202(-)

STATEMENT OF REASONS

Background

On 6 January 2012 South Gloucestershire Council gave permission to Sovereign Housing Association to construct a development of 70 dwellings on the site of Mount Pleasant Farm, Longwell Green accessed from the A431 Bath Road.

A condition of this permission was the construction of off-street parking for all properties before occupations took place. With this condition in mind a permanent Traffic Order for Waiting Restrictions was not deemed necessary.

However, since occupation of the properties parking on Hoopers Walk has regularly caused access difficulties for larger vehicles especially those undertaking the regular Refuse Collection duties. This has resulted in refuse not being collected, complaints from residents and additional costs.

To address these access issues and with regard to the possibility of emergency vehicles being unable to gain access, the Council is promoting a Prohibition of Waiting Order to prohibit parking in areas where it currently causes problems. These are shown on the plan referred to below.

Purpose of Scheme

To introduce No Waiting at Any Time restrictions in certain lengths of Hoopers Walk to prevent obstruction of larger vehicles.

Proposed Scheme

- Hoopers Walk - No Waiting At Any Time

Drawing Reference

T302-172-01 Hoopers Walk No Waiting at Any Time Restrictions