

Statement of Reasons

Telford & Wrekin Council (Severn Drive and Whitchurch Road, Wellington) (One-way Street Restriction and Revocation) Traffic Regulation Order 2023

Proposals

It is proposed to amend the exiting One-way Street Restriction on Severn Drive and Whitchurch Road, Wellington, Telford.

It is proposed to amend the length of the One-way street restriction on Severn Drive and revoke the One-way on Whitchurch Road. For Severn Drive the amended length will shorten the One-way to only 16 metres in a northerly direction from Harley Close. The direction of travel remains the same from south to north.

The amendment is to create a gateway access point only to Severn Drive. The rest of the street remains two-way and will give flexibility of access to Severn Drive with the revocation of the one-way on Whitchurch Road.

This proposal has been requested from Parish and Ward Councillors.

Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984

The specific grounds which the Council is using for implementation of the proposed parking restriction above are the following sections of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

- Section 1 (a) for avoiding danger to persons or other traffic using the roads or any other roads or for preventing the likelihood of any such dangers arising
- Section 1 (c) to facilitate the passage on the roads or any other roads of any class of traffic (including pedestrians)
- Section 1 (f) to improve the amenities of the area through which the roads run.

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