TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER (TRO) CONSULTATION

CHI8022RC – Midhurst: A286 New Road

22/5/25 - 13/6/25

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WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL ((CHICHESTER DISTRICT) (PARKING PLACES & TRAFFIC REGULATION) (CONSOLIDATION) ORDER 2010) (A286 NEW ROAD AMENDMENT) ORDER 202* & ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 23 MIDHURST – A286 NEW ROAD PEDESTRIAN CROSSING PLACES

NOTICE is hereby given that in exercise of their powers under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, West Sussex County Council, propose to:-

- make a permanent Order the effect of which will be to introduce lengths of prohibition of waiting at any time (double yellow lines) on both sides of the A286 New Road south-east of its junction with Spring Gardens; and
- (ii) install a toucan crossing place on the A286 New Road south-east of Spring Gardens.

Full details of the proposals in this Notice can be viewed on our website <u>www.westsussex.gov.uk/tro</u>. The website includes a response form for comments or objections.

Paper copies of documents will not be available to view in council offices or libraries. People without access to a computer who wish to view details of the scheme should telephone the West Sussex County Council Contact Centre on 01243 642105 to receive the documents by post.

Any objections or comments about the proposal must be received by 13 June 2025. These may be sent via the response form on the website, in writing to: TRO Team, West Sussex County Council, The Grange, Tower Street, Chichester, PO19 1RH; or by e-mail to: <u>tro.consultation@westsussex.gov.uk</u>. All correspondence should be addressed to the undersigned, quoting reference no. TRO/CHI8022/RC. Only correspondence including a full name and address will be considered.

Dated this 22nd May 2025 Director of Law & Assurance County Hall Chichester

<u>WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL</u> ((CHICHESTER DISTRICT) (PARKING PLACES & TRAFFIC REGULATION) (CONSOLIDATION) ORDER 2010) (A286 NEW ROAD AMENDMENT) ORDER 202* & ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 23 <u>MIDHURST – A286 NEW ROAD</u> PEDESTRIAN CROSSING PLACES

STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR PROPOSING TO MAKE THE ORDER & INSTALL THE CROSSING

The County Council in exercise of their powers under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, propose to:-

- make a permanent Order the effect of which will be to introduce lengths of prohibition of waiting at any time (double yellow lines) on both sides of the A286 New Road south-east of its junction with Spring Gardens; and
- (ii) install a toucan crossing place on the A286 New Road south-east of Spring Gardens.

The Midhurst Jubilee Path is a popular walking and cycling route in Midhurst owned by Chichester District Council. It is part of the proposed Midhurst Greenway, a larger project aiming to improve walking and cycling infrastructure in the area.

The Midhurst Greenway is a proposed shared off-road path. West Sussex County Council have committed to the development and implementation of active travel improvements with the support of the South Downs National Park Authority, Midhurst Town Council and Chichester District Council.

The current proposal consists of the delivery of a new signalised toucan crossing on the A286 New Road. This will allow pedestrians and cyclists to cross New Road east of the Fire Station and retain access to Jubilee Path. The design has considered pedestrian and vehicular traffic flows as well as the visibility constraints for both user groups and has undergone a Stage 2 Road Safety Audit.

To facilitate safe usage of the toucan crossing, lengths of double yellow lines are proposed either side of the controlled crossing area to provide adequate visibility. The double yellow lines will extend across the residential access on the south side of the carriageway and across the access of 35/36 New Road on the north side of the carriageway. The waiting restrictions at these locations will support the use of the dropped kerb for cycle manoeuvres on and off he tshared path.

The Order is proposed for avoiding danger to persons of other traffic using the road or preventing the likelihood of any danger arising, to facilitate the passage on the road of any class of traffic (including pedestrians) and to preserve or improve the amenities of the area through which the road runs.

Plan No. SU8820NWN & Drawing 385-WSCC-101-A286-DR-01 show the length of road that is the subject of the proposed Order and crossing installation.

Director of Law & Assurance County Hall Chichester June 2025

<u>WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL</u> ((CHICHESTER DISTRICT) (PARKING PLACES & TRAFFIC REGULATION) (CONSOLIDATION) ORDER 2010) (A286 NEW ROAD AMENDMENT) ORDER 202*

West Sussex County Council in exercise of their powers under Sections 1 (1) 2 (1) and (2), 4 (2), 45, 46, 49 and 53 and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 "the Act" as amended and of all other enabling powers and after consultation with the chief officer of police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act hereby make the following Order:-

- 1. This Order shall come into operation on the x day of x 2025 and may be cited as "West Sussex County Council ((Chichester District) (Parking Places and Traffic Regulation) (Consolidation) Order 2010) (A286 New Road Amendment) Order 202*."
- 2. The "West Sussex County Council (Chichester District) (Parking Places and Traffic Regulation) (Consolidation) Order 2010" is hereby amended by the deletion from it of the plan in the First Schedule to this Order and the substitution of the plan attached in the Second Schedule to this Order.

