

EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

CABINET – 9 March 2011

PROPOSED PROHIBITION OF WAITING & LOADING RESTRICTIONS B743 LOAN & SORN ROAD, MAUCHLINE

Report by Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Neighbourhood Services

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to seek approval to introduce new waiting and loading restrictions on B743 Loan and Sorn Road, Mauchline.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 Prior to the upgrading of Mauchline Primary School there were no parking restrictions on Loan or Sorn Road near the school. However, whilst the upgrading of the school was taking place a Temporary Traffic Regulation Order was promoted to restrict parking at the school when the children were being decanted.
- 2.2 The school site is now operational. However, indiscriminate parking is obstructing pedestrians, creating potential conflicts between pedestrians and traffic and impeding movements to and from the premises of Milligan's Coaches, who operate school transport.

3. PROPOSALS

- 3.1 Permanent parking restrictions are required close to the school to enhance pedestrian safety and the movement of traffic.
- 3.2 The proposals comprise sections of no waiting, no loading at any time restrictions and further sections of no waiting, no loading, Monday to Friday 8:30 am – 9:30 am and 2:30 pm – 3:30 pm as shown in Appendix 1.

4. PROCEDURES

- 4.1 The draft Order has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 and the Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Procedures) (Scotland) Regulations 1999.
- 4.2 Consultation – the organisations, representative groups and individuals consulted during the preparation of the Orders are detailed in Appendix 2.
- 4.3 The Chief Constable has no objections to the making of the proposed Order.
- 4.4 No objections or adverse comments were received from any of the consultees.

4.5 Publication of Proposals – the draft Order was published in the Cumnock Chronicle on 8th December 2010. Full details of the proposals with a plan and Statement of Reasons were available for inspection at Council Headquarters, London Road, Roads & Transportation, Holmquarry House, Holmquarry Road, Kilmarnock and Mauchline Local Office, The Cross, Mauchline.

4.6 Formal Objections – no objections were received in respect of the draft Order.

5. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

5.1 The associated cost in making and implementing the waiting and loading restriction Order will be met from existing budgets.

6. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

6.1 The promotion of this Order has been in accordance with the requirements of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, as amended and the Local Authorities' Traffic Orders (Procedure) (Scotland) Regulations 1999.

7. PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS

7.1 None

8. POLICY IMPLICATIONS

8.1 The proposed restrictions will contribute towards enhanced road safety.

9. COMMUNITY PLAN IMPLICATIONS

9.1 The introduction of the waiting and loading restrictions has particular relevance to the Improving Community Safety theme.

10. RISK MANAGEMENT IMPLICATIONS

10.1 Any delay in making the Order will result in children and other pedestrians continuing to be at risk on the approaches to the school and traffic delays.

11. EQUALITIES IMPACT

11.1 Nil

12. RECOMMENDATIONS

12.1 It is recommended that the Cabinet:

- (a) approves the proposals shown in Appendix 1 comprising no waiting and no loading restrictions on B743 Loan and Sorn Road, Mauchline; and
- (b) Otherwise notes the content of the report.

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JD/KC
24 February 2011

BACKGROUND PAPERS

The East Ayrshire Council
B743, Loan & Sorn Road, Mauchline
(Prohibition of Waiting & Loading/Unloading Restrictions) Order 201_

Copies of the above named draft Order are available from Head of Roads & Transportation.

For further information on the contents of this report please contact Keith Orton on 01563 576310.

Implementing Officer: Jacqueline Davidson

LIST OF APPENDICES

Appendix 1 – Plans showing the extent of the proposed waiting and loading restrictions.

Appendix 2 – Consultation list.

