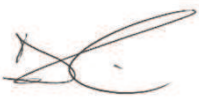


# OFFICER DELEGATION SCHEME RECORD OF DECISION



<b>Date:</b> 20/09/21	<b>Ref No:</b> ENG066	
<b>Responsible Officer:</b> Joe Goldstone, Senior Engineering Technician		
<b>Title/Subject matter:</b> Charles Street, Whitefield – Proposed introduction of no waiting at any time restrictions.		
<b>Budget/Strategy/Policy/Compliance:</b>		
(i) Is the decision within an Approved Budget?	Yes	
(ii) Is the decision in conflict with the council's policies, strategies or relevant service plans?	No	
(iii) Does the decision amend existing or raise new policy issues?	No	
(iv) Is the decision a non-key decision (below £100,000, outside the MO definitions)	Yes	
Is publication still required? (see guidance)	Yes	
<b>Summary:</b>  Further to the recommendation of the Traffic Management Unit (Tuesday 27 July 2021, minute 4247) to approve for advertising the proposal to introduce no waiting at any time restrictions on Charles Street, Whitefield to alleviate access and obstruction problems.		
<b>Options considered:</b>		
<b>Decision:</b> To approve the proposal as described in the attached statement of justification for advertising.		
<b>Decision made by:</b>	<b>Signature:</b>	<b>Date:</b>

D R Giblin Head of Engineering		20/09/2021
<b>Members Consulted (if applicable) [see note 1 below]</b>		
Cabinet Member		
Lead Member		
Opposition Spokesperson		

### Notes

1. Where, in accordance with the requirements of the Officer Delegation Scheme, a Chief Officer consults with the appropriate Cabinet Member they must sign the form so as to confirm that they have been consulted and that they agree with the proposed action. The signature of the Opposition Spokesperson should be obtained if required, to confirm that he/she has been consulted. Please refer to the MO Guidance.
2. **This form must not be used for urgent decisions.**
3. Where there is any doubt, Corporate Directors should err on the side of caution and seek advice from the Council's Monitoring Officer.

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## **STATEMENT OF COUNCIL'S JUSTIFICATION**

### **TM2/21/510 — CHARLES STREET, WHITEFIELD**

An incident of a vehicle parking over the footway causing access and obstruction problems for a mobility scooter on Charles Street, Whitefield was reported to Christian Wakeford MP and subsequently passed to Traffic with a request to investigate the issue.

Observations have been carried out and footway parking occurs both sides of Charles Street; outside Victoria Community Centre and along the opposite pavement.

As it is double parking that is causing the problem, if one side of the carriageway can be protected with yellow lines on this section of Charles Street, there would be no longer be any reason for drivers to park on the none restricted side partly over the footway. This proposal will ensure that both pavements will be clear of overriding vehicles and provide unobstructed access for pedestrians and people with mobility issues.

In addition, restrictions will facilitate access for pedestrians and wheelchair users to the Community Centre. They will also ease vehicular access to and from Victoria Square.

This report was circulated to the Traffic Management Unit members for comments on Tuesday 27 July 2021, the decision being to recommend the introduction of no waiting at any time restrictions to alleviate access and obstruction.

The extent of the proposed restrictions are described in the accompanying schedule.

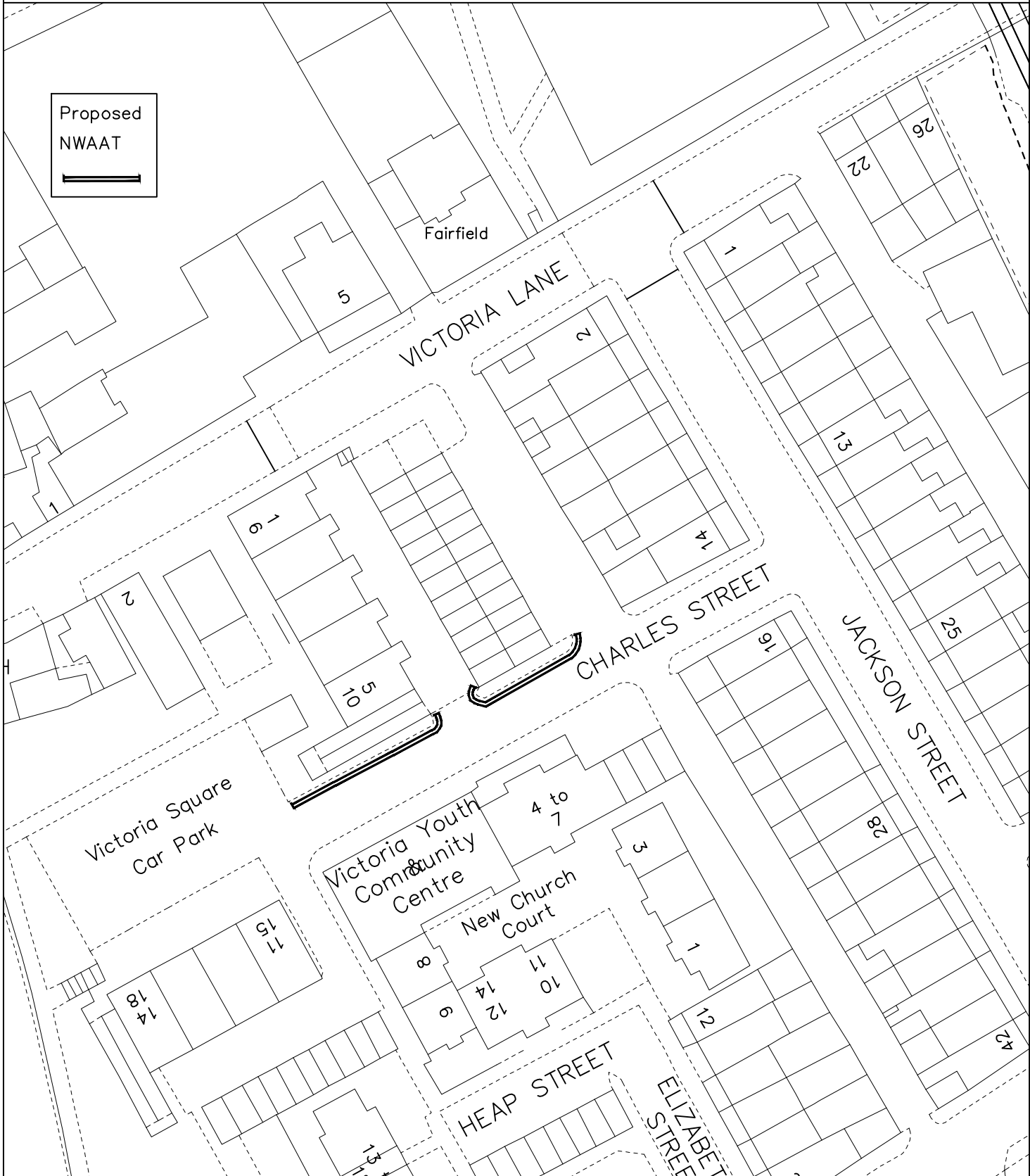
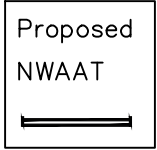
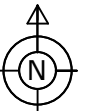
#### **Schedule**

##### **Proposed No Waiting at Any time**

**Northerly side** from its junction with Victoria Square car park for a distance of 42 metres in an easterly direction



# CHARLES STREET, WHITEFIELD PROPOSED RESTRICTIONS PLAN



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