

**CHESHIRE EAST BOROUGH COUNCIL
(SELKIRK DRIVE AND PORTREE DRIVE, HOLMES CHAPEL)
(PROHIBITION OF WAITING)
ORDER 2018**

STATEMENT OF REASONS

Effect

The effect of the proposed Order will be to introduce a prohibition of waiting by vehicles at all times on all days on the following lengths and sides of road.

Selkirk Drive, Holmes Chapel (east side) – from a point 33.5 metres south of its junction with Portree Drive to a point 37.5 metres north of said junction.

Selkirk Drive, Holmes Chapel (west side) – from a point 33.5 metres south of its junction with Portree Drive to a point 32 metres north of said junction.

Portree Drive, Holmes Chapel (north side) – from its junction with Selkirk Drive for a distance of 10 metres in an easterly direction.

Portree Drive, Holmes Chapel (south side) – from its junction with Selkirk Drive for a distance of 13.5 metres in an easterly direction.

Reasons

The introduction of no waiting at any time restrictions are considered necessary to remove parked vehicles from parts of the highway where they are hindering the free flow of traffic, restricting access and are a source of danger by reducing visibility.

Consideration has been given to the effect that the displacement of vehicles would have on neighbouring roads and as such the extents of the restrictions have been kept to a minimum.

The proposals were supported by the local Ward Members for Dane Valley at the Congleton Area Highways Group meeting in March 2018.

In respect of section 122 of the 1984 Act the Authority is seeking to secure the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of traffic through the provision of waiting provisions whilst also keeping the restrictions to a minimum to take into account its duty to provide suitable and adequate parking on street.