FIRST SCHEDULE Plan to be deleted

SU8820NWN (Sheet Issue No. 2)

<u>SECOND SCHEDULE</u> <u>Plan to be substituted</u> <u>(As attached)</u>

SU8820NWN (Sheet Issue No. 3)

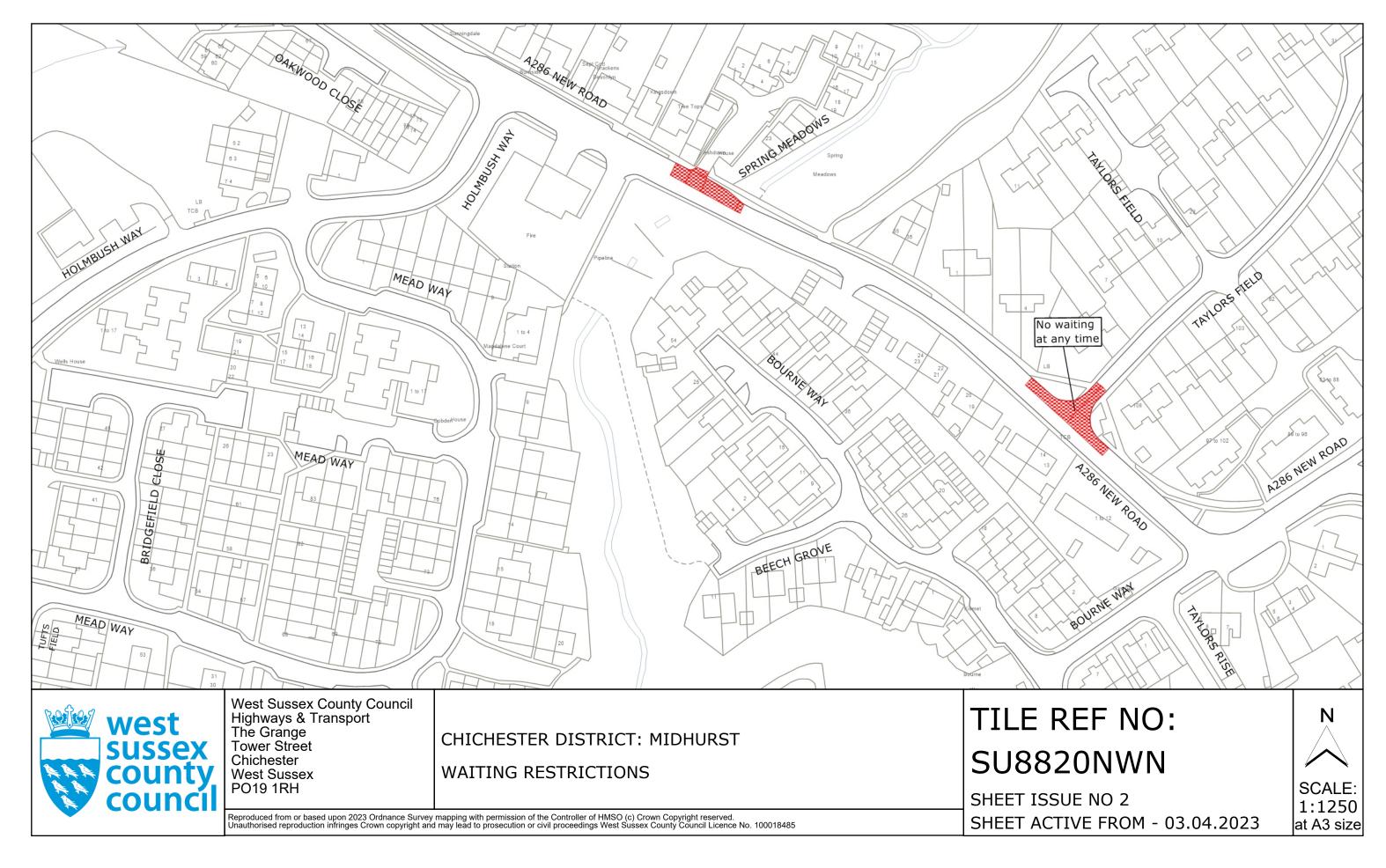
For and on behalf of WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

Authorised Signatory:

NAME:

DATE MADE:

PAGE 1 OF 2: EXISTING RESTRICTIONS ONLY



PAGE 2 OF 2: PROPOSED CHANGES TO RESTRICTIONS (CIRCLED)

