

STATEMENT OF REASONS

(A brief statement of the general nature and effect of the Order)

MILTON KEYNES CITY COUNCIL (NORTH SIXTH STREET, CENTRAL MILTON KEYNES) (ON-STREET FREE AND LIMITED WAITING AND STANDARD TARIFF PARKING PLACES) ORDER 2023

Milton Keynes City Council proposes to make the above Traffic Regulation Order, under sections 1(1), 2(1) and (2), 4(2) and (3), 45, 46, 49, 53 and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

The general effect of the Order will be to alter the parking arrangements in North Sixth Street, Central Milton Keynes to introduce free 30-minute limited waiting parking along those parts of the road between the hours of 7.00 am - 9.00 am and between 5.00 pm -6.00 pm, every day of the week.

The parking restrictions will continue to be standard rate tariff and various permit parking between the hours of 9.00 am and 5.00 pm, every day of the week.

The proposed alterations will help to provide safe and convenient parking for parents attending the Nursery to drop-off and pick-up their children.

The Council's reasons for proposing the above Order are as follows:

- 1) To maintain a safe environment throughout the road, particularly to encourage and facilitate pedestrian movements to and from the Nursery;
- 2) For avoiding danger to people using North Sixth Street, or to prevent the likelihood of any such danger arising.

As the Highway Authority for the above lengths of road, Milton Keynes City Council is satisfied that the introduction of the above proposed restrictions will help encourage a safer environment throughout.

The proposed alterations will be clearly signed and marked out in accordance with Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016.

The Council will continue to monitor the way in which highway facilities are used and address any issues that come to its notice and following meaningful consultation with all stakeholders do what it considers necessary to facilitate the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of vehicular and pedestrian traffic.

Dated: 04th April 2023