

**SUFFOLK COUNTY COUNCIL  
(VARIOUS ROADS, ALDEBURGH) (PROHIBITION OF WAITING) ORDER 201-**

Suffolk County Council in exercise of its powers under Sections 1(1) and (2), 2(1) to (3), and 4(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended, (which said Act of 1984 is hereinafter referred to as 'the Act of 1984') and of all other enabling powers, after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act of 1984, hereby makes the following Order:

**PART 1: INTERPRETATION**

1. (1) In this order:

'disabled person's vehicle' has the same meaning as in Section 142 of the Act of 1984;

'disabled person's badge' has the same meaning as in Regulation 2(1) of the Disabled Persons (Badges for Motor Vehicles) (England) Regulations 2000;

'parking disc' means a device that:

- (a) is 125 millimetres square and coloured blue;
- (b) has been issued by a local authority and has not ceased to be valid; and
- (c) is capable of showing the quarter-hour period during which a period of waiting has begun.

(2) For the purpose of this Order a vehicle shall be regarded as displaying:

(a) a disabled person's badge in the relevant position when:

- (i) the badge is exhibited on the dashboard or fascia of the vehicle; or
- (ii) where the vehicle is not fitted with a dashboard or fascia, the badge is exhibited in a conspicuous position on the vehicle;

so that the front of the badge is clearly legible from the outside of the vehicle;

(b) a parking disc in the relevant position when:

- (i) the disc is exhibited on the dashboard or fascia of the vehicle; or
- (ii) where the vehicle is not fitted with a dashboard or fascia, the disc is exhibited in a conspicuous position on the vehicle;

so that, when marked to show the quarter-hour period during which a period of waiting began, that period is clearly legible from the outside of the vehicle.

- (3) Except where otherwise stated, any reference in this Order to a numbered Article or to the Schedule is a reference to the Article bearing that number or to the Schedule in this Order.
2. The restrictions, prohibitions and requirements imposed by this Order are in addition to and not in derogation of any restriction, prohibition or requirement imposed by any other enactment and any exception or exemption to the provisions of this Order is without prejudice to the provisions of any other enactment.

## PART 2: WAITING RESTRICTIONS

3. Except as provided in Article 4 no person shall, except upon the direction or with the permission of a police constable in uniform or of a traffic warden, cause or permit any vehicle to wait at any time on the lengths or sides of road specified under Type 1 in Schedule 1 to this Order.
4. (1) Nothing in Article 3 shall make it unlawful to cause or permit any vehicle to wait on the lengths or sides of road referred to therein for so long as may be necessary to enable:
  - (a) a person to board or alight from the vehicle;
  - (b) goods to be loaded or unloaded from the vehicle;
  - (c) the vehicle, if it cannot conveniently be used for such purpose in any other road, to be used in connection with any of the following operations, namely:
    - (i) building, industrial or demolition operations;
    - (ii) the removal of any obstruction to traffic;
    - (iii) the maintenance, improvement or reconstruction of the said lengths or sides of road; or
    - (iv) the laying, erection, alteration or repair in or on land adjacent to the said lengths or sides of road of any sewer or of any main, pipe or apparatus for the supply of gas, water or electricity or of any telecommunications system as defined in the Telecommunications Act 1984;
  - (d) the vehicle, if it cannot conveniently be used for such purposes in any other road, to be used in the service of a local authority or of a water authority in pursuance of statutory powers or duties.
- (2) Nothing in Article 3 shall make it unlawful to cause or permit a disabled person's vehicle which displays in the relevant position a disabled person's badge, and a parking disc (on which the driver, or other person in charge of the vehicle has marked the time at which the period of waiting began) to wait on the length or sides of road referred to in that Article for a period not exceeding three hours (not being a period separated by an interval of less than one hour from a previous period of waiting by the same vehicle on the same side of road on the same day).