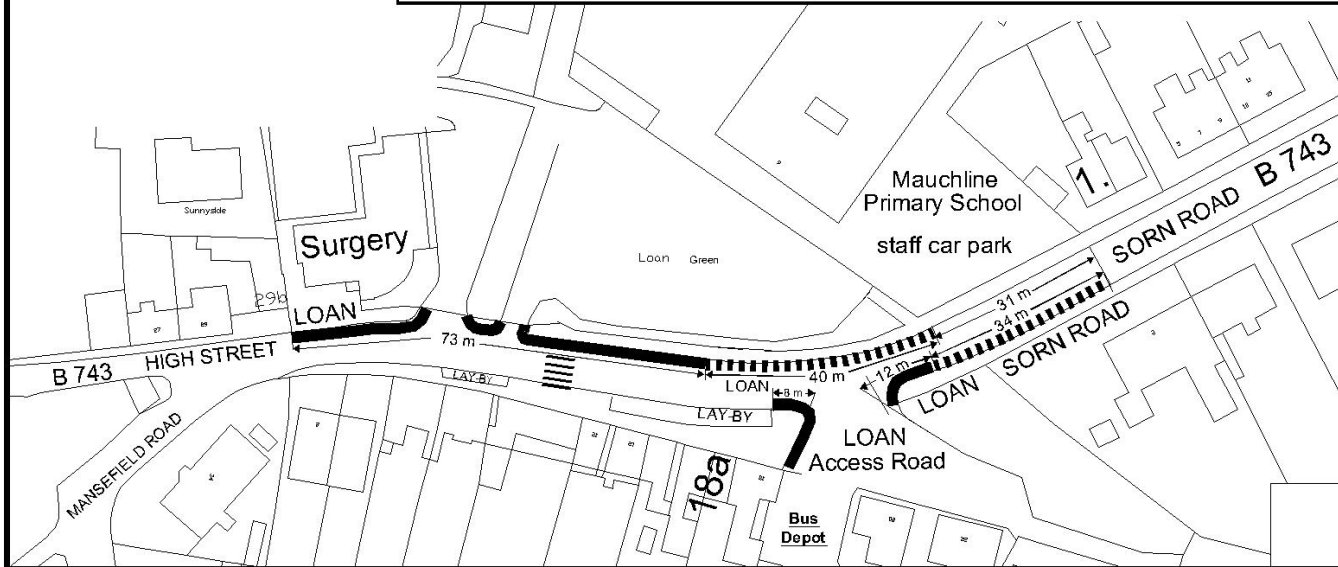


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APPENDIX 1.

THE EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL
(B743, Loan & Sorn Road, Mauchline)
(Prohibition of Waiting & Loading/Unloading Restrictions) ORDER 201_

- = No Waiting at any time & No loading or unloading at any time
- = No Waiting and No Loading Monday - Friday 8.30 am - 9.30 am & 2.30 pm - 3.30 pm



Appendix 2

Consultation List

The following organisations, representative groups and individuals were consulted during the preparation of the draft Orders –

Strathclyde Police
Strathclyde Fire & Rescue
Ayrshire & Arran NHS Trust
Scottish Ambulance Service
Strathclyde Partnership for Transport
Freight Transport Association Ltd
The Road Haulage Association Ltd
Stagecoach Western Buses & A1 Service
Milligan's Coach Travel Ltd
Shuttlebuses
Rowe's Coaches
Smith's Coaches
Marbill Coaches
Liddel's Coaches
Keenan of Ayr Coach Travel
MacEwan's Coach Service
Royal Mail
Scottish Power
Transco
British Telecom
Scottish Water
Cycling Scotland
C.T.C (formerly Cyclists' Tourist Club)
East Ayrshire South Forum on Disability
Scottish Taxi Federation
Mauchline Community Council
Councillor R. McDill, Delivering Community Regeneration (Spokesperson)
Councillor J. Buchanan, Delivering Community Regeneration (Spokesperson)
Chief Executive, East Ayrshire Council
Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Neighbourhood Services
Executive Director of Finance and Corporate Support
Executive Director of Educational and Social Services
Head of Planning and Economic Development
John McRobert, Roads Service Operations Manager
Kevan Aitken, Network and Performance Manager
Lynne McLean, Head Teacher, Mauchline Primary School
Joanne Quinn, Parent Representative for Mauchline Primary School
Mr Wallace, 12, Auld Avenue, Mauchline
Councillor D. Shaw
Councillor J. Roberts
Councillor J. Kelly
Councillor N. McGhee