**PART 3: CITATION**

5. This Order may be cited as the Suffolk County Council (Various Roads, Aldeburgh) (Prohibition of Waiting) Order 201- and shall come into operation on

Date:

The COMMON SEAL of SUFFOLK )  
 COUNTY COUNCIL was affixed )  
 in the presence of: )

(An authorised Officer of the Council)

**SCHEDULE**

Waiting Restrictions

Type 1: No Waiting at Any Time

<b>ROAD</b>	<b>SIDE</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>TYPE</b>
Alde Lane	Both	From its junction with Victoria Road in a southerly direction for its entire length to its junction with Park Lane, a distance of approximately 276 metres.	1
Beaconsfield Road	Both	From its junction with The Terrace in a westerly direction for a distance of 6 metres.	1
Church Walk	East	From a point adjacent to the property boundary between Nos.10 & 12 Church Walk in a southerly direction to its junction with The Terrace, a distance of approximately 10 metres.	1
	West	From a point opposite the property boundary between Nos.10 & 12 Church Walk in a southerly direction to its junction with Park Lane, a distance of approximately 8 metres.	1

ROAD	SIDE	DESCRIPTION	TYPE
Park Lane	North	(a) From a point 8 metres east of the centre of its junction with Alde Lane in a westerly direction for a distance of 11 metres.	1
		(b) From a point 11 metres east of the property boundary between Nos.5 and 7 Park Lane in a easterly direction to its junction with The Terrace and Church Walk, a distance of approximately 8 metres.	1
The Terrace	East	(a) From a point on the east side of its junction with Church Walk to a point adjacent to the southern edge of the Town Steps, a distance of approximately 5 metres.	1
		(b) From a point adjacent to the northern boundary of No. 123 The Terrace in a southerly direction to a point adjacent to a point at the southern corner of the steps to West Lane, a distance of approximately 60 metres.	1
	West	From a point adjacent to the southern building line of the Church in a northerly direction for a distance of 15 metres (to join the existing restriction).	1
	Both	From a point 8 metres north of the centre of its junction with Beaconsfield Road in a southerly direction for a distance of 16 metres.	1
Victoria Road	South West	From a point 7 metres north west of the centre of its junction with Alde Lane in a south-easterly direction for a distance of 12 metres.	1

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Statement of Reasons

In accordance with the Traffic Management Act Suffolk County Council carries out reviews of all major towns and villages on a regular basis to bring the waiting restrictions in line with current traffic flows and road traffic usage. These measures arise from information gathered from local councils, the emergency services and the local residents of the area.

There are currently no parking restrictions on Alde Lane, The Terrace and Park Lane, Aldeburgh. Motor vehicles currently park on both sides of these roads and cause congestion and safety issues. Parking on the corner of Alde Lane and Victoria Road has become a major issue and accidents have occurred here. Motor vehicles enter Alde Lane from Victoria Road and often have to give way to motor vehicles at the junction mouth; this leads to vehicles stopping in Victoria Road blocking traffic.

It has also been noted that with parking on both sides of Alde Lane and The Terrace has caused difficulties for emergency vehicles, which have at times been stopped from accessing these roads. The police and emergency services strongly support these proposals.

The proposals include installing no waiting at any time along the entire length of Alde Lane and on parts of The Terrace. Short lengths of restriction on Beaconsfield Road and Church Walk at their junctions with The Terrace, and on Park Lane at its junction with Alde Lane, are intended to protect visibility and unobstructed access at these junctions.

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Suffolk County Council proposes to make the above order for Aldeburgh under Sections 1, 2 and 4 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended. The effect of the order will be to prohibit waiting at any time on:

- both sides of Alde Lane for its entire length;
- the east side of The Terrace opposite the junctions with Church Walk and Beaconsfield Road, and between West Lane and a point adjacent to the northern boundary of No. 123;
- the west side of The Terrace at its junctions with Church Walk and Beaconsfield Road;
- a short length of the south side of Victoria Road at its junction with Alde Lane;
- short lengths of both sides of Church Walk and Beaconsfield Road at their junctions with the Terrace; and
- short lengths of the north side of Park Road at its junctions with Alde Lane and Church Walk.

Exemptions to the waiting restrictions will allow a vehicle to wait for so long as may be necessary for a person to board or alight; for goods to be loaded or unloaded; for building, industrial or demolition works; for the maintenance of the road or the services therein, and for certain other purposes specified in the order. There are also the usual exemptions for disabled persons' vehicles.

A copy of the draft order and a set of plans showing the roads affected, together with the Council's reasons for these proposals may be inspected at my office 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Monday - Friday; also at Aldeburgh Library, Victoria Road, 10:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday; 10:00 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. Friday; 9:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Saturday; and 11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Sunday.

Objections or any other representations related to this proposal, specifying the grounds on which they are made, must reach Heather Miller at the address below or at [heather.miller@suffolk.gov.uk](mailto:heather.miller@suffolk.gov.uk), not later than 9 May 2012. Please bear in mind that any such correspondence cannot be regarded as confidential and may be inspected by any interested party.

Date: 17 April 2012

  
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